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M. Sc. (H.Sc.) First Semester (Human Development/General Home Science)

External Theory Examination

Subject: PH01C HUD 01/PH 01CGEN 02 - Early Childhood Care and Education

Date: 3/12/2012 (Monday)

Total Marks: 70

Time: 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

Q. 1 Select and write the right answer for the following:

(8)

- 1) Early Childhood Care and Education refers to _____
 - a) Formal and Non formal Education
 - b) Private and Public service
 - c) Working for the age group of 0-6 years
 - d) All of these

- 2) _____ believed in Progressive education.
 - a) M.K.Gandhi
 - b) John Dewey
 - c) Rabindranath Tagore
 - d) All of the above

- 3) _____ pioneered the concept of Balwadi
 - a) Frued
 - b) Erikson
 - c) Tarabai Modak
 - d) All of the above

- 4) Full form of ICCW is _____
 - a) Indian Council for Child Welfare
 - b) International Council for Child Welfare
 - c) Integrated Council for Child Welfare
 - d) None of the above

- 5) The child's play consists of the basic modes by which we know the world _____
 - a) Imitation
 - b) Exploration
 - c) Testing and construction
 - d) All of these

- 6) The preschool it should have _____ qualities/facilities.
- Appropriateness of curriculum
 - Qualified and experienced teachers
 - Sufficient space for indoor and outdoor
 - All of these
- 7) Preschool helps/ prepares children for _____.
- Primary/formal education
 - Become wise
 - To be good in nature
 - Career oriented
 - None of these
- 8) A good preschool programme should include _____.
- Plenty of time opportunity to express themselves(child's self) freely
 - Involvement of parents
 - Provide opportunity for social adjustment
 - All of these

Q-2 Answer in short (any seven)

(14)

- 1) What are the features of a Kindergarten?
- 2) Contributions of Play to Children's Development
- 3) Write in brief about J.H.Pestalozzi's philosophy on education.
- 4) What are the Cognitive needs of young children?
- 5) Define Curriculum.
- 6) Comment on the statement "While framing the curriculum we should keep in mind child's ecology."
- 7) Explain in brief about Mobile Creches.
- 8) Enlist the objectives of UNICEF.
- 9) Enlist Mathematic activities for young children

Q.3 A) Discuss the principles of how children learn. (6)

Q.3 B) What are the objectives of ECCE? (6)

OR

Q.3 B) Write a short notes on the following: (6)

- I. Head start programme
- II. Day care centre

Q.4 A) What was the philosophy of Gandhiji, Froebel and Rousseau for ECCE? (6)

Q.4 B) Write a short note on ICDS. (6)

OR

B) Give the historical perspective of ECE during the pre-independence and post independence period. (6)

Q.5 A) What should be the Quality of classrooms, indoor space including walls, windows and doors while designing a preschool? (6)

Q.5 B) Explain the methods of evaluating children. (6)

OR

B) Write in short about care and management of furniture and equipments in preschools. (6)

Q.6 A) Explain about short term and long term planning and describe its importance in early childhood education. (6)

Q.6 B) What are the Music and Art activities that can be given to preschool children? (6)

OR

B) Describe the Language activities which can be given for development of vocabulary and comprehension. (6)