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Ba/EDN C-14

2026

(FYUGP)

(6th Semester)

EDUCATION

(MAJOR)

Paper : EDN C-14

(Structure and Issues of Contemporary
Education in India)

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 40%

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions.

1. (a) Explain the concept 'early childhood
care and education'. Discuss the
challenges and priority task of ECCE.

5+10=15

Or

- (b) Discuss in detail about District Primary
Education Programme (DPEP) and
explain its significance in the context of
achieving Universal Elementary
Education (UEE).

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2. (a) Highlight the aims and objectives of Elementary Education. Discuss some of the problems and issues of school education. 7+8=15

Or

- (b) Trace the history of vocationalization of secondary education in India. Discuss why vocationalizing secondary education is important. Also suggest some measures for the same. 5+5+5=15

3. (a) Bring out the different types of universities. Discuss autonomy and accountability in the light of higher education. 5+10=15

Or

- (b) Highlight the role of National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) for quality assurance in higher education. 15

4. (a) Describe the Samagra Shiksha Scheme in detail. 15

Or

- (b) What is RUSA? Discuss its core objectives and activities in the context of improving access, equity, and quality in State higher education institutions. 3+6+6=15

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5. (a) Explain the functions of State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT) and District Institute of Education and Training (DIET). 7½+7½=15

Or

- (b) Elucidate the role of National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA) in enhancing the efficiency of educational administration in India. 15

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