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# WARNING

- 1. PLAGIARISM OR HIRING OF GHOST WRITER(S) FOR SOLVING THE ASSIGNMENT(S) WILL DEBAR THE STUDENT FROM AWARD OF DEGREE/CERTIFICATE, IF FOUND AT ANY STAGE.
- 2. SUBMITTING ASSIGNMENTS BORROWED OR STOLEN FROM OTHER(S) AS ONE'S OWN WILL BE PENALIZED AS DEFINED IN "AIOU PLAGIARISM POLICY".

## Course: Advance Approaches to Curriculum Development (3737) Level: M. Phil Semester: Autumn, 2013

### Note:

- 1. Read each question carefully and reply accordingly. Irrelevant details should be avoided.
- 2. Assignment should be hand written.
- 3. Copying from textbook is totally prohibited. Take the ideas from the textbook, allied material, other books and narrate in your own words.
- 4. References should be given within the text as well as at the end of each question on APA style of citation.
- 5. Submit the assignments on or before the specified date.
- 6. Late assignments will not be accepted in any case.
- 7. Each answer of the question should be of at least 1500 words.

# **ASSIGNMENT No. 1**

(Units: 1–4)

**Total Marks: 100** 

Pass Marks: 50

#### Note: Attempt all questions. Each question carries equal marks.

- Q. 1 Discuss the nature of content and its importance. Also highlight the criterion procedures and principles of content selection.
- Q. 2 Discuss the concept of the organization of curriculum content and learning experiences. Also highlight the modes, principles and problems related to content organization.
- Q. 3 Discuss the nature, need and functions of evaluation. Also highlight the different techniques of curriculum evaluation.
- Q. 4 Discuss the different aspects related to unit development. Also give suggestions for improving the quality of unit.

Q. 5 Discuss the nature of curriculum design. Also highlight the main aspects of conceptual framework of curriculum design. Give suggestions to improve our curriculum design at higher level of education.

### **ASSIGNMENT No. 2**

(Units: 5–9)

#### **Total Marks: 100**

#### Pass Marks: 50

#### Note: Attempt all questions. Each question carries equal marks.

- Q. 1 Discuss the nature of subject centered curriculum. Also highlight characteristics, principles and factors affecting subject centered curriculum.
- Q. 2 Discuss the concept of core curriculum. Also highlight the importance, characteristics, principles and factors affective core curriculum.
- Q. 3 Discuss the nature, characteristics and principles of activity curriculum. Also compare the subject centered core and activity curriculum.
- Q. 4 Write down the detailed note on strategy of curriculum improvement. Also highlight the factors affecting the process of curriculum improvement in our society?
- Q. 5 Discuss the main aspects of different models of curriculum evaluation. In your opinion which model is more effective for curriculum evaluation and why? Discuss.

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