

M.A. Semester-IV Examination, 2015

Education

Paper : EDN- 242

(Development of Indian Education)

Time : Three Hours

Full Marks : 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.

Answer all questions.

1. Elaborate the salient features of Education in Ancient India as reflected in Vedas and Upanishads. What are the implications of Upanishadic Education System in Modern India? 4+4=8

OR

Discuss the impact of Buddhist Education System on Post Vedic Society with reference to the centers of Learning and contemporary Buddhist Literature. 8

2. Explain the importance of Education in Islam as reflected in the Qur'an and Statements of the Prophet? Discuss the development of Islamic Education System in India. 4+4=8

OR

Discuss the development of Vocational Education in Ancient India with respect to ancient Indian Literature and Social Institutions. 8

3. Discuss in brief the recommendations of National Policy on Education 1992. What is the impact of this in the development of Indian Education in later period? 4+4=8

OR

How Education can play a prominent role in National Development? Explain with reference to constitutional provisions and recommendations of various commissions on Education after independence. 3+5=8

4. Write short notes on **any four** of the following : 3×4=12

- (a) Macaulay's Minute of Education
- (b) UNESCO Decade of Education for sustainable development
- (c) Role of *Smiriti* Literature in social development
- (d) Ancient Indian universities
- (e) Traits of a student in Sufism
- (f) Development of Women Education in Modern India

5. Choose the correct alternative and write in answer sheet : 1×4=4

- (a) Who is the first woman Union Minister of HRD in India -
 - (i) Indira Gandhi (ii) Najma Hapatulla (iii) Smiriti Zubin Irani (iv) Sheila Dixit.
- (b) What is the modified name of UGC- ASC?
 - (i) Academic Skill College (ii) Administrative Skills Centre
 - (iii) Academic Resource Centre (iv) Human Resource Development Centre
- (c) School Management Committee and School Development Plan are associated with -
 - (i) RTE, 2009 (ii) Planning Commission (iii) UGC (iv) NCERT
- (d) "Acquire knowledge even if it is in China". Who said it?
 - (i) A.P.J. Abdul Kalam (ii) Guru Nanak (iii) Aristotle (iv) Prophet Muhammad