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**MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) /
P.G. DIPLOMA IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

**MES-103 : HIGHER EDUCATION :
THE PSYCHO-SOCIAL CONTEXT**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

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- Note :** (i) *All four questions are compulsory.*
(ii) *All questions carry equal weightage.*
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1. Answer the following question in about **600 words** :

Discuss the challenges faced by Indian college students and role of society in preparation of youth to meet these challenges.

OR

Explain various cognitive styles and learning styles with suitable illustrations.

2. Answer the following question in about **600 words** :

Define "creativity" and explain various ways to foster creativity.

OR

Why do we need leadership ? Discuss the role of leaders in creating institutions as learning organization.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **150 words** each :
- (a) Explain essential elements of effective verbal communication.
 - (b) Discuss educational implications of 'Need Hierarchy' of motivation.
 - (c) Describe briefly the constructivist approach to learning.
 - (d) Write a short note on 'Issues in mainstreaming of special learners'.
 - (e) Discuss the strategies to foster positive teacher-student relationship.
 - (f) Discuss the role of teacher as a counsellor.
4. Answer the following question in about **600 words** :
- Explain basic factors of classroom environment and discuss your role as a teacher for effective classroom management.
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