

## **BACHELOR OF EDUCATION**

### **Term-End Examination**

**June, 2007**

### **ES-334 : EDUCATION AND SOCIETY**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Weightage : 70%*

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**Note :**

- (i) All the **four** questions are compulsory.
  - (ii) All the questions carry equal weightage.
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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Describe the aims of education and discuss how these can be realized in a democratic set-up like India.

**OR**

Describe school as a formal agency of education and discuss its relationship with home.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Discuss essential tenets of 'Pragmatism' as a school of philosophy and explain its importance in the light of 'curriculum' and 'the role of teacher'.

**OR**

How can students' and community participation be made effective for proper management of the school ? Explain your answer with suitable illustrations.

**3.** Write short notes on any **four** of the following in about 150 words each :

- (i) Education — its role in preservation of culture
- (ii) Education — an instrument of social change
- (iii) Vocational Education — its need and importance
- (iv) Open Schooling — its need and importance
- (v) Inequality in Education — measures to minimise it
- (vi) Grading in Examination — its need and significance

**4.** Answer the following question in about 600 words.

As a teacher, you must have come across some students who have dropped out and a few of them were also repeaters. List the different causes of their drop-outs and stagnation which you have found after interaction with students. Suggest measures for reducing stagnation and drop-out.

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