

B.Ed. Semester-II Examination 2017
Pedagogical Knowledge of School Subject A: English
Course – B.Ed. 124

Time : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

Group - A

Answer any two questions :

15×2=30

1. Differentiate between Methods and Techniques of Teaching English. Describe at least any four Techniques of Teaching. 3+12=15
2. Why the knowledge of teaching objectives is essential for a teacher? Discuss in details the general and specific aims with reference to Blooms Taxonomy of Educational objectives. 5+10=15
3. Discuss in detail the criteria of selecting a good text-book? How far these are satisfied by English Text-book prescribed in secondary schools of West Bengal? 10+5=15
4. Write in detail the qualities of English Teacher. How the knowledge of Psychology and Technology can add the effectiveness in classroom Teaching? 5+5+5=15

Group – B

5. Answer any six questions:

6×5=30

- (a) What is the role of morphology and Syntax in English?
- (b) Write a note on the Importance and Types of Teaching Aids in English Teaching.
- (c) Define the term 'listening skill' and describe the causes of listening errors.
- (d) Explain the importance of English as 'a link language' in India.
- (e) Enumerate the importance of questioning in teaching. What are the merits and limitations of questioning?
- (f) What are the Merits and limitations of Bilingual methods in English?
- (g) Why Lesson Planning is important for a Teacher. Mention the elements of Lesson plan in prose, poetry and grammar.
- (h) What are the causes of defective pronunciation?

Group – C

6. Attempt all the questions:

5×2=10

- (a) What are the maxims of Teaching English?
 - (b) Point out the qualities of a good assignment in English.
 - (c) Mention some causes of mistakes in spelling.
 - (d) Write a short note on the use of Cinema and Television in English language Teaching.
 - (e) Mention some modern trends of teaching English in Indian schools.
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