Syllabus for Ph.D. Entrance Exams in Education PT. RAVISHANKAR SHUKLA UNIVERSITY RAIPUR (C.G.)

Time: 2 Hours M.M. 100

UNIT 1

Indian Schools of Philosophy – Vedanta, Sankhya, Buddhism and with special reference to the conceptsof reality, knowledge and values and their educational implications.

Contributions of Indian Thinkers:- Vivekananda, Aurobindo, Tagore and Gandhi.

Western schools of Philosophy:- Idealism, Realism, Naturalism, Pragmatism, and Existentialism with special reference to the concepts of reality, knowledge and values, their educational implications for aims, contents and methods of education.

UNIT 2

Intelligence • Meaning • Theories:- Two Factor Theory (Spearman); Multi Factor Theory, Group Factor Theory, Guilford Model of Intellect, Hierarchical Theory. • Measurement of Intelligen (two verbal and two non verbal tests)

Personality • Meaning and Determinants • Types and Trait Theories • Assessment of Personality by Subjective and Projective Methods.

Learning • Meaning • Theories of Learning - Pavlov's Classical Conditioning - Skinner's Operant Conditioning - Learning by Insight

UNIT 3

Relationship of Education & Psychology. Scope of Educational Psychology Methods of Educational Psychology: • Experimental • Clinical • Differential

Concept of Growth and Development • Physical Development during Childhood and Adolescence. • Social Development during Childhood and Adolescence. • Emotional Development during Childhood and Adolescence. • Intellectual Development during Childhood and Adolescence.

Individual Differences • Meaning and Areas • Determinants: Role of Heredity and Environment in Developing Individual Differences. • Implications of Individual Differences for organizing Educational Programmes.

UNIT 4

Concept and Nature of Educational Sociology and Sociology of Education, Relationship of Sociology and Education.

Education and Social Change: Meaning, Nature and Factors determining Social change, Constraints of social change in India: Caste, Ethnicity, class, language, religion and regionalism.

Education and Democracy: Constitutional Provisions for Education, Nationalism and Education; Education for National Integration and International Understanding.

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UNIT 5

Basic concept of research problem: Rationale of research • Identification of research problem • Research objective • Types of research- fundamental/ applied/ action/ quantitative/ qualitative.

Review of literatures: Primary source • Secondary source • Searching e- resources, using search engines • Searchingdata base • Writing literature review.

UNIT 6

Methods of research: Concept and formulation of hypothesis • Survey method • Experimental method (variable, designs) • Historical methods • Content analysis.

Sampling of data: Concept of sampling • Probability sampling techniques • Non probability sampling techniques.

UNIT 7

Collection of data :Primary data generation • Secondary data collection • Methods of data generation/ collection— by experiments, questionnaire, interview schedule, focus groups etc.

Analysis of data : Statistical analysis techniques • Qualitative analysis techniques • Application of computer inresearch data analysis.

UNIT 8

Measures of Central tendency, Measures of variability, Measures of relative positions, Correlation.

Note- Question paper will be consist of 30 multiple choice questions (30*2=60) and 8 descriptive type questions (8*5=40).

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