

M Ed Two Year Programme

S.Art. 2 (i) : Art Education : Child, School and Pedagogy

Maximum Marks: 100

Concept Note

This course intends to develop an understanding of the contribution of Art Education in child's growth and development and other functions in Education. It is imperative to acquire a conceptual understanding of the key ideas in Art Education. This includes developing insight to appreciate the relevance of art from the childhood to the entire life. The primary concern is to develop the understanding of the different stages of children art expression and pertinent pedagogic concerns. It also focuses on the policy perspective and the research trend in this area..

Objectives:

- Acquire a conceptual understanding of the key ideas in Art Education.
- Develop an understanding of the contribution of Art Education in child's growth and development and other functions in Education.
- Get sensitized/appreciate the relevance of Art from the childhood to the entire life .
- Develop an understanding about Stages of children art expression and Pedagogical concerns.
- Develop the understanding/analyse the problems and issues in Art Education.
- Develop knowledge about the historical development of Art Education and the place of Art Education in school curriculum since independence
- Develop an overview of research trends in Art Education

UNIT I – A perspective on Art and Art Education

Meaning of Art, The Need for Art Education and historical concerns in Indian context, role of art activities in child's growth and development. A rationale for teaching arts. Reading into the writings of pioneers of modern concept of Art Education.

UNIT II - Place of Art Education

Across the different level of school- Primary, Upper Primary, Secondary and Senior Secondary; in Higher Education and in teacher Education Programmes.

UNIT III – Psychogenesis of Child Art

Stages of children art expression - developmental methods, selection of content, motivation, evaluation at different stages . The teacher's need for knowing the different stages. Meaning of creative activity in child's work of art: self expression, self adjustment

UNIT IV – Evaluation of the Creative Products

Purpose and processes of Evaluation, Dilemmas in Evaluation of meaningfulness of creative product.

UNIT V- Problems and issues in Art Education

Introduction to current conception of the function of Art Education within the cultural milieu. Contemporary trends in Art Education as related to school curriculum. A critical study of the selection of content, instructional methods and evaluation system in Art in relation to the recent developments in contemporary Arts. Aesthetic basis for teaching of arts in schools.

UNIT VI - Policy Perspective and Research trend in Art Education

Historical development of Art Education and place of Art Education in the Indian school curriculum - Commissions and policies after independence. Research trend in art education

Suggested Practicum :

Case studies of the children's' work of art and their understanding of the concept of Art.

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