# General Paper for Management, Computer science, Arts, commerce and all regional languages.

The details are given in the following:

#### Note:

- 1. Each section gets equal weightage: five questions and 10 marks from each section.
- 2. Whenever pictorial questions are set for the sighted candidates a passage followed by equal number of questions should be set for the visually handicapped candidates.

#### I. UGC NET Teaching Aptitude:

- **Teaching:** Nature, Objectives, Characteristics and Basic Requirements.
- Learner's Characteristics.
- Factors affecting Teaching.
- Methods of Teaching.
- Teaching aids.
- Evaluation Systems.

#### II. UGC NET Research Aptitude:

- Research : Meaning, Characteristics and Types;
- Steps of Research.
- Methods of Research.
- Research Ethics.
- Paper, Articles, Workshop, Seminar, Conference and Symposium.
- Thesis Writing: Its characteristics and format.

# III. Reading Comprehension:

A passage to be set with questions to be answered.

## IV. UGC NET Communication:

• **Communication :** Nature, Characteristics, Types, Barriers and Effective Classroom Communication.

## V. Reasoning (including Mathematical):

- Number Series; Letter Series; Codes.
- Relationships; Classification.

## VI. Logical Reasoning:

- Understanding the Structure of Argument.
- Evaluating and distinguishing Deductive and Inductive Reasoning.
- Verbal Analogies; Word Analogy Applied Analogy.
- Verbal Classification.
- Reasoning Logical Diagrams; Simple Diagrammatic Relationship, Muliti Diagrammatic Relationship.
- Venn Diagram; Analytical Reasoning.

## VII. Data Interpretation:

- Sources, Acquisition and Interpretation of Data.
- Quantitative and Qualitative Data.
- Graphical Representation and Mapping of Data.

# VIII. Information and Communication Technology ( ICT ):

- ICT: Meaning, Advantages, Disadvantages and Uses.
- General Abbreviation and Terminology.
- Basics of Internet and E mailing.

#### IX. People and Environment:

- People and Environment Interaction.
- Sources of Pollution.
- Pollutants and their impact on Human Life, Exploitation of Natural and Energy Resources.
- Natural hazards and mitigation.

# X. Higher Education System : Governance, Polity and Administration :

• Structure of the Institutions for Higher Learning and Research in India; Formal and Distance Education; Professional / Technical and General Education; Value Education; Governance, Polity and Administration; Concept, Institutions and their Interactions.