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M.Ed

CORE COURSE - ED010205 - CONTEXT AND ISSUES OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

2019 Admission Onwards 58AED627

Time: 3 Hours Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. What do you mean by philosophical bases of elementary education?
- 2. Write a short note on the importance of pre-primary education.
- 3. What are the important recommendations in 'Wood's Educational Despatch'?
- 4. What is the Kerala Curriculum Frame Work 2007?
- 5. What are the causes of wastage and stagnation?
- 6. What do you mean by maxims of teaching?
- 7. What does competency education mean?
- 8. Mention any two objectives of researches on elementary education.
- 9. "Commercialisation of elementary education reduce the quality ." Why?
- 10. What do you mean by professional development of teachers?

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

- 11. Give an account of the articles in our constitution related to elementary education.
- 12. Briefly describe the impact of RTE Act 2009 in India.



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- 13. Give a brief narration of the suggestions included in the 11th FYP regarding elementary education.
- 14. Discuss the systems and structural organisation of elementary education in India.
- 15. Write the objectives of NCERT in quality elementary education.
- 16. Summarise the pedagogy of teaching Mathematics at elementary level.
- 17. Explain the importance of inclusive education in the present educational scenario.
- 18. How should school improve the quality of primary education through IT@school project?

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Explain the objectives and scope of elementary education.
- 20. Summarise the report 'Learning Without Burden'.
- 21. Critically evaluate the role and functions of NGOs and Voluntary organisations for the quality elementary education.
- 22. Explain the discovery approach in learning. Identify different classroom activities that would help to develop discovery approach in learning.

(2×5=10 weightage)

