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### INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :

- 1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

# SECTION-A

- Q1. Answer briefly :
  - a. What is research?
  - b. What is hypothesis?
  - c. Different types of variables.
  - d. Difference between sample and population.
  - e. Types of hypothesis.
  - f. What is significance level?
  - g. What is sampling frame?
  - h. What is the difference between qualitative and quantitative research?
  - i. What is a double barrel question?
  - j. What is questionnaire layout?

### SECTION-B

- Q2. What is research design? What is the need and importance of research?
- Q3. What are multi-item scales? What is the difference between Likert scale and Thurstone scale?
- Q4. What is survey of research literature? What is the need and importance of literature survey?
- Q5. What is sampling error? What are the sources of sampling errors and how sampling errors can be minimized?
- Q6. What is normal probability curve? What is its importance and applications in research?

# SECTION-C

- Q7. Discuss in length the different tools of data collection.
- Q8. What is educational research? Discuss the steps involved in educational research.
- Q9. Explain probability and non-probability sampling techniques with their merits and demerits.