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FOURTH SEMESTER M.Ed. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JULY 2024

M.Ed.

MED 14.1—EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION

(2017 Scheme)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A

Answer all the questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. What are the core programmes of early childhood education ?
2. Give example of organizing activity centered learning to explain a theme.
3. Identify the skill required for a teacher to use puppetry in ECCE class.
4. What is the need of a health pyramid chart in ECCE centre ?
5. How will you identify the problems of children with learning disability ?

(5 × 2 = 10 marks)

Part B

Answer any eight of the following.

Each question carries 5 marks.

6. Identify the factors affecting cognitive development and as teachers suggest educational implications of cognitive development.
7. Describe the cognitive development of children from three to six years.
8. Discuss the nature of language development during early childhood period.
9. Elaborate the historical background of ECCE in the global context.
10. Describe the key areas of the policy of ECCE.
11. Estimate the role of teachers in protecting the rights of the child.
12. Discuss the chief features of kindergarten curriculum that would enhance learning in preschool level.

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13. Describe the ways to utilize parents as a resource in the pre-school curriculum.
14. State the vision and objectives of National Early Childhood care and Education Policy.
15. Highlight the role of community towards inclusion of children with special needs.
16. Explain the concepts discussed through in-service training for Anganwadi worker.
17. Highlight the need for first aid training.

(8 × 5 = 40 marks)

Part C

*Answer any two of the following.
Each question carries 15 marks.*

18. Enunciate the policy context of National Early Childhood Care and Education.
19. Elaborate the ECCE program services through public, private and NGO's.
20. What are the various types of evaluation ? Discuss the tools and techniques of assessment of children in early childhood education level.
21. As a teacher discuss the various activities that could enhance language development during early childhood period.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)