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ASSIGNMENTS

Generic Elective (Economics)

GEEC-02

SESSION: 2019-20

SUBMISSION DATES FOR ASSIGNMENTS

S.N	Course Code	Course Title	Assignment Number	Last Date of Submission
1	GEEC-02	Indian Economy -II	I	Sunday, 24th May, 2020
2			II	Sunday, 24th May, 2020

Please read the instructions carefully before attempting assignment questions.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DOING ASSIGNMENTS

Dear Learner,

You are required to submit your assignment response within the stipulated time in order to become eligible to appear in the term-end examination. The assignments will be evaluated by the counsellors at your Study Centre. Please submit your assignment response to the Coordinator of your Study Center. For a 4 credit course, there is one Assignment and for 6/8 credit course, there must be minimum 02(two) Assignment.

Purpose of Assignments:

1. Assignments are part of the continuous evaluation process in Open and Distance Learning (ODL) system. Due weightage is given to the marks/grades you obtain in assignments. This will help you for better performance in the term-end examination. If you secure good grades/marks in assignments, your overall performance will improve.
2. Assignments are also a part of the teaching-learning process in the ODL system. Your assignment, after evaluation, will be returned back to you with specific and general comments by the evaluator. This will help you to know your strength as well as your weakness. Thus, it will establish two-way communication between learner and evaluator.

How to Write Assignments:

Please read the instructions for writing the response of an assignment before you start writing your answer.

1. Write your name, programme code, the course title, enrolment no. and study centre name with code in the top sheet of the assignment answer booklet. The format is given below.

PROGRAMME TITLE: _____

ENROLMENT No.: _____ NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

COURSE CODE: _____ COURSE TITLE: _____

ASSIGNMENT CODE: _____ STUDY CENTRE: _____

DATE: _____ SIGNATURE: _____

2. Before attempting the assignments, please go through the course materials carefully, understand the same and write answers in your own language and style.
3. Write the answers in your own handwriting. Give sufficient margin in the left side of each page so that the evaluator will give comments on each paragraph/page.
4. Your handwriting should be neat and readable.

Weightage for each Assignments:

1. Each Theory Assignment will carry 25% weightage and term-end examination will carry 75% weightage.
2. Each assignment will be of 100 marks. But it will carry 25% weightage.
3. You have to score minimum pass mark i.e. 40% or P (Pass) Grade in 10-point scale for each assignment. In case you do not submit the assignment or get fail mark in the assignment you have to re-submit in the next year.

ASSIGNMENTS -1
Indian Economy -II (GEEC-2)

Full Mark – 100

(Answer all the questions, which is Compulsory)

GROUP- 'A'

Q. No. 1 Answer within one word or one sentence each **Marks: 1 × 10= 10**

a) What do you mean by composition of trade?
b) What do you mean by Balance of Trade?
c) What is the full form of TRIPs?
d) What is the full form of TRIMs?
e) What do you mean by Copy Right?
f) What is the full form of FERA?
g) What is the full form of FEMA?
h) What do you mean by Tariffs?
i) What do you mean by volume of trade?
j) What do you mean by Import intensity?

Group 'B'

Q.No 2.Short answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 100 Words) Marks: 2 X 10 = 20

a) What are the causes of slow growth of exports in India?
b) What do you mean by Balance of Payment?
c) Distinguish between Current Account and Capital Account of Balance of Payments (BOP).
d) What do you mean by Patent?
e) What do you mean by Trademarks?
f) Distinguish between Term Deposits and Current Deposits.
g) What do you mean by Bridge Loans?
h) What do you mean by Priority Sectors?
i) What do you mean by Exposure Norms?
j) Highlight the role of Lead Bank in India.

Group 'C'

Q.No 3. Medium answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 200 Words) Marks: 3 X 10 = 30

a) Discuss the role of export promotion?
b) Discuss how WTO agreement has impacted the Indian economy.
c) Mention the key features of Foreign Trade Policy 2015-20.
d) State and explain various measures of Export Promotion.
e) Explain various causes of BOP deficits..
f) Discuss the functions of Commercial Bank.
g) Distinguish between development bank and commercial bank. Who regulates and supervise the Development Banks?
h) What are the factors responsible for the absolute rise in the size of Deposits?
i) Write a short note on National Housing Bank.
j) Write a short note on EXIM Bank.

Group 'D'

Q.No 4.Long answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 300 Words) Marks: 10 X 4 = 40

a) Explain the role of foreign trade in India.
b) Highlight the direction of India's foreign trade.
c) Discuss the Regulatory and Promotional Functions of Reserve Bank of India.
d) Discuss the functions of NABARD.

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ASSIGNMENTS -2
Indian Economy -II (GEEC-2)

Full Mark – 100

(Answer all the questions, which is Compulsory)

GROUP- 'A'

Q. No. 1 Answer within one word or one sentence each **Marks: 1 × 10= 10**

a) What is Revenue Deficit?
b) What is "Fiscal Deficit"?
c) What is "Primary Deficit".
d) What is Overall Budget Deficit?
e) What do you mean by Capital outlays?
f) What do you mean by Absolute Poverty"?
g) What do you mean by Galloping Inflation?
h) What do you mean by Denationalisation?
i) What do you mean by Privatisation?
j) Define Inflationary Gap.

Group 'B'

Q.No 2. Short answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 100 Words) Marks: 2 X 10 = 20

a) What do you mean by Capital Gains Tax?
b) What do you mean by Customs duty?
c) According to Income Tax Act of 1961, what are the major heads of Income under which income tax in imposed on the individuals and corporations.
d) Discuss the theoretical perspective of budget deficit propounded by Keynesian School.
e) Discuss the theoretical perspective of budget deficit propounded by Neoclassical School.
f) What do you mean by Direct Business Investment?
g) What do you mean by Portfolio Investment?
h) How does inflation affect the wage earners?
i) Mention two problems associated with import of technology.
j) State the characteristics of Multinational Corporations?

Group 'C'

Q.No 3. Medium answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 200 Words) Marks: 3 X 10 = 30

a) Write a short note on "Contingency Fund".
b) State the main advantages of VAT over sales tax.
c) State the major objectives of Taxation in the context of India.
d) Discuss the main characteristics of a good tax structure.
e) Write a short note on "Monetized Deficit"
f) Explain various fiscal measures that may be useful in controlling Inflation.
g) Discuss the significance of Multinational Corporations.
h) Explain the Vicious Circle Theory of Poverty.

i) State the major causes of Environmental Degradation.
j) Explain the role of Indian Judiciary in Protecting the Environment.

Group 'D'

Q.No 4. Long answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 300 Words) Marks: 10 X 4 = 40

a) Explain the Main Objectives of Fiscal Policy?
b) Distinguish between Demand Pull and Cost Push Inflation.
c) Explain the implications of Budget Deficit and Budget Surplus.
d) Explain various Poverty Alleviation Program introduced by The Government of India.

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