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Pedagogic Course - EDU403.17 - PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF A PHYSICAL SCIENCE TEACHER

2018 Admission Onwards

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Time: 2 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

Part A

Answer all questions

Each question carries 1 mark.

- List any two duties of a Science teacher.
- 2. Mention two types of research that a teacher can do.
- 3. What is your vision as a physical science teacher?
- 4. Why professional development is recommended for teachers?
- Give two importance of continuous professional development.
- 6. What is a Seminar?
- 7. What is reflective practice?
- 8. What is a Field trip?
- 9. Write any one research topic from instructional strategies in physical science.
- Name two strategies to teach students with diverse learning needs and talents.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any five questions in about half a page Each question carries 2 marks.

11. Briefly describe teacher competencies related to working with parents.





- 12. Why is inservice programmes essential for science teachers?
- 13. What is reflection? Why is it important in teaching?
- 14. What are the objectives of a Science club?
- 15. What are the new research trends in assessment practices in science learning?
- Mention any two social issues in science education.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$

Part C

Answer any **five** questions in about **one or two pages**Each question carries **4 marks**.

- Explain accountability of a teacher towards community and nation.
- 18. What do you mean by professional organisations for teachers? Give examples of professional organisations for Science teachers and state their role in developing professionalism.
- 19. Can we think of E- twinning in the Indian context? What would be the advantages of having E-twinning in India.
- 20. Discuss the importance of reflective practices in assessment.
- 21. Explain the role of reflection in meeting the challenges in Science teaching.
- 22. Write a short note on Science Olympiad.
- 23. Explain the role of games in science learning. Illustrate with example.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

Part D

Answer any **one** question in about **three or four pages.**Each question carries **10** marks.

- 24. What do you mean by professional ethics? Explain its significance in teaching profession. Explain the code of professional ethics for school teachers.
- 25. 'Infusing soft skills in the curriculum of teacher education is the need of the profession for it to be successful'. Justify this statement with proper explanation.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$

