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FIRST SEMESTER B.Ed. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2016

EDU 01—EDUCATION IN CONTEMPORARY INDIA

(2015 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Answers may be written either in English or in Malayalam.

Part A

Answer all questions, each question carries 2 marks.

Answer in not more than a paragraph each.

1. What is informal education ? Give an example.
2. What is NCFTE 2009 ?
3. Distinguish between Maktabas and Madrasas ?
4. What are 'Navodaya Vidyalayas' ?
5. What is peace education ?
6. What do you understand by 'Learning without burden' ?
7. Write a brief note on social stratification ?
8. Mention major objectives of RMSA.
9. What are the 'four noble truths' according to Buddhist philosophy ?
10. Suggest any *two* measures to be taken for equalization of education opportunities in Kerala ?

(10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Part B

Answer any ten of the following in about a page each.

Each question carries 4 marks.

11. Describe major aims of education.
12. What was the significance of Woods despatch ?
13. What are the salient features of Buddhist system of education ?
14. Explain the racial diversities of Indian society ?
15. What were the major recommendations of Kothari Commission on women's education ?
16. Describe various agencies of education ?

Turn over

17. Discuss the concept of 'Education for all'.
18. What are the major values enshrined in our constitution ?
19. What is 'Three language formula' ? Explain its significance.
20. Describe the major objectives of SSA programme.
21. Explain the different types of education.
22. Discuss the impact of globalization on education.

(10 × 4 = 40 marks)

Part C

*Answer any two of the following.
Each question carries 10 marks.*

23. Explain the 'educational system' proposal by Gandhiji. How far it is relevant in the contemporary context ?
24. Discuss the major constitutional provisions on education.
25. Explain the strategies taken by government for the Universalisation of elementary education in India ?

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)