

S.D.E.

M. A. (ENGLISH) PART - I : SUMMER - 2018
SUBJECT: PAPER-IV: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY-I

Day: Wednesday
Date: 18/04/2018

Time: 3.00 P.M. TO 6.00 P.M.
Max. Marks: 80

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N.B:

- 1) All questions are **COMPULSORY**.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate **FULL** marks.
- 3) Answers to both the sections should be written in the **SAME** answer book.

SECTION-I

Q.1 A) What is research? Explain the nature and significance of research in literature and language studies. **(16)**

OR

B) Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following:

- i) Objectives of research
- ii) Essentials of a good researcher
- iii) Selection of a research area and a topic

Q.2 A) Define hypothesis and write a note on the meaning and sources of hypothesis. **(16)**

OR

B) Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following:

- i) Formation of the title of a research project
- ii) Significance of background reading
- iii) Any four definitions of research

SECTION-II

Q.3 A) Describe with suitable illustrations the ideal 'research article'. **(16)**

OR

B) Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following:

- i) The style of research writing
- ii) Areas of research in language
- iii) Originality in research

Q.4 A) "The secret of success in academic research is to manage time meticulously". **(16)**
Discuss.

OR

B) Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following;

- i) Endnotes and Footnotes
- ii) e-resources
- iii) Inverted commas and italics in research writing

Q.5 Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: **(16)**

- a) Preparing Bibliography for a research project
- b) Qualities of a good research proposal
- c) Use of statistics in research
- d) Importance of MLA stylesheet in the preparation of a thesis

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