

COOCH BEHAR PANCHANAN BARMA UNIVERSITY

B.A. Honours 6th Semester Examinations, 2022

EDUCATION

DISTANCE EDUCATION

DSE-4

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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| | | GROUP-A | |
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| 1. | | Answer any one question from the following: | $15 \times 1 = 15$ |
| | | What do you mean by distance education? State the characteristic features of distance education. Explain the significance of distance education. | 5+5+5 |
| | (b) | Discuss the role of ICT and media in Distance Education. | 15 |
| | (c) | Discuss the growth and development of distance education in India. | 15 |
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| | | GROUP-B | |
| 2. | | Answer any one question from the following: | $10 \times 1 = 10$ |
| | (a) | Discuss the various Technical and Vocational programmes imparted through Distance Education. | 10 |
| | (b) | Discuss the role of distance education in rural developments. | 10 |
| | (c) | Explain the quality concerns in distance education. | 10 |
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| | | GROUP-C | |
| 3. | | Answer any one question from the following: | $5 \times 1 = 5$ |
| | (a) | Discuss the role of NSOU in the development of DE in state. | 5 |
| | (b) | Explain the characteristic features of self-learning materials. | 5 |
| | (c) | Write about the advantages and disadvantages of distance education. | 2 1 + 2 1 |

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GROUP-D

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

Answer any ten questions from the following:

(a) Name one state run Distance Education institution.

(b) What is the full form of IGNOU?

(c) Mention one feature of distance learner.

(d) ______ is the first DE university in India.

(e) Distance Education comes under formal education. (True / False)

(f) Write one advantage of distance education.

(g) Name one distance education TV channel.

(h) When was the first open university established?

(i) What is ODL?

(j) Define self-learning materials.

(k) Give one challenge for Distance Education.

(l) Define Distance Education.