

THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION
FINAL EXAMINATION (SECOND SEMESTER)- 2006/2007
ESP 1106 – GUIDANCE & COUNSELLING IN EDUCATION
DURATION : THREE (03) HOURS



DATE : 25.11.2007

TIME: 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN PART I AND THREE QUESTIONS FROM PART II

PART I

01. Write two differences between Educational Guidance and Educational Counselling.
02. Citing an example explain how a problem behaviour is analyzed according to Behavioural Modification Theory.
03. Explain in brief 'Personian model'
04. Examine whether adjustment is a social problems or an educational problem.
05. Examine two institutional factors that could lead to difficulties in developing adjusted personalities in children.
06. Explain in brief the relationship between social withdrawal and development of social skills.
07. State 3 advantages of a counselling theory to a counsellor.
08. Indicate five measures that a teacher can adopt in the classroom for children with deformities.

(5 x 8=40 marks)

PART II

09. (i) Describe in brief the history of counselling services in Sri Lanka. (08 marks)
- (ii) Select any two governmental organizations in Sri Lanka and examine the effectiveness of those counselling services. (12 marks)
10. (i) List five (05) behaviour problems of children that you can think of. (05 marks)
- (ii) What are the reasons behind behaviour problems in secondary school children? (05 marks)
- (iii) Select a problem from the list you mentioned above and analyse how you could assist a child to solve it. (10 marks)
11. (i) Examine the nature of life stress. (05 marks)
- (ii) Analyse the factors associated with life stress. (05 marks)
- (iii) Explain as a teacher how you could assist a student affected by life stress. (10 marks)
12. "Counselling service is considered as important for the teacher as well as the student in the present Sri Lankan context"
Critically examine the above statement (20 marks)
13. (i) What are the guidelines in relation to Guidance & Counselling in the school setting? (10 marks)
- (ii) Select any of the Guidelines and explain how it contributes to the success of a guidance and counselling service in the school setting. (10 marks)
14. Write notes on any two of the following topics.
(i) Learning difficulty
(ii) Carl Rogers
(iii) The necessity of Career/Vocational counselling service in schools.
(iv) The circle of failure. (10x2=20 marks)