

P.G. 1st Semester -2017

EDUCATION

(Philosophical Foundations of Education-I)

Paper : MEDUCCT-101

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer all the questions.

1. What is Philosophy? Discuss the branches of Philosophy. 3+7=10

OR

What is Knowledge? Discuss its characteristics and sources. 2+4+4=10

2. Define Education. State the relationship between education and philosophy. 10

OR

What do you mean by Philosophy of Education? State its scope and functions. 2+4+4=10

3. What is Pragmatism? Explain the pragmatic concept of education from the standpoint of (i) Aims of Education (ii) Curriculum (iii) Methods of Teaching and (iv) Educational Implications.

2+2+2+2+2=10

OR

What is Logical Positivism? Explain the role of philosophy according to Logical Positivism.

3+7=10

4. Write notes on any two of the following :

5×2=10

- a) Metaphysics – its major concerns.
- b) Nature of Philosophy of Education.
- c) Main tenets of Existentialism.

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