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DIPLOMA IN SCHOOL MANAGEMENT

SYLLABUS Machines University

Course - A: <u>Management of Educational Change</u> -Higher Secondary Level.

Objectives:

The Course seeks to develop in the participants:

- 1. (a) an awareness of the historical background to the restructuring of the educational system.
 - (b) appreciation of the goals of the change over to the new pattern.
- 2 (a) a thorough knowledge pertaining to the alternative streams
 - (b) the ability to apply their knowledge in career planning for students in the vocational streams offered in their respective schools.
- 3. (a) the requisite knowledge and skills for institutional planning.
 - (b) the ability to apply the systems approach in bringing about educational change and
- 4. the leadership capabilities for bringing about educational change through the role as Principals.

Syllabus

- Higher Secondary Education Historical Background to the Introduction of Higher Secondary Education in the Country and in the State - The rationale for the change over to + 2- the goals of the change over.
- 2. The academic and vocational streams The distinct features of the current endeavour in vocationalisationprovision and alternatives-career possibilities of the two streams in the new pattern.
- 3. Institutional planning and change A systems approach to educational change - defining, analysising, specifying, evaluating implementing and monitoring planned change.

4. Role of the principal as a change agent and as a leader-Decision-making-Interaction and Communication in groups-Problems-Solving in Groups- Productivity, Sensitivity Education.

Course - B: Principles of Management

Objectives:

The course seeks to develop in the participants:

- 1. a. A Comprehension of the concept and principles of management.
 - b. An Appreciation of the distinct features of educational management.
- a. A Comprehension of PPBS and PERT 2.
 - b. The ability to apply modern management approaches in the frame-work of existing school systems.
- a. An appreciation of the power and potential of the 3. school office as a control sub-system.
 - b. An Understanding of the nature of the records to be maintained for monitoring the functioning of the institution.
- 4. a. Ability to identify and introduce innovations.

b. Ability to promote the innovative spirit.

Syllabus

- Definition and Scope of Management Management and Admini-1. stration differentiated - Distinct features of the management of education; Principles and techniques of management as applied to schools.
- 2. Planning, Programming; Budgetting System--Programme Evaluation Review Technique-Introducing modern management approaches in existing school system.
- Managing the Control System--The School Office-Maintenance of Records; Statutory and non-statutory-Monitoring the 3. Functioning of the Institution. 197. A.
- Innovative practices and management of innovation in 4. Teaching and Learning.

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Course - C: The Practice of Management

Objectives:

The course seeks to develop in the participants:

- 1. The ability to optimise the utilisation of the physical resources of the institution.
- ` 2. (a) The ability to maintain the morale and motivation of the staff.
 - (b) The ability to minimise and resolve conflicts among the school personnel.
 - 3. (a) The ability to allocate students between the streams rationally:
 - (b) The ability to optimise student participation in curricular and co-curricular activities:
 - 4. (a) The ability to manage the institutional and instructional processes towards the attainment of the functional objectives:
 - (b) The ability to manage the evaluation system towards the attainment of the functional objectives:
 - 5. The ability to initiate and sustain functional relationship with the parents, the community and other agencies.

Syllabus

- 1. Management of the School Plant--Maintenance--Optimising the utilisation of the physical resources of the institution --recording and monitoring.
- 2. Personnel Management--Organisational/institutional climate including staff morale and motivation--Human relation --Group Dynamics--Organisational behaviour--Management of conflicts--Teaching Staff:Orientation and Induction---Morale and Motivation--Evaluation. Non-teaching staff---Definition of their Roles--Relationship between the Teaching and the non-teaching staff.
- 3. Management of the Student--Admission--Classification and streaming--Participation in wg curricular activities--Evaluation--Reporting--Promoting--Management of Student conflicts.

Management of the Learning Process--Learning resources--Time Tabling--Classroom management-Classroom climate--Management of the institutional process--Co-curricular

The Management of examinations--Paper-setting; Programming, Invigilation, Valuation, Reporting.

5. Public Relations, The School Environment--Parents, Community and others--Perspectives on School Programmes.

Course - D : Practicals

activities--Library.

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- 2. Each candidate shall present a minimum of two seminar papers, besides participating regularly in the seminar, symposia or workshops that will be organised periodically during the course.
- 2. Each candidate shall prepare a five year perspective plan for a Secondary or Higher Secondary School, preferably his own institution.
- 3. Each candidate shall make a Case Study of a Secondary or Higher Secondary, other than his own institution, from the viewpoint of its history, tradition, present working, problems and prospects.
- 4. Each candidate shall choose any three specific vocational courses and conduct a small study on their introduction and implementation in the city higher secondary schools, or identify the vocational interests of the pupils in standard in a secondary school and design for them a programme of educational and Vocational Guidance and Counselling.
- 5. Each candidate shall make an in-depth study concerning problems in the management of any one aspect under Course-C.