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(Held in January/February, 2022)

EDUCATION

(Core)

Paper : C-5

(Great Educators and Educational Thought)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions : 1×8=8

(a) What is absolute truth according to Shankaracharya?

(b) Who wrote the book, *Nam-ghosa*?

(c) Who gave the title of Knighthood to Rabindranath Tagore?

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- (d) Where is the Headquarters of Ramakrishna Mission situated?
- (e) Mention the name of the author of the book, *The Social Contract*.
- (f) "The aim of education is to develop worthy citizens of a country." Who said this?
- (g) From which language the word 'philosophy' has been taken?
- (h) Who was the author of the book, *Pedagogy*?
2. Write short notes on the following : $4 \times 5 = 20$
- (a) Shankaradeva's philosophy of life
- (b) Evaluation of Tagore's philosophy of education
- (c) Functions of education according to Plato
- (d) Concept of deconstruction
- (e) Freire's criticism of present education
3. Discuss about the educational philosophy of Yajnavalkya. Give your assessment about the educational philosophy of Yajnavalkya. $4+6=10$

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4. What should be the aim of education according to Vivekananda? What should be the curriculum according to Vivekananda? 5+5=10
5. Discuss the aims of education according to Rousseau. Explain the characteristics of negative education of Rousseau. 5+5=10

Or

Write the concept of Rousseau's naturalism.
Discuss its various characteristics. 5+5=10

6. What is pragmatism? What is the method of teaching in Dewey's pragmatism? 5+6=11
7. Explain Ivan Illich's opinion regarding the aims of education, curriculum, method and discipline. 2+3+3+3=11

Or

Discuss about the educational thoughts of Illich. Critically examine the relevance of Illich's educational thought in present education. 5+6=11

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