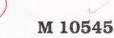
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SOCIAL WORK

PAPER IX - SOCIAL WORK RESEARCH

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

(3 marks each)

Answer any SIX questions. Each question carries THREE marks. Answer to a question is limited to 100 words.

Part I

Write notes on:

- 1. Social research.
- 2. Concepts
- 3. Pilot study.
- 4. Experimental group.
- Tables and charts
- 6. Interview guide.
- 7. Participatory research.
- 8. Techniques of editing.
- 9. Texual analysis.

Part II

(6 marks each)

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Answer any FIVE questions. All questions carry SIX marks. Answer to a question is limited to 200 words.

- 10. Describe the significance of social work research.
- 11. What are the steps to be followed in problem formulation?
- 12. Examine the qualities of a usable hypothesis.
- 13. What is research design? Discuss the basic approaches of Research design.
- 14. Explain any two methods of sampling.
- 15. Discuss the differences descriptive and diognostic study.
- 16. Explain the importance of an interview guide.
- 17. What are the main qualities of a good research report?

Part III

Answer any TWO questions. Each question carries SIXTEEN marks. Answer to a question is limited to 900 words.

- 18. Discuss the importance of interview method of data collection in relation to other methods.
- 17. Examine the approaches proposed in sealing attitudes by Thurston.
- 18. Discuss the role of hypothesis in Research work with suitable examples