

ALLAMA IQBAL OPEN UNIVERSITY, ISLAMABAD
(Department of Distance Non-Formal & Continuing Education)

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Course: Distance Education-I (3732)

Semester: Autumn, 2013

Level: M. Phil

Total Marks: 100

ASSIGNMENT No. 1
(Units 1–5)

- Q.1 Explain the characteristics of distance education.
- Q.2 What are the factors in course Development in distance Education? Discuss.
- Q.3 Critically examine the student support services in the system of distance education.
- Q.4 Discuss the steps in process of cost determination for distance education.
- Q.5 Critically examine the major problems and issues in education and training sector in Pakistan.

ASSIGNMENT No. 2

(Units 6–9)

Total Marks: 100

- Q.1 Explain the foundation, structure and purpose of Allama Iqbal Open University.
- Q.2 State the role of instructional design in distance education.
- Q.3 Discuss the role of media in distance education.
- Q.4 What is the importance of multiple-choice test in the assessment process of student evaluation?
- Q.5 How can student performance in Distance Education be assessed? Explain.