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## THIRD SEMESTER M.Ed. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2017

## MED 12.2—ADVANCED METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH

(2015 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

- I. Short Answer Type/Annotation Questions. Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks:
  - 1 What are Webinars?
  - 2 What is an i-book?
  - 3 Explain bilingualism.
  - 4 Define blended learning.
  - 5 What is self directed learning?

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

- II. Short Essay Type Questions/Problems. Answer any eight questions out of twelve. Each question carries 5 marks:
  - 6 What are the basic tenets of sociolinguistic theories?
  - 7 Explain the significance of a source book for the English language teacher.
  - 8 What is inclusive education?
  - 9 What are the recommendations of the Kothari Commission with regard to language learning?
  - 10 Explain the term 'heterogeneity' with regard to the language classroom,
  - 11 What are 'MOOC's?
  - 12 Briefly explain the advantages of e-learning.
  - 13 Delineate the major limitations encountered in language testing.
  - 14 What are the implications of multiculturalism in the teaching of English language?
  - 15 How can social networking be efficiently used to teach language?
  - 16 What are podcasts and what is their role in teaching language?
  - 17 Briefly describe the behaviorist theory of language learning.

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

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- III. Long Essay Type Questions. Answer any two questions out of four. Each question carries 15 marks:
  - 18 Illustrate the benefits of using the Synectics model in the English language class room.
  - 19 Critically evaluate the Std IX Kerala English Reader, and explain how far the course book has rigorously adhered to the objectives of teaching English at the secondary level.
  - 20 What are the basic principles of English language curriculum development?
  - 21 Discuss the current research studies being carried out in any *one* pertinent area related to English language teaching.

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