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ASSIGNMENTS

Course Code: RM-09 to RM-12

SESSION: 2020-21

Programme Name: Post Graduate Diploma in Rural Management (PGDRM)

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 both 4 credit 6 credit courses within the stipulated time in order to become eligible to appear in the Term-End Examination. The assignments will be evaluated by the counselors 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 center name with code in the top sheet of the assignment answer booklet. The format is given below.

PROGRAMMETITLE: _____

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**Semester-III**

Course code	Course Title	Credit	Submission Date
RM-09	Rural Development Institutions	4	Sunday -21st March 2021
RM-10	Participatory Rural Appraisal & Entrepreneurships	4	Sunday -21st March 2021
RM-11	Rural Resource Management	4	Sunday -21st March 2021
RM-12	Management Risk	4	Sunday -21st March 2021

ASSIGNMENT – I
Course-RM-09 (Rural Development Institution)

Full Marks: 100

Credits-04

(Answer all questions from Group- 'A', Group – 'B', Group-C and Group-D.)

GROUP 'A'

No. 1 Answer all the questions, each within one word or one sentences

Marks: 1x10=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 your 73rd constitutional amendment act came into force?
- j) Write one principle of cooperation.

GROUP 'B'

No.2 (Answer all questions within 100 words)

Marks: 5x4=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'

No.3 (Answer all questions each within 200 words)

Marks: 10x4=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'

No.4 (Answer all questions each within 300 words)

Marks: 15x2=30

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

ASSIGNMENT – II

Course-RM-10 (Participatory Rural Appraisal & Entrepreneurship)

Full Marks: 100

Credits-04

(Answer all questions from Group- 'A', Group – 'B', Group-C and Group-D.)

GROUP 'A'

No. 1 Answer all the questions, each within one word or one sentences

Marks: 1x10=10

- 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?

GROUP 'B'

No.2 (Answer all questions within 100 words)

Marks: 5x4=20

- 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'

No.3 (Answer all questions each within 200 words)

Marks: 10x4=40

- 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'

No.4 (Answer all questions each within 300 words)

Marks: 15x2=30

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

ASSIGNMENT – III
Course-RM-11 (Rural Resource Management)

Full Marks: 100

Credits-04

(Answer all questions from Group- 'A', Group – 'B', Group-C and Group-D.)

GROUP 'A'

No. 1 Answer all the questions, each within one ward or one sentences

Marks: 1x10=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'

No.2 (Answer all questions within 100 words)

Marks: 5x4=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'

No.3 (Answer all questions each within 200 words)

Marks: 10x4=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'

No.4 (Answer all questions each within 300 words)

Marks: 15x2=30

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

ASSIGNMENT – IV
Course-RM-12 (Management of Risk)

Full Marks: 100

Credits-04

(Answer all questions from Group- 'A', Group – 'B', Group-C and Group-D.)

GROUP 'A'

No. 1 Answer all the questions, each within one word or one sentences

Marks: 1x10=10

- 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'

No.2 (Answer all questions within 100 words)

Marks: 5x4=20

- 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'

No.3 (Answer all questions each within 200 words)

Marks: 10x4=40

- 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'

No.4 (Answer all questions each within 300 words)

Marks: 15x2=30

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