

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT
AND ADMINISTRATION (PGDEMA)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

MES-048 : ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : *All questions are compulsory. All questions carry equal weightage.*

1. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Describe the views of any *two* Indian thinkers on alternative education.

Or

Discuss in the context of India, the role of Non-Formal Education (NFE), as an alternative delivery system of education for children who drop out from the formal system.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Discuss the role of alternative initiatives under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) programme in India.

Or

Discuss the concept of inclusive education. Describe the legal rights of disabled children in India.

3. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **150** words each :

- (a) Explain different alternative methodology/pedagogy programmes.
- (b) What are community schools ? Explain with the help of one example.
- (c) Discuss the role of National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) in providing alternative schooling.
- (d) Discuss the contribution of Gram Mangal (GM) in the field of alternative education.
- (e) Differentiate between integrated and inclusive education.

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(f) Explain any *two* approaches of evaluation, used for alternative education.

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

Select any NGO from your State/U. T. and critically analyse its role in the field of education.

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