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GAUHATI UNIVERSITY
CENTRE FOR DISTANCE AND ONLINE EDUCATION
HOME ASSIGNMENT

M.A. in Education

Semester - I (Session: 2025-26 (January))

Guidelines for Submission:

1. Learners who have been admitted in the Academic Session (2025-26 (January)) will write the Home Assignment.
2. Learners should write their **Roll Number, GU Registration Number, Subject, Semester, Paper Title, Paper Code** and **Name of the Study Center** clearly on the first page of the answer script in the space provided.
3. The formats of the answer scripts are available at, and can be downloaded from, the GUCDOE website (www.gucdoe.in).
4. There will be 2 (two) compulsory questions in each paper, and each question will have options (Total Marks: 2 questions × 10 marks= 20 marks).
5. **Typed/Computerized answers will not be accepted.** Learners will write the answers neatly in their own handwriting.
6. Answer to a 10 mark question should not exceed 400 words.
7. Learners should not submit any plagiarized answers as such a practice is deemed to be unfair.
8. Learners of different Study Centers under GUCDOE will mandatorily submit the answer scripts at their respective Study Centers.
9. Learners of GUCDOE center will submit their answer scripts at GUCDOE Office.
10. **Last Date of Submission : 30th April, 2026.**

PAPER: EDU 1016: (Sociological Foundations of Education)

Answer the following questions: **2 x 10 = 20**

Q. No. 1. What do you mean by Educational Sociology? Differentiate between Sociology of education and Educational Sociology. **3 + 7 = 10**

OR

Explain the meaning of socialization. Discuss the importance of socialization in human development. **5 + 5 = 10**

Q. No. 2. What do you mean by culture? Explain the various functions of culture. **2 + 8 = 10**

OR

Discuss the concept of School as a Social System. **10**

PAPER: EDU 1026: (Psychological Perspectives of Education)

Answer the following questions: **2 x 10 = 20**

Q. No. 1. Describe about the theory of constructivism. **10**

OR

Define Intelligence. Discuss the characteristics of intelligence. **2 + 8 = 10**

Q. No. 2. Discuss the various strategies that can be used to enhance student's motivation in the classroom. **10**

OR

Explain the concept of emotional intelligence. **10**

PAPER: EDU 1036: (Comparative Education)

Answer the following questions: **2 x 10 = 20**

Q. No. 1. Describe the purposes and scope of comparative education. **5 + 5 = 10**

OR

Elaborately discuss the National Education System of England. **10**

Q. No. 2. Give a detailed account of primary education system of Germany **10**

OR

Make a comparative analysis of Teacher Education System in India with that of England. **10**

PAPER: EDU 1046: (Educational Technology)

Answer the following questions: **2 x 10 = 20**

Q. No. 1. Describe the scope of educational technology. **10**

OR

Discuss the role of Educational Technology in Distance Education. **10**

Q. No. 2. Discuss the general and psychological principles of teaching. **10**

OR

What is teaching? Explain the marks or criteria of good teaching. **3 + 7 = 10**

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