

PAPER-VI & VII (Group B) Opt. (i): TEACHING OF MATHEMATICS

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80
(Internal Marks: 20)

NOTE FOR PAPER SETTERS:

- i) Paper setters will set 9 questions in all, out of which students will be required to attempt 5 questions.
- ii) Q. No. 1 will be compulsory and carries 16 marks. It will be comprised of 4 short-answer type notes of 4 marks each to be selected from the entire syllabus.
- iii) Two long-answer type questions will be set from each of the four units, out of which the students will be required to attempt one question from each unit. Long-answer type questions will carry 16 marks each.
- iv) All questions will carry equal marks.

OBJECTIVES:

Pupil-teachers would be able to-

- (i) Define Meaning, Nature, aims and objectives of Mathematics
- (ii) Explain the relationship of Mathematics with other subjects.
- (iii) Explain Historical development and contribution of Indian Mathematics.
- (iv) Familiarize the pupil-teachers with the development of Curriculum in Mathematics.
- (v) Differentiate between Methods and Techniques of Teaching Mathematics.
- (vi) Perform Pedagogical Analysis of various Concepts in Mathematics.
- (vii) Describe instructional planning and development of relevant material for the teaching of Mathematics.
- (viii) Demonstrate uses of I.C.T. in Teaching of Mathematics.
- (ix) Describe Continuous and Comprehensive evaluation, diagnostic testing and remedial teaching in Mathematics.
- (x) Explain importance and uses of learning resources in Mathematics.

COURSE CONTENTS

UNIT-I

- 1) Concept and aims of Mathematics
 - Meaning, Nature and Historical Development of Mathematics.
 - Assumption, postulates, axiom of Mathematics, and Fundamentals of logic namely: use of if and then, and If and only If.
 - Values to be taught through teaching of Mathematics.
 - Aims and Objectives of Teaching Mathematics at Secondary stage.
 - Writing objectives in terms of behavioural outcomes of students.
- 2) Diagnostic Testing and Remedial Teaching for:
 - Gifted Learners
 - Slow Learners

- Learners with Dyscalculia
- Difficulties Faced by the Teacher in Teaching of Mathematics and Suggestive Measures to overcome them.

UNIT-II

- 3) Methods of Teaching Mathematics
 - Lecture-cum-Demonstration
 - Inductive-Deductive
 - Analytic-Synthetic
 - Problem Solving
 - Laboratory
 - Project
- 4) Techniques of teaching Mathematics
 - Oral work
 - Written Work
 - Drill-work
 - Brain-storming
 - Home Assignment
 - Self-study
 - Supervised Study

UNIT-III

- 5) Learning Resource
 - Importance and Organization of Mathematics Club
 - Recreational Activities of Mathematics Club:
 - Mathematics Fairs
 - Games
 - Quiz
 - Puzzles
 - Visits
 - Talks
 - Importance and Setting up of Math Laboratories.
- 6) Pedagogical Analysis of the following-
 - Control tendencies Mean, Medium, Mode.
 - Congruency
 - Trigonometry
 - Area
 - Volume
 - Linear and Quadratic Equations
 - Ratio and Proportion.
- 7) Identification of concepts.

- Listing behavioral Outcomes.
- Listing Activities and experiences
- Listing Evaluation Techniques.

UNIT-IV

- 8) Instructional Planning & Material Development.
- Preparation of Micro Lesson Plan
 - Preparation of Simulated Lesson Plan.
 - Preparation of Classroom Lesson Plan.
 - Preparation and use of Audio-Visual Material and equipments.
 - Professional Growth of Mathematics Teacher
 - Application of I.C.T in Teaching of Mathematics.
- 9) Evaluation.
- Comprehensive and continuous Evaluation
 - Development of Test Items:
 - Diagnostic Testing and Remedial Technique
 - Preparation of an Achievement Test.
 - Criterion and Norm Reference Test.

Practical/Sessional

Max. Marks: 20

- pedagogical analysis/Assignments/Internal Exam

SUGGESTED READINGS

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