

Faculty of Education
Integral University, Lucknow

Syllabus for Ph.D. Admission Test
[Education]
Part - I

Philosophical and Sociological Foundations of Education:

Meaning, nature and functions of Philosophy, speculative, normative and analytical. Relationship between philosophy and education. Teachers need for a Philosophical frame work, Methods of studying Philosophy.

Various Schools of Philosophy:

- a. **Western Schools:** Idealism, Realism, Naturalism and Pragmatism with special reference to their concept of reality, knowledge and values and their educational implications to aims, content and methods of education.
- b. **Indian Schools :** Vedic, Jainistic, Buddhistic and Islamic Traditions with special reference to their concept of reality, knowledge and values and their educational implications to aims, content and methods of education.
- a. **Existentialism and Marxism:** Philosophic analysis with special reference to their concepts of reality, knowledge and values and their educational implications to aims, content and methods of education.
- b. **Educational thoughts of the following thinkers :**
 - i Mahatma Gandhi
 - ii Dr. Zakir Hussain
 - iii Swami Vivekanand
 - iv John Dewey
 - v. Plato
 - vi. Rousseau

- a. **Meaning and Functions of Sociology and Sociology of Education**
- b. **Society :** Structure, social stratification, Social mobility, concept of culture; cultural and social change, equality of educational opportunities and social equity; Social change in India; Factors affecting social change: Caste, ethnicity, class, language, religion and regional imbalances.
- a. A critical study of democracy, secularism, socialism, modernization, national integration and their educational implications.
- b. Constitutional provisions for Education, Constitutional rights of Minorities for Education.

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Part - II

Advanced Educational Psychology

Development Psychology:

- Importance of educational Psychology
- Child development – motor, physical, emotional
- Cognitive, language & moral development.
- Adolescent development-Physical, Emotional & Social:
- The problems of adolescents and education
- Piaget's theory of cognitive development, Vygotsky's socio – cultural view of development

Personality:

- Personality; Meaning and concept
- Theories of personality : Type theories : Freud, Adler, Jung and Kretschmer
- Trait theories – Allport, Cattell and Eysenck
- Humanistic Theory of personality-Maslow and Roger
- Psycho-analytic approach-Freud, Adler, Horney, Erikson,
- Behavioural approach-Miller, Dollard, Bandura.
- Assessment of Personality-Projective Techniques, Rorschach and TAT, Personality Inventories.

Intelligence and Creativity:

- Nature and Theories of Intelligence, Guilford model of Intellect, Piagetian perspective, Measurement of intelligence.
- Gifted, Mentally Retarded and learning disabled children : their characteristics and education.
- Creativity – Concept, identification and nurturing creativity
- Education of creative child.

Learning and Motivation:

- Meaning and Concept of learning :
- Theories of learning and their educational implications : Gagne, Hull and Tolman's theories : Information processing theories : Roger and Ausubel
- Cognitive theories of learning.
- Needs : Maslow's classification of needs
- Motivation in learning, Theories of Motivation, Methods of Motivating Children.

Psychology of Adjustment and Mental Health:

- Concept, Mechanism of adjustment, Introduction to common forms of anxiety, Neurosis, psychosis and other mental disorders.
- Concept and importance of mental health, characteristics of mentally healthy individual.
- Theories of mental health, Freud, Maslow, Rogers, Allport, Erickson.

Part - III

Research Methodology in Education

- Meaning, definitions characteristics and purposes of educational research, and limitations of educational research.
- Various methods of arriving at knowledge Rational empirical and Intuitive
- Differentiating the nature of various levels of research- Basic, applied and action research.
- Scientific Method and its characteristics.
- Educational Research and its limitations.

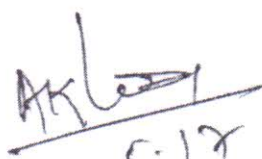
- Types of Researches: Descriptive, Experimental, Historical and Philosophical.
- Research Process: selecting a research problem, formulation of research proposal and hypothesis, developing a research design, data collection and analysis.
- Research tools in Educational Research: Interview Questionnaire, observation, content analysis and sociometry conditions for choice of research tools-reliability, validity and usability of tools.

- Some issue for Researchers in education, Internal & External validity of Research. Threat to validity of Research in education.
- Need for promoting naturalistic & qualitative research methods.
- Analysis: Use of computers for data analysis.
- Use of Library Resources and writing a Research Report

Sampling techniques and characteristics of a good sample; Method of drawing a sample from population, probability and non probability sampling procedures and their relevance for Educational Research, Minimizing sampling errors, Normal distribution – meaning, characteristic and its application.

Descriptive and Inferential Statistics:

Testing hypothesis about mean and other statistics ; Chi-square test' significance of difference between means; t-test, types of errors, f-test and simple analysis of variance, product moment and rank difference correlation coefficients their computation and interpretation, partial and Multiple correlation.


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Part - IV

Educational Technology and Computer Application in Education

- > Meaning, scope and significance of Educational Technology
 - > Components of Educational Technology
 - > Role of Educational Technology
 - > Educational technology and Instructional Technology
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- > System approach in teaching and learning Formulation and writing of instructional objectives in behavioral terms
 - > Designing of instructional strategies such as lecture, Team- Teaching, Discussion and Seminar
 - > Models of Teaching, Concept and different teaching models.
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- > Classroom communication: Concepts, Process Components and Types.
 - > Levels of teaching: Meaning, nature, functions and Types
 - > Micro Teaching:- Discussion and analysis of Important Teaching skills
 - > Flanders Interactional Analysis
 - > Programmed learning: Meaning, Origin and Types
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- a) Introduction:- Basic of computer functionality, component Analysis, Memory basic, Input & Output devices, software types and their utility.
 - b) Internet: - Types of Internet connections, Educational website (Governmental; and non-Governmental), Searching techniques, Networking fundamentals, Cyber laws and cyber crime,
 - c) Software:- MS Word, Ms Powerpoint, Ms Excel (General operations, charting simple function and formula, conditional formatting)
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- a) Computer Application: - computer-projector connectivity perspectives of use of technology in education, Computer Assisted Teaching (CAT), Educational Tools.
 - b) Fostering creativity, intelligence, problem solving with help of computer technology. Critical Analysis of salient features of CAL, CAE and CAT
 - c) EDUSAT and its application, study of educational case tools.

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