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EDUCATION

Paper : EDNHC2046

( Issues and Trends in Contemporary  
Indian Education )

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions

1. Choose the correct answer from the following  
(any six) :

1×6=6

- (a) Elementary schools provide education  
from
- (i) class I to class V
  - (ii) class I to class IV
  - (iii) class I to class VI
  - (iv) class I to class VIII

(b) What is the full form of DIET?

- (i) District Institute of Educational Technology
- (ii) District Institute of Education and Training
- (iii) District Institute of Elementary Teachers
- (iv) District Institute of Elementary Training

(c) In which year the National Adult-Education Programme was launched?

- (i) 1988
- (ii) 1990
- (iii) 1978
- (iv) 1991

(d) The Chairman of the University Education Commission (1948-49) was

- (i) Dr. Jakir Hussain
- (ii) Dr. S. Radhakrishnan
- (iii) Dr A. Lakshmanswami Mudaliar
- (iv) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

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(e) Sarva Shiksha Abhijan (SSA) was started in the year

- (i) 2005
- (ii) 2001
- (iii) 1999
- (iv) 2003

(f) The National Literary Mission (NLM) was started in India in the year

- (i) 1978
- (ii) 1982
- (iii) 1985
- (iv) 1988

(g) The meaning of universalization of primary education is to provide

- (i) education to all
- (ii) free and compulsory education to the children of 6-14 years of age
- (iii) education to all girl children
- (iv) education to all adults

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(h) The body responsible for planning, implementation and evaluation of educational programmes of school education and teacher education at the State level is

- (i) NCERT
- (ii) SCERT
- (iii) DIET
- (iv) CBSE
- (i) The Central Board of Secondary Education is
  - (i) a private body
  - (ii) an autonomous body
  - (iii) group of bodies
  - (iv) a voluntary organization
- (j) The full form of SUPW is
  - (i) Survey of Useful Purposive Work
  - (ii) Survey of Under Privileged Woman
  - (iii) Socially Useful Productive Work
  - (iv) Socially Useful Purposive Work

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2. Answer the following questions (any five) :  
2×5=10

- (a) What is elementary education?
- (b) Write two objectives of Operation Blackboard (OBB).
- (c) Write the names of two types of universities.
- (d) Write two aims of secondary education according to the Secondary Education Commission, 1952-53.
- (e) Mention two roles of UGC.
- (f) Write two functions of ICSSR.
- (g) Write two functions of SCERT.

3. Write short notes on any six of the following :  
5×6=30

- (a) Universalization of elementary education
- (b) University Grants Commission (UGC)
- (c) National Literary Mission (NLM)

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- (d) Grant-in-aid system
- (e) Family life and sex education
- (f) Continuity education
- (g) District Primary Education Programme (DPEP)
- (h) Vocational education
- (i) Life-long education
- (j) Secondary education

4. Answer any *two* of the following questions :  
10×2=20

- (a) What is AICTE? Describe the roles of AICTE.  
2+8=10
- (b) When did NCERT establish? Explain the functions of NCERT.  
1+9=10
- (c) What is population education? Discuss the aims and objectives of population education.  
2+4+4=10
- (d) Discuss the concept of woman education. Explain the significance of woman education.  
3+7=10

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5. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 14

- (a) Discuss the implications of the national policies of education on elementary education.
- (b) Discuss the aims and objectives of secondary education.
- (c) What is adult education? Discuss the need and importance of adult education.

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