

M. A. FRENCH
Term-End Examination
June, 2026

MFL-005 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY-I

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any *five* questions. All questions carry equal marks (**600-700** words each).

1. What is sampling ? Write about *four* main types of sampling. What is its role in carrying out survey ? 20
2. While introducing a topic for research, what is the importance of knowledge about earlier studies done in the domain ? What is this step called and how does it help in adding focus to the research ? 20

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3. Distinguish between basic and applied research. What are the concepts that could be formed into a framework ? 20
4. What do you understand by modern scientific research ? How is it different from a simple essay ? 20
5. What do you understand by Research Design ? Elaborate upon its need and functions. 20
6. What is data collection ? Define primary and secondary data. Explain its role in scientific research. 20
7. In the domain of language studies, what would include in your opinion essential steps in planning an experimental research ? Elaborate on role of variables and control groups. 20

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