EDN260(MAJOR)

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(NEP-2020)

(4th Semester)

EDUCATION (MAJOR)

(Development of Educational Thought)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(SECTION : A-OBJECTIVE)

(Marks: 10)

Tick (\checkmark) the correct answer in the brackets provided : $1 \times 10=10$

- 1. The aim of Spartan system of education was to produce good
 - (a) warriors ()
 - (b) priests ()
 - (c) orators ()
 - (d) businessmen ()
- 2. The ancient Greek educational system known as 'Paideia' means
 - (a) to motivate ()
 - (b) to guide ()
 - (c) to reform ()
 - (d) to educate ()

Contd.

3. The Romans gave importance to

- (a) knowledge ()
- (b) wisdom ()
- (c) power (
- (d) intellectual pursuits ()

4. The code of conduct for knights was known as

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- (a) Chivalry (
- (b) Magna Carta (
- (c) Feudalism ()
- (d) Odiopedus ()

5. The objective of education in monastic system of education was

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- (a) physical education (
- (b) intellectual development (
- (c) spiritual life ()
- (d) social development ()

6. The main objective of scholastic system of education was to acquire knowledge through

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- (a) self-realization ()
- (b) nature and nurture ()
- (c) logic and debate ()
- (d) play-way method ()
- 7. Who among the following played a crucial role in establishing Jamia Millia Islamia?
 - (a) Zakir Hussain ()(b) Muhammad Iqbal ()
 - (b) Muhammad Iqbal ()
 - (c) Aurobindo ()
 - (d) Swami Vivekananda ()

8. The author of the book, Divine Life is

- (a) Aurobindo ()
- (b) Hussain ()
- (c) Iqbal ()
- (d) Vivekananda ()

9. The father of Naturalism in education is

- (a) Whitehead (
- (b) Russell (
- (c) Herbert Spencer ()
- (d) Rousseau ()

10. The phrase 'survival of the fittest' was coined by

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- (a) Rousseau (
- (b) Spencer ()
- (c) Russell ()
- (d) Whitehead ()

(SECTION : B-SHORT ANSWERS)

(Marks: 15)

Answer/Write short notes on *five* of the following, taking at least *one* from each Unit : 3×5=15

UNIT-I

- 1. Educational practices in ancient Sparta
- 2. Greek influences on the Roman educational system

Unit—II

3. Aims of scholastic education

4. Any three special features of Medieval European Universities

UNIT-III

5. Muhammad Iqbal's aims of education

6. Swami Vivekananda's contribution to Indian education

UNIT-IV

7. Explain Rousseau's concept of negative education.

8. Bertrand Russell's contribution to modern education

(SECTION : C-DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks: 50)

Answer five questions, taking at least one from each Unit :

Unit—I

- 1. Give a comparative analysis of Athenian and Spartan system of education.
- Discuss the main features of the Roman system of education from 275 BC to 529 AD.

UNIT-II

- Define Monasticism and describe the key features of Monastic education in medieval Europe. 3+7=10
- 4. Discuss education for chivalry during medieval period.

Unit—III

- Discuss the educational philosophy propounded by Aurobindo Ghose and his contributions to Indian education.
- Discuss Dr. Zakir Hussain's views on aims of education and mention his influence and contributions in education.

UNIT-IV

- Discuss Herbert Spencer's aims of education and its contribution to modern education.
- Explain Whitehead's educational philosophy and his contribution to modern education.
 5+5=10

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10×5=50