

M.Ed.Spl.Ed.(I.D.) Syllabus

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Curriculum Framework

Master of Education - Special Education M.Ed.Spl.Ed.

Norms, Regulations & Course Content

May, 2015

Effective from Academic Session 2015-16
Two Years Duration



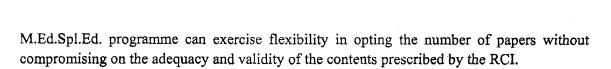
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VIII. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSTITUTIONS TO IMPLEMENT M.ED. SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Colleges and Universities offering B.Ed. Spl.Ed. programme alone are eligible for offering M.Ed. Spl.Ed. programme.

IX. DURATION OF THE COURSE

The duration of the Course is of four Semesters, that is, two academic years, which can be completed in a maximum of three years from the date of admission to the programme.

X. WORKING DAYS AND ATTENDANCE

The programme will be conducted for at least 200 working days each year exclusive of the period of examination and admission. The institution shall work for a minimum of thirty six hours in a week (five or six days), during which physical presence in the institution of all the teachers and student teachers is necessary to ensure their availability for advice, guidance, dialogue and consultation as and when needed.

The minimum attendance of Student-Teachers shall have to be 80% for all course work, 90% for all practicum, and 100% for school internship (5% attendance may be condoned by the head of institution on genuine grounds).

XI. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION

The admission for the degree of M.Ed. Spl.Ed. degree shall be open to:

- a) A candidate who has successfully passed B.Ed Spl.Ed. with minimum 50% marks in respective disability area from a recognized university or any other degree considered equivalent to B.Ed Spl. Ed. from an affiliating university and/ or teaching department under any University recognized by U.G.C. with RCI registration.
- b) A candidate who has successfully passed the B.Ed. General course and has successfully completed Diploma in Education Special Education in respective disability area recognized by the Rehabilitation Council of India with minimum 50 percent marks in each course.
- c) A candidate having passed PG Diploma⁴ (Till Academic session 2014-15)
- d) A candidate with B.Ed. in particular specialization may be allowed for M.Ed. cross disability/ multicategory (as and when offered) but the reverse is not allowed. B.Ed. with multi-category should not be admitted for specialization in a single disability at the M.Ed. level, however; as part of CBCS, these can be admitted to B.Ed. Spl. Edu. Area C Courses

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⁴ RCI's Communication of 20/04/15 & 09/10/09 Regarding Equivalence of Programme with B.Ed.Spl.Ed.(See Annexure-1)

and complete the Specialization Courses to qualify for a particular disability. On completion of Area C, these can be admitted to the M.Ed. Spl.Ed in a specific disability.

- d) A student with B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. B.Ed.Spl.Ed. (4 years Integrated)
- e) Candidate should have valid RCI registration.

XII. ADMISSION

Admission Procedure: as per University norms.

XIII. PROGRAMME PATTERN

The programme has been developed on Semester basis. RCI has earmarked 2000 marks for M.Ed.Spl.Ed. programme in view of disability specific specialization.

XIV. PASSING MINIMUM

Minimum 50 % marks or grade 'B' are essential in all courses for passing in the programme (Grace Marks as per University norms).

XV. NATURE OF EVALUATION

Internal & External As per University norms; RCI as Statutory body recommends that the cut-off marks for grade B shall not be less than 50% and for grade B+, it should not be less than 55% under the absolute grading system. Internal assessment for Theory Courses will not exceed 20% and 50% in the practicum wherever applicable.

XVI. TRANSITORY REGULATIONS

Whenever a course or scheme of instruction is changed in a particular year, two more examinations immediately following thereafter shall be conducted according to the old syllabus/ regulations. Candidates not appearing at the examinations or failing in them shall take the examinations subsequently according to the changed syllabus/ regulations/As per University norms.

XVII. FACULTY-STUDENT RATIO.

The faculty-student ratio in the area of M.Ed.Spl.Ed. may be 1:10, as per the RCI norms. Considering the infrastructural facilities needed for Special Education and based on the tasks such as supervising practicum, a maximum number of 15 students may be admitted for the M.Ed.Spl.Ed. programme subject to prior permission of the RCI.

XVIII. FACULTY NORMS

The existing faculty norms will be applicable only for the first year of the academic session 2015-16. Revised norms will be applicable from the academic session 2016-17 onwards (second year of the course starting in 2015-16 onwards).

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XIX. INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES

It is desirable that institutions have their own building. The building & the plot should ideally be in the name of Institution/ Society/ Trust. In case of rented building, the institution must have a rent agreement for a period extending up to the date of completion of the proposed training program (whenever the training program is proposed to be started). However, in either case, the institution should have minimum 1000 sq. metres area and shall consist of 500 sq. metres built up area for the first proposed training program. For each additional course, 300 sq. metres additional built up area is required. For example, for one course 500 sq. metres built up area, for two courses (500+300) sq. metres and so on.

- Lecture Hall / Classrooms Minimum 3 rooms accommodating 10 students is the basic requirement (minimum one Additional classroom for each additional programme)
- Multipurpose Hall 1
- Staff Room 1
- Resource Room* 1(Existing facility of B.Ed. May be used)
- HOD / Principal Room 1
- Administrative Room 1
- Library (with minimum five journal in respective discipline) 1
- ICT − 1
- Disabled Friendly gender- wise washrooms

*Space for Resource Room – it should be large enough to include disability as well as health, physical education, yoga, drama, etc., w.r.t. to children with disabilities.

XX. CERTIFICATION AS A REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL

It is mandatory as per Section 13 of RCI Act for every teacher of special education to obtain a "Registered Professional Certificate" from the Rehabilitation Council of India to work in the field of special education in India. As continuous professional growth is necessary for the renewal of the certificate, the teachers as well as educators in special education should undergo in-service programme periodically to update their professional knowledge. Amendments, if any, to the regulations of the course will be made periodically by the Rehabilitation Council of India. Any deviation from the above regulations should have the prior approval of the Rehabilitation Council of India.

The successful students will be registered as Special Educator (Professional). The training institution/organization should ensure that all passed out students are registered with the Council.

XXI. AWARD OF DEGREE

The affiliating Universities will award degree in Master of Education Special Education (Area of Specialisation). The areas of specialisation provided are Hearing Impairment (HI)/ Learning Disability (LD)/ Mental Retardation (MR)/ Visual Impairment (VI). For example in the area of hearing impairment the degree awarded will be *M.Ed.Spl.Ed.* (HI). While issuing degree certificate, the Universities should clearly spell out the area of specialization

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AREA A - CORE COURSES

Course Code	Title	Credits	Marks
A 1	Developments in Education and Special Education	4	100
A2	Psychology of Development and Learning	4	100
A3	Research Methodology and Statistics	4	100
A4	Curriculum Design & Development	4	100
A5	Inclusive Education	4	100
A6	Perspectives in Teacher Education - In-service & Pre-service	4	100
A7	Educational Evaluation	4	100
	Total	28	700

AREA B - SPECIALIZATION COURSES

Course Code	Title	Credit	Marks
B8	Identification, Assessment and Needs of Children with*	4	100
B9	Curriculum And Teaching Strategies for Children with*	4	100
B10	Adulthood and Family Issues	4	100
B11	Therapeutics and Assistive Devices**	4	100
	Total	16	400

^{*}Specific Disability in which M.Ed.Spl.Ed. Programme is being offered.

AREA C - ELECTIVE COURSES

Note: Any one to be offered

Course Code	Title	Credit	Marks
C12	Educational Management	4	100
C13	Educational Technology	4	100
C14	Guidance and Counselling	4	100
	Total	4	100

AREA D - DISSERTATION

Course Code	Title	Credit	Marks
D	Dissertation	16	400

AREA E - PRACTICAL RELATED TO SPECIFIC DISABILITY

Course Code	Title	Credit	Marks
E1	Related to Specific Disability	4	100
E2		4	100

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^{**} As per the need of disability different title has been used.

system. Internal assessment for Theory Courses will not exceed 20% and 50% in the practicum wherever applicable.

Duration

The Course/programme will be of two years with 2 semesters in each year. Each semester will be of 16-18 weeks; 2 weeks in summer and 2 weeks in inter semester break will also be utilized for covering the courses. In this way, the following operational weeks will be available for transacting the course:

Year 1-16-18 weeks for two semesters + 2 weeks in summer

Year 2-16-18 weeks for two semesters + 2 weeks in inter-semester breaks

This comes to 64-72 weeks + 6 weeks for field activities/skill development with 40 credits in each year.

V. PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

STRUCTURE FOR 4 SEMESTERS (2 YEARS)

Code	Area	Courses	Credits
A	Core courses	7	28
В	Specialization Courses	4	16
С	Elective Courses	1	04
D	Dissertation	1	16
E	Practical I	2	08
F	Practical II	2	08
	Total	17	80

Specialisation offered (with specific reference to Area B)

The M. Ed. Spl. Ed. programme is presently being offered in following specializations:

- I. Hearing Impairment (HI)
- II. Learning Disability(LD)
- III. Mental Retardation / Intellectual Disability3 (MR/ID)
- IV. Visual Impairment (VI)

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² Course planning for other disability area will be initiated in 2016.

³ Mental Retardation/Intellectual Disability is being suggested as per Draft RPWD Bill, 2014.

AREA F - PRACTICAL II

Course Code	Title	Credit	Marks
F1	Field Engagement / Internship as a Teacher Trainer	4 -	. 100
F2	, -	4	100

SEMESTER-WISE STRUCTURE

SEMESTER I

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	INTERNAL MARKS	EXTERNAL MARKS	TOTAL MARKS
A1	Developments in Education and Special Education	. 4	20	80	100
A2	Psychology of Development and Learning	4	20	80	100
В8	Identification, Assessment and Needs of Children with	4	20	80	100
В9	Curriculum And Teaching Strategies for Children with	4	20	80	100
E1	Practical related to disability	4	100 `	00	100
	TOTAL	20			500

Engagement with field as part of courses indicated below:

Sl. No.	Task for the Teacher Educators	Course	Place
1	Assignment / Project	A1	Institute
2	Assignment / Project	A2	Institute
3	Assessment & Identification of	B7 & B8	Clinic / School, etc
	Needs	(Specific disabilities)	

SEMESTER II

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	INTERNAL	EXTERNAL	TOTAL
CODE	·		MARKS	MARKS	MARKS
A3	Research Methodology and Statistics	4	20	80	100
A4	Curriculum Design & Development	4	20	80	100
A5	Inclusive Education	4	20	80	100
B11	Therapeutics and Assistive Devices	4	20	80	100
E2	Practical related to disability	4	100	00	100
	TOTAL	20			500

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Engagement with field as part of courses as indicated below:

Sl. No.	Task for the Teacher Educators	Course	Place
1	Assignment / Project / Presentation	A3	Institute
2	Assignment / Project / Presentation	A5 3	Institute/ Special/ Inclusive
3	Assignment / Project / Presentation	A6	school
4	Assignment / Project / Presentation	B10	

SEMESTER III

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	INTERNAL	EXTERNAL	TOTAL
CODE		j	MARKS	MARKS	MARKS
A6	Perspectives in Teacher	4	20	80	100
	Education – In-service &	İ			
	Pre-service	1			
A7	Educational Evaluation	4	20	80	100
B10	Adulthood and Family	4	20	80	100
	Issues				
	ELECTIVE COURSES	4	20	80	100
· .	(Any one):		31		
C12	Educational Management				
C13	Educational Technology				
C14	Guidance and Counselling				
D	Dissertation*	2			
F1	Field Engagement/	4	100	00	100
	Internship as a Teacher				
	Educators				
	TOTAL	22	·		500

^{*}Marks to be allocated in the fourth semester. Teacher Educators need to select a problem for investigations and provide the necessary supportive and explanatory information as needed. Teacher Educators need to present the synopsis of their work.

Engagement with field as part of course as indicated below:

Sl. No.	Task for the Teacher Educators	Course	se Place Institute/School	
1	Assignment/ Project/ Presentation	A4		
2	Assignment/ Project/ Presentation	B9	Institute/School	
3	Assignment/ Project/ Presentation	C11	Institute/School	
4	Assignment/ Project/ Presentation	C12	Institute/ School	
5	Assignment/ Project/ Presentation	D13	Institute/ School	
6	Assignment/ Project/ Presentation	D14	Institute/ School	

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SEMESTER IV

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	INT MARKS	EXT MARKS	TOTAL MARKS
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D	Dissertation*	14	200	200	400
F2	Field Engagement / Internship as a Teacher Trainer	4	. 50	50	100
	TOTAL	18			500

* Note: Suggestive/As per the University Regulations

- Complete a review of related research literature in accordance with the research problems.
- Explain and describe the methodology used to conduct the research problem.
- Explain the significance of the results obtained after conducting the research study.
- Summarize the results, explain the corresponding conclusions derived and the subsequent recommendations formulated for further research and practice.
- Provide a list of references, other supportive documentation used for the study.
- Make an oral presentation on the completed work.

Area E- Practical Related to Disability

- 1. Elicit information from parents and professionals the relevant information about one child with Specific Disability.
- 2. Assess the child with Specific Disability, using formal and informal tools and identify the specific learning problems.
- 3. Write a comprehensive assessment report by analyzing and interpreting the data.
- 4. Develop an appropriate educational plan (current level, annual goals, short term objectives, methods and material and evaluation).
- 5. Collaborate with the class teachers and related professional to implement the IEP.
- 6. Implement IEP for a period of minimum 15 sessions (each session lasting for not less than 45 minutes).
- 7. Make class visits to support the student when the regular teacher teaches and collaborate with the class teachers.
- 8. Evaluate the child and write a report.

Area F- Field Engagement/ Internship as Teacher Educators

Each student trainee is expected to teach 10 lectures in Third & Fourth Semester to student trainees undergoing training in B.Ed.Spl.Ed. level in topics from the curriculum of B.Ed. Spl. Ed.

VII. ADEQUACY OF THE SPECIAL EDUCATION SYLLABUS

The syllabus prescribed at the M.Ed.Spl.Ed. level is on the basis of minimum requirements and therefore, Universities and Colleges of Education/ Institutes implementing the

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SEMESTER -I

DEVELOPMENTS IN EDUCATION AND SPECIAL EDUCATION

Course Code: A 1 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

This course will enable learners to explore education both general and special from historical perspective leading to contemporary India. The course also includes various commissions and policies and issues and trends in the field of education, special education and inclusive education in the national and international contexts covering all aspects of quantity and quality.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Trace development of general and special education system (PwDs) in India.
- Appreciate implications of recommendations made by the various Committees and Commissions for educational (General and Special) developments in India.
- Develop insight into the issues and challenges of present day education system.
- Understand important quality related issues which need to be taken into account for revision/development of new education policy.

Unit 1: An Overview of Development of Education System

- 1.1 Shaping of Education in Pre-Independence India
- 1.2 Shaping of Education in Post-Independence India
- 1.3 Emerging Education in India and in the Global Context
- 1.4 Perspectives of Education for the Persons with Disabilities
- 1.5 Constitutional Provisions and Directive Principles Related to Education and Special Education

Unit 2: Issues in Indian Education with Special Reference to Persons with Disabilities

- 2.1 Accessibility to School, Curriculum & Learning Resources and Attitudinal Barriers
- 2.2 Analysis of the Status of Elementary & Secondary Education for All. (SSA, RMSA,) and Issues for Bridging Gaps
- 2.3 Ensuring Equity Principles across Disabilities, Gender, Caste, Socially Disadvantaged Groups, Marginalized and their Specific Educational Problems
- 2.4 Challenges of Special Education, Inclusion, Systemic Reforms, Provisions and Support System, Public Private Partnership & NGO Initiatives
- 2.5 Support Systems to Meet Diverse Learning Needs- Family, Community, School, Peer, Administrative and Resource Support

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Unit 3: Policies and Legislations for Education & Special Education Development of Special Education in India

- 3.1 National Legislations (RCI Act 1992, PWD Act 1995, National Trust Act, Biwako Millennium Framework)
- 3.2 International Legislations for Special Education and International Organisations (UNESCAP, UNCRPD, WHO, UNICEF, NESCO, UNDP, Action Aid, CBM)
- 3.3 National Policies (POA 1992, SSA, RMSA and RUSA) & Government Schemes and Provisions for Persons with Disabilities
- 3.4 Role of Governmental and non-governmental agencies in general and special education
- 3.5 Current issues- Identifications, Labelling, cultural and linguistic diversity & advocacy

Unit 4: Quality Issues in Education

- 4.1 Indicators of quality related to teaching learning strategies, classroom environment, and Student Assessment
- 4.2 Linking pedagogy with curriculum, contextual constructivism
- 4.3 Ensuring standards in Open & Distance Learning system Non-formal education, face-to-face vs. Distance mode
- 4.4 Special and Inclusive education Adopting flexible strategies for the acquisition and use of inputs and monitoring performance in inclusive set up
- 4.5 Quality enhancement in service delivery and community rehabilitation

Unit 5: Current Trends and Future Perspective

- 5.1 Education as a development indicator, and enhancer of development indicators
- 5.2 Education for sustainable development & Right based approach
- 5.3 International curriculum framework in the light of changing priorities and international perspectives
- 5.4 Education for conservation of environment and social change
- 5.5 Education for individual and national development

Course Work/ Assignments

- Trace development of education in India during pre-Independence
- Identify Constitutional provisions ensuring equity and protection of human rights as well as non-discrimination
- Study factors influencing special education as a discipline in India
- Identify quality related issues of your State and suggest strategies to address them

Suggested Readings

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PSYCHOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT AND LEARNING

Course Code: A 2 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

This course exposes learners to the critical understanding of theoretical perspectives of development and implications for in teaching learning process. Through close observation of children in their natural environments would situate the theoretical knowledge within realistic frames. This course would also be able to equip them to reflect and critique the cognitive and information processing.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Explain the psychological principles and their application in specific context of education and special education.
- Explain the principles and their implication for growth and development.
- Critically analyse the process from the point of view of cognitive psychology.
- Explain role of motivation in learning, learning processes and theories of personality.
- Apply psychological aspects to teaching learning situations.

Unit 1: Overview Educational Psychology

- 1.1 Nature and scope of educational psychology
- 1.2 Principles of educational psychology
- 1.3 Methods of Educational Psychology
 - 1.3.1 Observation
 - 1.3.2 Experimental method
 - 1.3.3Correlational
 - 1.3.4 Clinical
 - 1.3.5 Case Study
- 1.4 Applications of educational psychology to person with disabilities
- 1.5 Contemporary trends

Unit 2: Understanding the Development of the Learner

- 2.1 Concept of Growth and Development
- 2.2 Methods of studying development: Longitudinal, Cross-sectional, Cohort sequence
- 2.3 Physical, social, emotional, moral development, play and language development
- 2.4 Cognitive Development: Piaget, Vygotsky and Kohlberg
- 2.5 Factors affecting Growth and Development

Unit 3: Cognition and Information Processing

- 3.1 Sensation, Perception and Attention
- 3.2 Memory Nature and types, factors affecting memory

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- 3.3 Thinking: Concept Formation, Reasoning, Problem solving
- 3.4 Intelligence: Nature, types, theories and assessment
 - 3.4.1 Creativity
- 3.5 Individual differences and its educational implications for children with disabilities

Unit 4: Motivation, Learning and Personality

- 4.1 Concept, definition and theories of Motivation
- 4.2 Classical and Contemporary Learning Theories: Behavioural, Cognitive and Social
- 4.3 Concept, definition and principles of personality development
- 4.4 Personality Theories-
 - 4.4.1 Psychoanalytic-Freud & Neo-Freudians, Trait, Humanistic
 - 4.4.2 Assessment of Personality
- 4.5 Implications in teaching-learning with reference to children with disabilities

Unit 5: Psychological Aspects of Teaching

- 5.1 Individual differences in cognitive and affective areas and its educational Implications
- 5.2 Classroom climate, group dynamics
- 5.3 Peer tutoring, co-operative learning, self-regulated learning
- 5.4 Teacher effectiveness and competence
- 5.5 Guiding children with disabilities

Course Work/ Assignments/ Practicum

- Plan and conduct a survey about attitudes/ practices regarding one or more of the following: children with disabilities, prenatal development, prenatal hazards, school drop-out, motivation of children
- Conduct an experiment with Piagetian methods of evaluating cognitive development and submit a report
- Analyze any autobiography to explain human development
- Design a behaviour modification plan for a specific child
- Present information on cognitive styles and their effects on learning

Transaction

Lecture Method, Seminar, Group Discussion, Practical and Field work

Essential readings

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IDENTIFICATION, ASSESSMENT AND NEEDS OF CHILDREN WITH MENTAL RETARDATION/INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

Course Code: B 8 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

The course aims to develop an understanding of concept, etiology and characteristics of Persons with Mental Retardation/ Intellectual Disability (PwID). The said course would also help learners to appreciate the role of professionals to address the needs of these children in a holistic manner using team approach.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Understand the concept, etiology and characteristics of Persons with Intellectual Disability (PwID).
- Use appropriate instruments for assessment of PwID.
- Describe the programming needs across different age levels of PwID.
- Utilize assessment information for educational programming, referral services and placement.
- Comprehend the emerging future needs of PwID.

Unit 1: Overview of Intellectual Disability

- 1.1 Definition, historical review, Prevalence of Intellectual Disability
- 1.2 Etiological factors of Intellectual Disability
 - 1.2.1 Biological, environmental factors
 - 1.2.2 Pre-natal, natal, post-natal causes
- 1.3 Classification of Intellectual Disability Medical, Educational, Psychological criteria for classification and issues and current practices in certification of Intellectual Disability
- 1.4 Characteristics of Intellectual Disability
- 1.5 Intellectual Disability and Associated Conditions Cerebral palsy, Autism, Sensory impairments, ADD, ADHD, Epilepsy

Unit 2: Screening, Identification, Assessment and Diagnosis

- 2.1 Introduction to existing screening, identification and assessment / techniques trends in the field of intellectual disability
- 2.2 Approaches in and types of assessment
- 2.3 Methods and tools of assessment
 - 2.3.1 Screening tools
 - 2.3.2 Early identification

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- 2.3.3 Developmental assessment tools
- 2.3.4 Intellectual various standardized assessment tools: Binet WISC VSMS DST Indian adaptations and other Indian tools
- 2.3.5 Social, Behavioral, Language and Speech Assessment Tools and other Indian tools
- 2.3.6 Special educational use of CRTs, construction, precautions to be taken for development with reference to programming
- 2.4 Introduction to existing educational assessment tools Upanayan (0 6 years), NIMH – Aarambh (Early Childhood Special Education Inclusive Package), Indian adaptation of portage guide, Madras Developmental Programming Systems NIMH-Functional Assessment Checklists for Programming (FACP) and other relevant tools
- 2.5 Implications of the above for Inclusion

Unit 3: Identification of Needs

- 3.1 Infancy and Early Childhood; El & Family involvement (NIMH Family Based Program Plan)
- 3.2 School age; placement alternative (special school, Resource Room, inclusive classroom), Multidisciplinary team collaboration and role of special education teacher
- 3.3 Transition and career development ITP (Individualized Transition Plan)
- 3.4 Vocational Development; Employment, Types; emerging Job opportunity, Placement & follow- up
- 3.5 Implications of the above for Inclusion

Unit 4: Use of Assessment Information

- 4.1 Use of assessment information Medical, Special Educational, Psychological, Therapeutic and Vocational
- 4.2 Interpretation of assessment information to develop training goals
- 4.3 Use of Support Needs Assessment for Person Centered Planning
- 4.4 Writing of assessment report: for administrative purpose, for educational Programming, for referral and for alternative placement
- 4.5 Implications of the above for Inclusion

Unit 5: Emerging and Future Issues

- 5.1 Critical analysis of Human Rights and Legal Provision International Instruments, Indian Legislations and Policies
- 5.2 Advocacy
- 5.3 Current Gender Issues Socio Cultural and Economic
- 5.4 Advances in Technology
- 5.5 Implications of the above for Inclusion

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Practicum / Assignment / Engagement (Any One)

School/Clinic/Community

- To conduct assessment of PwID using appropriate assessment tools
- To organize discussion program on role of a Special Educator in intervention from Infancy to Adulthood
- To presentation a seminar on Community Based services for ID
- To conduct orientation and sensitization program on disability issues for teachers, parents, and community members and present a report

Essential Readings

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CURRICULUM AND TEACHING STRATEGIES FOR CHILDREN WITH MENTAL RETARDATION/INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

Course Code: B 9 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Explain the principles and approaches to curriculum development and instructional program.
- Describe the various approaches for teaching students with Intellectual Disability.
- Develop Curriculum for Pre-Primary, Primary, Secondary, Pre- Vocational and Vocational Level.
- Use Instructional Program and methods in Inclusive Set ups.
- Use teaching strategies and TLMs for PwID.

Unit 1: Curriculum Development

- 1.1 Principles and Models of Curriculum development
- 1.2 Approaches to curriculum development— Developmental, Functional, Ecological, SOME approach, Systems, and Task Analytic Approach
- 1.3 Instructional design- Definition, Types, Merits and Demerits
- 1.4 Curricular Adaptation, Accommodation and Modification
- 1.5 Challenges and Implications for Inclusion

Unit 2: Teaching Approaches

- 2.1 Developmental Approaches- Montessori, Floor time
- 2.2 Multi-sensory Approach-Fernald, Orton and Gillingham
- 2.3 Behavioral Approach—Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA), Discrete Trail Training
- 2.4 Cognitive Approach—Meta-cognitive Training, Cognitive Behavior Management
- 2.5 Integration of above in Inclusive Classroom Context

Unit 3: Curricular Domains & Levels

- 3.1 Development of Curriculum at Pre-primary and Primary level- Personal, Social, Academic, Occupational and Recreational
- 3.2 Development of Curriculum at Secondary level- Personal, Social, Academic, Occupational and Recreational
- 3.3 Development of Curriculum at pre-vocational and transitional level- Personal, Social, Academic, Occupational and Recreational

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- 3.4 Development of Curriculum at Vocational level— Generic Skills and Work Related Skills, Personal skills related to routine, travel, Social Competencies, Job related behaviour— punctuality, regularity, Occupational skills— related to the job chosen (inclusive of functional academics), Health/safety skills, First Aid
- 3.5 Implications of above in Inclusion

Unit 4: Instructional Programs and Methods

- 4.1 Individualized Instruction Concept, Types and Approaches
- 4.2 Collaborative Methods Peer Tutoring, Co-operative Learning & Team teaching
- 4.3 Methods for social Inclusion, Social Skill Development & Self Regulation, Community Living, Life Skill Education
- 4.4. Universal design of Learning Definition, Principles, Approaches & Strategies
- 4.5 Integration of above for Inclusion

Unit 5: Teaching Strategies & TLM

- 5.1 Stages of learning, Principles of teaching, and Steps in teaching concepts
- 5.2 Teaching Strategies Task Analysis, Prompting & Fading, Shaping, Chairing, Reinforcement, Play way method, Project method
- 5.3 Concept and type of Teaching materials and Learning materials, Functional Aids and Criteria for selecting appropriate TLM's
- 5.4 Principles of adaptation, Adaptation of ADL material & functional academics
- 5.5 Integration of above for Inclusion

Practicum/ Assignment/ Engagement in the field (Any One)

- To present a report on adaption of curriculum for a student with Intellectual Disability in Inclusive setting
- To develop curriculum for independent living and present a report
- To present a Seminar on any of the teaching approaches.
- To develop need based learning and functional aids for PwID

Essential Readings

- Baine, D. (1988) Handicapped Children in Developing Countries, Assessment, Curriculum and Instructor. University of Alberta, Alberta
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SEMESTER I

Area E 1: Teaching Practice

Total Credits: 04 Hours: 120 Marks: 100

Each Teacher Educators is expected to prepare 8 lesson plans for classroom teaching at Diploma (4) and Graduate (4) courses, out of them 2 will be ICT based one at Diploma and one at Graduate All the lessons will be supervised by the concerned practical coordinator. Each student trainee will be allotted 2 classes for peer observation. Out of 8 lessons at least one lesson with innovative methods and one lesson with integration of technology should be considered while selecting the lessons. Out of total 8 lessons, 6 will be guided and 2 will be submitted independently by the trainees for evaluation. Trainees have to submit Teaching practice record along with the approved lesson plans with evaluation remarks signed by the practical supervisor and course coordinator of the class taught. Final lesson plan will jointly be evaluated by the external and internal examiners followed by viva-voce.

SEMESTER II

Area E 2: Preparation & Administration of Teacher Made Test (TMT)

Total Credits: 04 Hours: 120 Marks: 100

Each Teacher Educators is expected to prepare and administer the TMT under the guidance of a Supervisor. Student Trainees are expected to submit 2 copies of typed report on the same in detail consisting of conceptual background, rationale, methodology adopted in preparation of TMT. Students must present the same in a seminar mode. The performance will jointly be evaluated by the external and internal examiners followed by viva-voce.

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SEMESTER -II

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY AND STATISTICS

Course Code: A 3 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

This course aims to develop within the student a temperament for scientific thinking and research. It orients the student to the methods of conducting research, analysis of data, and enables him/her to prepare research proposal and report subscribing to the standard norms and criteria.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Develop a conceptual understanding of research, its need and ethical research practices.
- Describe the types, methods and process of research.
- Apply statistical techniques for analysis of data.
- Explain the methods and techniques of qualitative research.
- Prepare research proposal and report.

Unit 1: Scientific Knowledge and Research

- 1.1 Sources and philosophy of knowledge
- 1.2 Scientific thinking and research
- 1.3 Role of theory in research
- 1.4 Need for research in Education and Special Education
- 1.5 Ethics in research

Unit 2: Types and Methods of Research

- 2.1 Types of research-Quantitative, Qualitative, Fundamental, Applied, Action
- 2.2 Methods of Research:
 - Descriptive
 - Correlational
 - Ex-post facto
 - Experimental; Designs (i) Pre-experimental, (ii) Pre-Post designs, (iii) Quasi Experimental design, (iv) single subject design
- 2.3 Variables- Types and threats
- 2.4 Process of research- Selection of problem, Review of literature, Sampling; Types and selection process, Hypothesis
 - Instruments; tests, questionnaire, interview, observation schedule, rating scale
 - Data collection and analysis

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2.5 Standardization of research instrument- Selection of items, reliability and validity and norms

Unit 3: Methods of Quantitative Analysis

- 3.1 Parametric and non-parametric tests: Concept and difference
- 3.2 Descriptive Statistics:
 - Measures of Central Tendency
 - Correlations; Product-moment, Biserial-r, Point-biserial, Phi-coefficient, Regression analysis
- 3.3 Inferential statistics
 - Underlying concepts: Sampling error, standard error of mean, confidence level, degrees of freedom, one tail-two tail test, type I and type II errors
 - Student t- test, ANOVA, Ancova, Chi-square, Sign Test, Mann Whitney U test, Kruskal-Wallis test
- 3.4 Computer applications for analysis
- 3.5 Tabulation and graphic representation

Unit 4: Qualitative Research Methods and Analysis

- 4.1 Grounded theory
- 4.2 Ethnography and case study
- 4.3 Narrative/discourse and visual methodologies
- 4.4 Mixed method
- 4.5 Themes, coding and presentation

Unit 5: Preparing Research Proposal & Report

- 5.1 Components of research proposal
- 5.2 Presentation of proposal
- 5.3 Writing of thesis/dissertation
- 5.4 Writing technical paper for publication
- 5.5 Research management

Assignments/ Course Work/ Practicum

- Review a research paper published in refereed journal
- Prepare and present a research proposal
- Review a text book and submit a report
- Analyze a set of data using computer application

Transaction

The research concepts and processes included in this course should be taught using examples from special education and disability studies. The topics from statistics should be explained through variables, hypothesis and type of data collected in selected research studies. Evaluation may be done by asking students to select and apply suitable statistical measure to a given set of data.

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CURRICULUM DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT

Course Code: A 4 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

Changes in society constantly demand new knowledge and skills and require the continuous development of our educational system. This course will provide the trainee the foundational know-how and theoretical underpinning of curriculum development from design and implementation to evaluation and an informed and critical understanding about curriculum differentiation

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Define and identify different components of curriculum.
- Understand and analyse various approaches to curriculum development.
- Explain and demonstrate curriculum differentiation.

Unit 1: Nature of Curriculum

- 1.1 Definition and scope of curriculum
- 1.2 Bases of Curriculum-philosophical, sociological and psychological
- 1.3 Principles of curriculum transaction
- 1.4 Fundamentals of curriculum development: knowledge based, activity based, skill based and experience based
- 1.5 Historical and contemporary evolution of curriculum

Unit 2: Approaches & Types of Curriculum Development

- 2.1Developmental Approach
- 2.2 Functional Approach
- 2.3 Eclectic Approach
- 2.4 Ecological Approach
- 2.5 Expanded Core Curriculum
- 2.6 Hidden Curriculum

Unit 3: Principles of Curriculum Construction

- 3.1 Curriculum & Ideology
- 3.2 Curriculum as a Social Construct
- 3.3 Differentiating between Curriculum Design and Curriculum development
- 3.4 Theories of Curriculum Development
- 3.5 Universal Design of Learning for Curriculum Development

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Unit4: Curriculum Development & Instructional Design

- 4.1 Differentiation of Curriculum
- 4.2 Pedagogical Theories and curriculum transaction
- 4.3 Material and Instructional Adaptations
- 4.4 Assessment and Evaluation

Unit 5: Critical Issues in Curriculum

- 5.1 Organisation of learning opportunities for diverse needs
- 5.2 Designing integrated and inter-disciplinary learning experiences
- 5.3 Collaborative curriculum
- 5.4 Alignment of curriculum and modes of assessment
- 5.5 Curricular trends

Transaction

Group discussion, lecture-cum-discussion, panel discussion, school visits and teaching observations, individual assignment of lesson planning based on learning needs in the classroom.

Course Work/ Practical/ Field Engagement

- Write a 2000 word essay describing a curriculum in action in an inclusive school
- Adapt any one lesson in collaboration with a regular teacher within a secondary school text book (using one of the approaches to curriculum development) to meet the needs of children with disabilities

Essential Readings

- Aggarwal, D. (2007). Curriculum development: Concept, Methods and Techniques. Book Enclave, New Delhi.
- Alexander, R. J. (2001). Culture and pedagogy: International comparisons in primary education. Oxford and Boston, Blackwell.
- Daniels, H., & Goodland, J. (1979). Curriculum Enquiry the Study of Curriculum Practices. McGraw Hill, New York.
- Daniels, H., & Porter, J. (2011). Educational theories, cultures and learning: A critical perspective. Routledge, London.
- Ornstein, A. C., Pojak, E. F., & Ornstein, S. B. (2006). Contemporary issues in curriculum. Allyn & Bacon, Boston.
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- Jacobs, H. H. (1997). Mapping the Big Picture: Integrating Curriculum and Assessment K-12 (Professional Development). Association for Supervision & Curriculum Development, Alexandria.
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INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

Course Code: A 5 Credits: 04

Marks: 100 Hours: 60

Introduction

This course will prepare teacher trainees to develop insights into models, evolution, current issues and strategies for developing inclusive learning environments. This course will promote collaborative skills in the trainees in order to address special learning needs in the classroom.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Explain the philosophical, sociological and rights perspective of inclusive education.
- Develop skills in using a wide range of tools, instructional strategies, and social supports to assist students with disabilities learn effectively.
- Develop the skills associated with inter-personal relationships, managing relations in educational settings, problem-solving in educational settings, leadership and working in teams to promote inclusion.

Unit 1: Perspectives in Inclusive Education

- 1.1 Historical perspective of Inclusive education globally and in India
- 1.2 Approaches to disability and service delivery models
- 1.3 Principles of inclusive education
- 1.4 Key debates in special and inclusive education
- 1.5 Research evidence on efficacy and best practices associated with inclusive education

Unit 2: Covenants and Policies Promoting Inclusive Education- A Critique

- 2.1 International Declarations: Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948), World Declaration for Education for All (1990)
- 2.2 International Conventions: Convention Against Discrimination (1960), United Nations Convention on Rights of a Child (1989), United Nations Convention of Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) (2006), Incheon Strategy (2012)
- 2.3 International Frameworks: Salamanca Framework (1994)
- 2.4 National Commissions & Policies: Kothari Commission (1964), National Education Policy (1968), National Policy on Education (1986), Revised National Policy of Education (1992), National Curricular Framework (2005), National Policy for Persons with Disabilities (2006)
- 2.5 National Acts & Programs: IEDC (1974), RCI Act (1992), PWD Act (1995), National Trust Act (1999), SSA (2000), RTE (2009) and amendment 2012, RMSA (2009), IEDSS (2013)

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Unit 3: Building Inclusive Schools

- 3.1 Identifying barriers to Inclusion- Attitudinal, Systemic and Structural
- 3.2 Ensuring Physical, Academic and Social Access
- 3.3 Leadership and Teachers as Change Agents
- 3.4 Assistive Technology
- 3.5 Whole School Development

Unit 4: Building Inclusive Learning Environments

- 4.1 Classroom Management
- 4.2 Effective Communication
- 4.3 Promoting Positive Behaviour
- 4.4 Reflective Teaching
- 4.5 Peer mediated instruction: Peer tutoring, Co-operative learning

Unit 5: Planning for Including Diverse Learning Needs

- 5.1 Universal design of learning
- 5.2 Adaptations and accommodations for sensory impairments
- 5.3 Adaptations and accommodations for children with multiple disabilities
- 5.4 Adaptations and accommodations for children with neuro-developmental disabilities
- 5.5 Adaptations and accommodations for children with intellectual impairment
- 5.6 Adaptations and accommodations for gifted children

Unit 6: Collaborations

- 6.1 Models of collaboration
- 6.2 Working with Parents
- 6.3 Managing Conflict
- 6.4 Co-teaching
- 6.5 Mentoring and Coaching

Transaction

Interactive course with discussion as well as field work to get first-hand experience of coteaching mainstream classrooms with children with disability

Course Work/ Practical/ Field Engagement

- Study the impact of UNCRPD on RTE's provisions for children with disabilities
- Review of research in any one area in inclusive education and highlight its implications for the practitioner
- Develop a differentiated lesson with content, process, and products adapted to suit a specific learner
- Implement the lesson plan above in a regular school using one of the models of collaborative teaching. Write your reflections in a journal

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THERAPEUTICS AND ASSISTIVE DEVICES

Course Code: B 11 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Gain knowledge about speech and language therapy.
- Understand the meaning and interventions of physiotherapy.
- Use occupational therapy for PwID.
- Comprehend and apply behavioural techniques for interventions.
- Select and use appropriate assistive devices for PwID.

Unit 1: Language Speech and Communication

- 1.1 Nature, Definition, Scope, functions and development of language, Speech and Communication
- 1.2 Critical period and its importance in speech and language development
- 1.3 Modes of communication, (Aural, Oral, Finger Spelling, Sign and Sign Language, Cued, Speech and Total Communication)
- 1.4 Types of speech and language disorders in PwID
- 1.5 Enhancing and integrating speech and language into classroom context

Unit 2: Physiotherapy

- 2.1 Physiotherapy Nature, Definition, objectives, Scope and functions
- 2.2 Modalities used in physiotherapy for persons with ID and its Associated Conditions
- 2.3 Movements and postures of human body
- 2.4 Specific conditions and physiotherapy management Cerebral palsy, Spina bifidá, Muscular dystrophy and Poliomyelitis
- 2.5 Integrating Physiotherapy into classroom context

Unit 3: Occupational Therapy

- 3.1 Occupational therapy-Nature, Definition, objectives, Scope and functions
- 3.2 Modalities of Occupational Therapy for persons with ID with associated Conditions
- 3.3 Hand Functions-Types of grasps, grip, development, and eye-hand coordination
- 3.4 Sensory Integration Nature, Development & Importance
- 3.5 Integrating Occupational therapy into classroom context

Unit 4: Behaviour Modification

- 4.1 Aim, scope and importance of Behaviour Modification
- 4.2 Types of Behaviour-Adaptive and Maladaptive
- 4.3 Identification of Problem Behaviours, and Functional Analysis

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- 4.4 Strategies for Behaviour Modification and Differential Reinforcement
- 4.5 Integrating Behaviour Modification in classroom context

Unit 5: Assistive Devices

- 5.1 Definition, Importance and types of Assistive Devices for Independent Living
- 5.2 Different types of assistive devices for ID, HI, VI & Locomotor disability
- 5.3 Assessment of PWID needs to identify the appropriate assistive devices
- 5.4 Selection & use of appropriate Assistive Devices for PWID and Maintenance
- 5.5 Schemes of MoSJE-ADIP Scheme, DDRS and SC/ST scheme

Practicum/ Assignment/ Engagement (Any One)

- To visit any two therapy centers and prepare and submit a report on available clinical facilities
- To present a case study on Behaviour Modification.
- To present a Seminar on Role & functions of RCI and Various Schemes of MoSJE for PwID
- To Prepare/Design appropriate adaptive and assistive device for PwID

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SEMESTER-WISE PRACTICAL

SEMESTER I

Area E 1: Teaching Practice

Total Credits: 04 Hours: 120 Marks: 100

Each Teacher Educators is expected to prepare 8 lesson plans for classroom teaching at Diploma (4) and Graduate (4) courses, out of them 2 will be ICT based one at Diploma and one at Graduate All the lessons will be supervised by the concerned practical coordinator. Each student trainee will be allotted 2 classes for peer observation. Out of 8 lessons at least one lesson with innovative methods and one lesson with integration of technology should be considered while selecting the lessons. Out of total 8 lessons, 6 will be guided and 2 will be submitted independently by the trainees for evaluation. Trainees have to submit Teaching practice record along with the approved lesson plans with evaluation remarks signed by the practical supervisor and course coordinator of the class taught. Final lesson plan will jointly be evaluated by the external and internal examiners followed by viva-voce.

SEMESTER II

Area E 2: Preparation & Administration of Teacher Made Test (TMT)

Total Credits: 04 Hours: 120 Marks: 100

Each Teacher Educators is expected to prepare and administer the TMT under the guidance of a Supervisor. Student Trainees are expected to submit 2 copies of typed report on the same in detail consisting of conceptual background, rationale, methodology adopted in preparation of TMT. Students must present the same in a seminar mode. The performance will jointly be evaluated by the external and internal examiners followed by viva-voce.

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SEMESTER -III

PERSPECTIVES IN TEACHER EDUCATION - IN-SERVICE AND PRE-SERVICE

Course Code: A 6 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

This course intends to orient the student about the aims and purpose of teacher education and critically reflect on its' status in India with specific reference to the developments in the field of special and inclusive education as well as identify the issues and challenges. A critical understanding of pre-service and in-service education of teachers in special and inclusive education would promote skills of designing and evaluating curriculum as well as capacities in transacting teacher training programs with essential inputs.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Gain insight and understand development of Teacher Education with reference to education of children with disabilities.
- Reflect on issues and problems related with teacher preparation for education of children with disabilities.
- Familiar with responsibilities of different organisations in preparation of competent teachers and critically examine it.
- Appreciate importance of in-service programmes and develop capacity to plan and execute it as per specific need and purpose.
- Appraise the existing teacher education curriculum and its relevance, issues and challenges.

Unit 1: Understanding Teacher Education (TE)

- 1.1 Concept, Aims and Objectives of TE
- 1.2 Significance of TE in India
- 1.3 Types of TE: Pre-service and In-service; Continued development of Teacher as a Professional
- 1.4 Structure of TE in India and Organizations/Agencies involved
- 1.5 Factors influencing the practices in TE and quality

Unit 2: TE and Education of Children with Disabilities

- 2.1 Early Initiatives in preparing teachers for children with disabilities in India
- 2.2 Establishment of various national institutes and development of TE in special education
- 2.3 Establishment of RCI as a statutory body in standardizing and promoting TE in special education

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- 2.4 Changes in School Education for Children with Disabilities and its Impact on TE
- 2.5 Paradigm shift from Segregation to Inclusion Impacting TE

Unit 3: Pre-service TE in Education of Children with Disabilities

- 3.1 Changing scenario of teacher education curriculum and evolving priorities
- 3.2 Characteristics of TE framework developed by RCI, structure and organisation of different components of TE Curriculum
- 3.3 Components of Pre-service TE: overview of courses at different levels, weight age of course work and evaluation
- 3.4 Various components of TE curriculum and their transactional modalities
- 3.5 Organisation, transaction and evaluation of different components of TE curriculum including school based practicum, and internship

Unit 4: Continued Teacher Development Program

- 4.1Need and modalities for continuing professional development of a teacher (Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE), Workshop, Seminar, Conferences, Projects, Exchange programmes) and their advantages and limitations
- 4.2 Structures and models of in-service teacher education- sub-district, district, State, regional and national level organisations and their role, voluntary efforts
- 4.3 Modes (face to face, distance modes, on line and mixed modes) and models (induction, one shot, recurrent, cascade, multi-site, school based, and course work) of in-service TE
- 4.4 Planning an in-service TE programme- preliminary considerations (purpose, duration, size of group, activities and budget)
- 4.5 Designing and organizing an in-service TE programme- assessment of training needs, identifying essential components, guidelines

Unit 5: Issues and Challenges in TE for Education of Children with Disabilities

- 5.1 Teacher motivation and working conditions; opportunities for professional development
- 5.2 Organizing TE: Conventional versus ODL
- 5.3 Collaboration/linkage between MHRD/ NCTE and MSJE/ RCI
- 5.4 Single disability versus cross disability approach in TE and addressing disability issues in general education curriculum
- 5.5 ICT and TE

Course Work/ Practical/ Field Engagement

- Prepare a checklist/schedule to collect information about curriculum transaction either
 in Diploma or B.Ed. in Special Education Courses in any Training Institute. Take
 interview of at least 10 student teachers and analyse the data to suggest improvement
 in quality of training
- Prepare a checklist/schedule to collect information from employer about competency of passed out student teachers. Take interview of at least 5 principals of schools

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having children with disabilities and analyse the data to suggest improvement in quality of training and the need for in-service training

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EDUCATIONAL EVALUATION

Course Code: A 7 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

Education is a continuous process which begins with evaluation and ends with evaluation. This course intends to orient the learners with the foundation, scope and practices followed in educational evaluation and undertaking adaptations to suit the needs of children with disabilities. The course also takes the learners one step ahead by building an understanding of the contemporary evaluation practices as well as programme evaluation.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Explain the key concepts of evaluation and describe the developments in evaluation.
- Describe the scope of evaluation in education.
- Describe the use of evaluation as an effective tool in teaching-learning process.
- Describe the ways & means of evaluation of programmes.
- Explain the current trends in evaluation.

Unit 1: Foundations in Evaluation

- 1.1 Concept of testing, measurement, assessment and evaluation
- 1.2 Difference between investigation, auditing, monitoring & evaluation
- 1.3 Principles of Evaluation
- 1.4 Areas of Evaluation
- 1.5 The evolution of the evaluation function; i) Measurement/ comparison, Transparency/ accountability, ii) Understanding/ learning/ decision making/ positive accountability

Unit 2: Scope of Evaluation

- 2.1 Problem-solving and decision-making
- 2.2 Positive accountability and excellence in education
- 2.3 Knowledge construction and capacity building of learners
- 2.4 Organizational learning and change, and strategic planning
- 2.5 Advocacy & communication

Unit 3: Teaching-learning and Evaluation

- 3.1 Evaluation of learning, for learning and in learning- Contexts, Need & Nature
- 3.2 Tools for evaluation and process of standardization
- 3.3 Equity & fairness in evaluation including adaptations & Accommodations
- 3.4 Report writing: Format, Content & Mechanics
- 3.5 Mastery Level Learning

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Unit 4: Programme Evaluation & Review

- 4.1 Concept, need, goals and tools
- 4.2 Evaluation of instructional programmes
- 4.3 Techniques of programme evaluation
- 4.4 Reliability, validity and sensitivity in programme evaluation
- 4.5 Reviewing outcomes

Unit 5: Current Trends in Evaluation

- 5.1 Knowledge based evaluation
- 5.2 Performance Based Evaluation: Role play, Concept maps
- 5.3 Authentic Evaluation: Interviews, Writing samples, Projects, Exhibitions, Reflective Journals
- 5.4 Self evaluation: Rubrics & Rating scales
- 5.5 Exams: Online, On-demand, Take-home Power Tests & Open book

Transaction & Evaluation

- Lecture-cum-demonstration, Workshops on developing tools for content and programme evaluation
- Assignments, Presentations and Class Tests

Practicum

- Observe and prepare a report on evaluation practices at any two levels in (i) a Mainstream and (ii) a Special school. Critically analyze the evaluation practices.
- Develop a format for self evaluation for teachers in special or mainstream.
- Develop tools one each for Knowledge based, Performance based & Authentic evaluation for children with disabilities studying in a class or a subject of your choice.

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ADULTHOOD AND FAMILY ISSUES

Course Code: B 10 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

Parents are advocates, teachers, and nurturers for their children. Family members of any person with visual impairment are at a risk for emotional difficulties if their support systems or coping skills are inadequate. Learners must understand the challenges that are often associated with a family of a person with visual impairment from birth till adulthood focussing on periods of transition. Learners should be able to empower the parents with information regarding the array of educational services and supports available to the families of children with visual impairment.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Analyze the role of family as a support system from birth to adulthood.
- Discuss the concerns of the family of a person with visual impairment.
- Meet the challenges faced at different stages of transition of a person with visual impairment.
- Develop the skills to prepare an ITP and IFSP.
- Develop a critical understanding of schemes for equal opportunities.

Unit 1: Role of Family in the Continuum of Support System

- 1.1 Adjustment and accommodation to the birth of a special child
- 1.2 Organization and family functioning
- 1.3 Family involvement in infancy and early childhood
- 1.4 Family involvement in school age
- 1.5 Family involvement in transition to adulthood

Unit 2: Transition Issues

- 2.1 Transition from home to school
- 2.2 Transition from school to college
- 2.3 Transition from education to work
- 2.4 Meaning and Definition of Individualized Transition Plan (ITP)
- 2.5 Role of family in developing ITP

Unit 3: Family Issues in Adulthood

- 3.1 Higher Education
- 3.2 Career Education ∱
- 3.3 Life Skills Education

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- 3.4 Marriage and home skill management
- 3.5 Rehabilitation of adventitious visually impaired

Unit 4: Planning Family Support Services

- 4.1 Concept and objectives of family support services
- 4.2 Components of family support services
- 4.3 Identifying family needs
- 4.4 Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) under PL 99-457
- 4.5 Preparing an IFSP in Indian context

Unit 5: Equal Opportunity Provisions: Schemes and Facilities

- 5.1 Schemes for education of children from pre-school to higher and tertiary education
- 5.2 Schemes and facilities for vocational training and skill development
- 5.3 Schemes and statutory provisions to promote employment, self-employment, and livelihoods
- 5.4 Concessions for persons with visual impairment
- 5.5 Concept and types of parent family partnerships

Course Work/ Practical/ Field Engagement (Any Two)

- The teacher trainees should develop an individualized transition plan for a given person with visual impairment
- The teacher trainees should develop an individualized family service plan for a family of a person with visual impairment
- The teacher trainees should critically examine any two schemes under equal opportunity schemes

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EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT

Course Code: C 12 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Introduction

Educational management is a field of study and practice concerned with the operation of educational organizations. The field draws links from diverse disciplines such as economics, general management & Information technology. The course content included in the present program hence includes inputs from varied disciplines and is envisaged to equip the learners to understand the know-how's of managing educational institutes on the basis of total quality management principles.

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Explain the basic fundamental areas of management.
- Describe the skills required for enhancing institutional quality for sustained development.
- Enumerate the skills required for capacity building of human resources.
- Explain the skills needed to manage data for various information management processes.
- Prepare cost effective budgets, proposals and describe ways of managing financial resources.

Unit 1: Foundations in Educational Management

- 1.1 Definition & Concept: Management as an art, science, organization, person & a discipline
- 1.2 Approaches to management; a) Classical approach, b) Human relation approach, c) Systems approach, d) Contingency approach
- 1.3 Principles & processes of management
- 1.4 Styles of management; autocratic, laissez-faire, transactional, contingency
- 1.5 Leader vs. Manager; role competencies

Unit 2: Total Quality Management in Education

- 2.1 Concept of Quality and issues in Quality management of educational institutes
- 2.2 Educational applications
- 2.3 Assessment of educational institutions
- 2.4 Strategic planning & Sustainable development
- 2.5 Implementing TQM

Unit 3: Human Resource Management

- 3.1 Manpower planning, talent acquisition & management
- 3.2 Employee benefits, welfare & Performance appraisals systems- 360 degree approach

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- 3.3 Training, development & capacity building
- 3.4 Organisational behaviour; climate & culture
- 3.5 Individual & group dynamics, conflict management & negotiations

Unit 4: Educational Management Information Systems (EMIS)

- 4.1 Need, relevance and National agencies for EMIS
- 4.2 Internal & external stakeholders of EMIS
- 4.3 Tools & process for collecting and disseminating data & using information
- 4.4 Constituting indicators & data monitoring plans
- 4.5 Dissemination, distribution & publication of data

Unit 5: Financial Management

- 5.1 Need &Importance of financial management in educational institutes
- 5.2 Basic concepts in accounting
- 5.3 Importance & types of budgeting
- 5.4 Resource mobilisation& allocation
- 5.5 Proposal writing for funding in educational institutes

Transaction

Lectures, Field visits, Self-study

Course Work/ Field Work

- Proposal writing for fund raising of an educational institution
- Review performance appraisals from 2 educational institutions one each from a teacher training college and other from special school

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EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY

Course Code: C 13 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

- Discuss roles of Educational Technologists in various contexts.
- Apply appropriate instructional strategies.
- Develop appropriate instructional media.
- Integrate suitable ICT effectively in teaching-learning-evaluation.
- Suggest suitable modality of instruction (Online, Blended, etc.).

Unit 1: Educational Technology

- 1.1 Concept, Definition and Scope of Educational Technology
- 1.2 Need and Role of Educational Technologists in India
- 1.3 Growth of conceptual framework of Educational Technology: ET1, ET2, ET3 ...
- 1.4 Systems Approach; Meaning, Scope and Components
- 1.5 Communication Process
 - 1.5.1 Meaning and components
 - 1.5.2 Models of communication: Simple, Osgood and Schramm, Gerbner's mode
 - 1.5.3 Interaction analysis: Equivalent Category System and Flander's Interaction Analysis System

Unit 2: Instructional Technology

- 2.1 Concept and Definition of Instructional Technology
- 2.2 Theories and Models of ISD: Dick & Carrey, Gagne, Kirk and Guftason
- 2.3 Steps in developing Instructional design :Learner analysis, Content analysis, Deciding entry and terminal behaviour, Preparing test, Selection of method, Selection of media, Development of material, Tryout, Formative and summative evaluation
- 2.4 Methods & Models Instructional designs for Large Group and Individual Instructions
- 2.5 Co-operative and Individual Learning Strategies for children with disabilities

Unit 3: Instructional and Interactive Learning

- 3.1 Interactive learning: concept, need and components
- 3.2 Instructional Media for children with Special needs
- 3.3 Interactive learning Material for children with disabilities
- 3.4 Development of Interactive learning Material
- 3.5 Integrating ICTs for children with special needs (e.g. Social Media, Collaborative tools and techniques such as Blogging, ICT tools for research, bibliography, etc)

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Unit 4: ICT For Inclusion

- 4.1 ICT for 21st century learning
- 4.2 Dilemmas and Realities about applications in ICT in inclusive education
- 4.3 Potentials of ICT in inclusive education-Access, equity, participation, Skill development and life- long learning
- 4.4 ICT for teaching-learning
- 4.5 Role of ICT in curriculum transaction

Unit 5: Recent Trends in Technology

- 5.1 Online Learning
- 5.2 Blended Learning
- 5.3 M-Learning
- 5.4 MOOC
- 5.5 OER

Course Work/ Practical/ Field Engagement

- Prepare an observation report of classroom teaching based on Flanders Interaction analysis
- Prepare and plan an educational display on a bulletin board using charts, diagrams, graphs, posters, cartoons and comics
- Prepare a story board in any one unit of a subject for a child with disability
- Present a research paper on application of any one recent trend in inclusive education
- Seminar on issues in application of ICT in inclusive education

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GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING

Course Code: C 14 Credits: 04

Contact Hours: 60 Marks: 100

Objectives

After completing the course teacher educators will be able to

• State the basic concepts in Guidance & Counselling.

- Discuss Educational, Vocational and Personal Guidance.
- Describe testing devices and non-testing techniques of guidance.
- Analyze the problems faced by students in the contemporary world.
- Discuss the problems faced by children with disabilities.

Unit 1: Education and Career Guidance

- 1.1 Concept, principles, Objectives and need for guidance at various educational levels
- 1.2 Types of Guidance: Individual and group, Personal, Educational and Vocational
- 1.3 Career Development needs of students. Changing scenarios in a global world
- 1.4 Tests and Techniques for Guidance: Testing techniques (Aptitude, Interest, Achievement & Personality) Non-testing techniques (Interview, Case study, observation, Diary, anecdotal and commutative record)
- 1.5 Essential services in a school guidance program

Unit 2: Vocational Guidance

- 2.1 Factors influencing choice of career
- 2.2 Theories: Vocational Choice, Vocational development and Career development theories
- 2.3 Assessment of Vocational maturity
- 2.4 Occupational information in Guidance
- 2.5 Guidance for students with disabilities.

Unit 3: Fundamentals of Counselling

- 3.1 Concept and nature of counselling
- 3.2 Scope and objectives of counselling
- 3.3 Stages of the counselling process
- 3.4 Counselling techniques
- 3.5 Ethical principles and issues

Unit 4: Group approaches in Vocational Counselling and Guidance

- 4.1 Types, areas and approaches of Counselling
- 4.2 Steps and skills in the counselling process
- 4.3 Advantages and Disadvantages of Group Guidance techniques
- 4.4 Essential services in school and community based guidance programs

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4.5 Placement, research, evaluation services and Job study- i) Job description, ii) Job specification, iii) Job analysis, iv) Job satisfaction

Unit 5: Assessment in Educational and Vocational Guidance and Counselling

- 5.1 Assessment of underachievement and challenges
- 5.2 Assessment of giftedness and special strengths
- 5.3 Career test construction, administration, scoring and interpretation
- 5.4 Crisis Intervention; Grief, relationships, depression, Academic, stress, violence, abuse
- 5.5 Role of counsellor in the contemporary context

Course Work/ Practical/ Field Engagement

- Visit different Guidance Centres and write a report
- Review a film for counselling
- List the resources required and their optimum use in managing a school guidance programme
- Develop a career choice assessment tool in view of personal characteristics of any
- Child with disabilities and available opportunities
- Prepare a brochure on career opportunities for children with different disabilities

Essential Readings

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Total Credits: 16 Marks: 400

Dissertation will be compulsory for all regular students. The students will work under the guidance of a supervisor to be allotted by the HOD/Principal of the Department/ College. Students are expected to complete the Dissertation work in four phases in four semesters.

Phase 1: Synopsis Submission

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Phase 2: Review of Literature and Development of Tools

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Phase 3: Data collection

In phase three, students must complete data collection and data analysis.

Phase 4: Data analysis, Results Discussion and Thesis Submission

In phase four students must complete Data analysis, Results and Discussion and report writing and submit the final report at the end of fourth semester. The students have to submit three typed copies of Dissertation to the Department/ College by the end of IV Semester. The viva-voce will be held on a date to be fixed by the University. Dissertation and viva-voce will be evaluated jointly by external and internal examiners.

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SEMESTER III

Area F1: Internship as a Teacher Trainer

Total Credits: 04 Hours: 120 Marks: 100

Internship involves a compulsory placement with a teacher training institute/college running courses of the specialization. Internship will be organised for duration of four weeks. Each student trainee is expected to teach 10 lessons and do practical supervision to student trainees undergoing training in Diploma/B.Ed.Spl.Ed. level in topics from the respective curriculum. The student has to undertake any such duties as assigned by the Principal/ Incharge/ HOD of the teacher training institute.

SEMESTER IV

Area F1: Field Engagement/Internship

Total Credits: 04 **Marks: 100**

This part of internship involves associating with a field site relevant to the area of specialization. Students will take up internships in organizations working in the field of Mental Retardation/Disability Rehabilitation for duration of four weeks. These may include Govt./Autonomous organizations/ NGOs,/ CBR projects/ Special Schools/ Inclusive schools, etc. The internship should be guided by faculty supervisor of the organization who should focus on enabling the student to develop linkages between "Specialisation-required courses" and "Specialisation-elective courses". The organisation of internship may be conceived in such a fashion that the students get opportunities to observe relevant activities in the fields such as:

- 1. Elicit information from parents and professionals the relevant information about one child with Specific Disability,
- 2. Assess the child with Specific Disability, using formal and informal tools and identify the specific learning problems,
- 3. Write a comprehensive assessment report by analyzing and interpreting the data collected as above
- 4. Develop an appropriate educational plan (IEP) (current level, annual goals, short term objectives, methods and material and evaluation)
- Collaborate with the class teachers and related professional to implement the IEP

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