

**ASSIGNMENT TOPICS**  
**P.G. Diploma in Pre-school Education**

**PDSED1.01 Growth and Development of Pre-school Children**

***Answer any THREE questions***  
***All questions carry equal marks***

3 x 10 = 30

1. Define development task? Spell out the developmental tasks during babyhood and early childhood years?
2. Explain the Observation and Interview methods to study children. Give advantages and disadvantages of each method?
3. Give an account of moral and social development during early childhood years?
4. Enumerate the common interests during pre-school age?
5. Write about different types of play and discuss the learning experience of each types of play?
6. Describe different types of exceptionality among children. Explain in detail about mentally challenged children?
7. Explain about hazards during pre-school and write the first aid techniques?
8. Discuss physical and psychological needs of pre-school children?

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**PDSED1.02 Health, Nutrition and Welfare of the Pre-school**

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1. Discuss about the importance of nutrition for the growth and development during pregnancy?
2. Explain the principles of carbohydrates, their functions and food sources?
3. Briefly explain about the common nutritional disorders among the pre-schoolers, their incidence, etiology and dietary management?
4. Describe the importance of personal hygiene in maintaining health?
5. Write a short note on: (1) Primary Health Center  
(2) ICDS
6. Write about the role of proper waste disposal system in maintaining environmental sanitation?
7. Explain the following (a) UNICEF  
(b) CARE  
(c) ICCW
8. Explain in detail about the various anthropometric measurements used to identify the nutritional status of pre-school children?

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**PDSED1.03 Methods and Materials of Pre-school Education**

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1. Describe the concepts of Froebel's kinder garten and Montessori's house of children to pre-school education?
2. Explain the contributions of Sri Ravindranath Tagore and J.Krishna Murthy to Early Childhood Education?
3. Enumerate the principles and selection of play equipment to be followed for indoor play?
4. Explain about prereading and writing experiments that can be provided to pre-school children?
5. Discuss the importance of mathematical process and method of teaching it to pre-school children?
6. Write about the role of teachers in developing scientific concepts to pre-school children?
7. Describe different ways of language development to pre-school children?
8. Describe the activities to promote creativity and aesthetic values among pre-school children?

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**PDSED1.04 Planning and Organizing Pre-schools**

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1. Mention the aims and objectives of pre-school education?
2. Elucidate how pre-school education came into India?
3. Discuss in principles of site selection for pre-schools and enumerate the importance of indoor and outdoor space?
4. Explain the principles of selecting play equipments for various developments for pre-schoolers?
5. List out the different types of records and registers maintained in pre-school and brief out it's importance?
6. Mention the principles of programme planning? Plan a weekly programme for pre-schoolers based on theme?
7. What do you mean by teacher pupil ratio? What are the duties of a pre-school teacher?
8. According to your perspective, how parent teacher meetings can be arranged and mention it's importance?

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