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ASSIGNMENTS

**Post Graduate Diploma in Rural Management
(PGDRM)**

Course Code: RM-09 to RM-12

SESSION: 2019-20

Please read the instructions carefully before attempting assignment questions.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DOING ASSIGNMENTS

Dear Learner,

Welcome to the Rural Management Programmes offered by Odisha State Open University, Sambalpur.

You are required to submit one assignment for 4 credit course 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 Coordinator of the Study Centre. Before you attempt the assignments, please go through the course materials carefully. Please read the instructions pertaining to an assignment before your start writing your answer. Do not copy from the course material or from any other source. You are advised to read the material carefully, understand the same and write answers in your own language and style so that you will get good marks/grades.

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 ODL. 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 a 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.

Your handwriting should be neat and readable

Weightage for each assignment:

1. Each 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% in each assignment. In case you do not submit assignment or get fail mark in assignment you have to re-submit in the next year.

SUBMISSION DATES FOR ASSIGNMENTS

First Semester

Course code	Course Title	Credit	Assignment	Last Date of Submission
RM-01	Rural Society	4	I	20 th October 2019
RM-02	Management Principles and Applications	4	I	20 th October 2019
RM-03	Rural Development in India (Central & State Govt. Schemes)	4	I	20 th October 2019
RM-04	Rural Social Problems	4	I	20 th October 2019
Second Semester				
RM-05	Marketing and Retail Management	4	I	20 th October 2019
RM-06	Finance and Accounting for Management	4	I	20 th October 2019
RM-07	Human Resources Management(HRM) and Organisational Behaviour(OB)	4	I	20 th October 2019
RM-08	Information Technology for Business	4	I	20 th October 2019
Third Semester				
RM-09	Rural Development Institutions	4	I	17 th November 2019
RM-10	Participatory Rural Appraisal & Entrepreneurship	4	I	17 th November 2019
RM-11	Rural Resource Management	4	I	17 th November 2019
RM-12	Management of Risk	4	I	17 th November 2019

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RM-09-Rural Development Institutions

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) Write the full form of RTI.
- b) Write the full form of CBOs.
- c) Write one objective of CBOs.
- d) What is planning?
- e) Write the first level of planning.
- f) What is micro planning?
- g) Write one objective of decentralization of planning.
- h) Write the full form of PRIs.
- i) In which year your 73rd constitutional amendment act came into force?
- j) Write one principle of cooperation.

Group 'B'

Q.No 2.Short answer-type Questions (Word Limit:100 Words)

Marks:5 X 4 = 20

- a) Write the various structures of Panchayat Raj Institutions.
- b) Discuss different types of cooperatives.
- c) Highlight the different types of planning.
- d) Explain the objectives of Right to Information.

Group 'C'

Q.No 3. Medium answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 200 Words)

Marks: 10 X 4 = 40

- a) Highlights the significance of CBOs in Rural Development.
- b) Discuss the role of RTI in Rural Development.
- c) Explain the concept micro level planning.
- d) Discuss the Functions of PRIs.

Group 'D'

Q.No 4.Long answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 300 Words)

Marks: 15 X 2 = 30

- a) Explain the evolution of PRIs.
- b) Discuss the various functions of planning.

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RM-10- Participatory Rural Appraisal & Entrepreneurship

Full Mark – 100

(Answer all the questions, which is Compulsory)

Group-A (1x10=10 Marks)

1. Answer in one word for each.

- a. What is Case study method?
- b. What is Questionnaire?
- c. What is observation?
- d. What is PRA?
- e. What is Rural Economy?
- f. State one technique of data collection.
- g. What is sampling?
- h. What is industrialization?
- i. Mention one strategy to improve rural industrialization?
- j. Mention one function of Women entrepreneur?
- k. What is the full form of NRCW?
- l. What is white revolution?
- m. What is floriculture?

Group-B (5x4= 20 Marks)

2. Answer in 50 words for each.

- a) Brief about the steps of case study.
- b) Discuss the various types of data.
- c) What is decentralization?
- d) What is Matshyajibi Unnayan Yojana?

Group-C (10x4=40 Marks)

3. Answer in 200 words for each.

- a) Distinguish between Questionnaires and Interview.
- b) Describe the importance of sampling in Social Research.
- c) Discuss the significance of social research in rural sector.
- d) What are the problems in Rural Entrepreneurship

Group-D (15x2=30 Marks)

4. Answer in 300 words for each.

- a) Write an essay on different tools of data collection.
- b) Explain Joint Forest Management in detail?

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RM-11- Rural Resource Management

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) Write one impact of energy on rural life.
- b) Write one policy for forest resource.
- c) Write one policy of water resources.
- d) Write one factor of ecological setting.
- e) Write one cause of population explosion.
- f) What is air pollution?
- g) Write one reason of water pollution.
- h) What is ecology?
- i) State one cause of soil pollution
- j) What is ethnology?

Group 'B'

Q.No 2.Short answer-type Questions (Word Limit:100 Words)

Marks:5 X 4 = 20

- a) Write short notes on land resources.
- b) Discuss different types of water policies.
- c) Discuss on the different natural resources.
- d) Write short notes on natural resource management.

Group 'C'

Q.No 3. Medium answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 200 Words)

Marks: 10 X 4 = 40

- a) Highlights the significance of natural resource management.
- b) Discuss the different causes of air pollution.
- c) Write short notes on forest resource management in rural India.
- d) Discuss the various water policies.

Group 'D'

Q.No 4.Long answer-type Questions (Word Limit: 300Words)

Marks: 15 X 2 = 30

- a) Define the term energy resources and discuss its various policies.
- b) What is population explosion? Describe its various causes

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RM-12- Management of Risk

Full Mark – 100

(Answer all the questions, which is Compulsory)

Group-A (1x10=10 Marks)

1. Answer in one word for each.

- a) What do you mean by risk?
- b) What is social inclusion?
- c) What is financial inclusion?
- d) What is environmental inclusion?
- e) What is NRLM?
- f) Mention one feature of NRLM?
- g) What is the main objective of PIP?
- h) What is the full form of RSETI?
- i) What is the full form of SHG?
- j) Indian state has been conceptualized as a ‘_____ State’.

Group-B (5x4= 20 Marks)

2. Answer in 50 words for each.

- a) What is the basic objective of risk management?
- b) Give a short note on social exclusion.
- c) Give a short note on Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana
- d) Briefly explain the key features of Aajeevika Skills?

Group-C (10x4=40 Marks)

3. Answer in 200 words for each.

- a) Discuss the need for integration of risks.
- b) What are the different types of Social Inclusion process?
- c) What are the Major macro benefits as consequences of financial exclusion in micro enterprises?
- d) What are the main objectives of Scheduled Castes Development Corporation?

Group-D (15x2=30 Marks)

4. Answer in 300 words for each.

- a) Why financial inclusion is important in India?
- b) What are the major objectives of Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC)?