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FOURTH SEMESTER M.Ed. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2017

Education

MED 13.2—EDUCATIONAL EVALUATION

Time : Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

- I. Short Answer Type/Annotation Questions. Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks:
 - 1 Differentiate between Assessment and Evaluation.
 - 2 State the uses of criterion-referenced evaluation.
 - 3 What is Diagnostic test? In what contexts it is used?
 - 4 How does 'Assessment for learning" help the learners?
 - 5 How is grading better than marking system?

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$

- II. Short Essay Type Questions/Problems. Answer any eight questions out of 12. Each question carries 5 marks:
 - 6 Explain the characteristics of different scales of measurement and their uses.
 - 7 Explain the steps involved in constructing a Diagnostic test.
 - 8 Explain Kilpatrick's model of evaluation. How does it help in educational contexts?
 - 9 Differentiate between an achievement test and a standardized test.
 - 10 Explain the steps involved in standardizing a test. List any 4 standardized tests that can be used in educational contexts.
 - 11 Explain the need and importance of continuous and comprehensive evaluation.
 - 12 Explain the characteristics of objective test items. What are the learning outcomes that can be assessed through objective type test items?
 - 13 What are the principles involved in constructing an essay type question? Explain the learning outcomes that can be assessed through essay type questions.
 - 14 Evaluation is an integral part of teaching-learning process Explain.
 - 15 What are the guidelines to be kept in mind while constructing a rating scale? Illustrate with an example.

Turn over

- 16 Analyze the CIPP evaluation model with reference to its characteristics and applicability in evaluating educational contexts.
- 17 What are the tools and techniques used in formative evaluation? Explain any two of them with examples.

 $(8 \times 5 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- III. Long Essay Type Questions: Answer any two questions out of 4. Each question carries 15 marks:
 - 18 Discuss the examination reforms in India with reference to school education at different levels.
 - 19 Discuss the historical evolution of measurement, assessment and evaluation and its impact on school practices.
 - 20 Discuss the research trends in assessment and evaluation in India and their influence over evaluation policies of the states.
 - 21 Critically analyze the problems and the status of evaluation in India with respect to secondary education.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$