

June - 2024

BLDE (DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)
Master of Library and Information Science

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max.Marks: 80]

I SEMESTER

PAPER – I (Foundations of Library and Information Science)

QP CODE: 7511

Your answer should be specific to the questions asked.
Write Question No. in left side of margin.

Long Question (Any – 3)

10 X 3 = 30 Marks

1. What is Communication? Explain the Different types of Communications.
2. Explain the Information Transfer cycle.
3. Briefly Explain the Public library services and Its Importance
4. Write a detail note on “RTI Act-2005”.

Short Essays: (Any – 7)

5 X 7 = 35 Marks

5. Applications of the DIKW Model.
6. Implications of Fourth Law of Library Science.
7. State the ILA Publications.
8. Types of Information.
9. State the Characteristics of an Information Society.
10. Explain the IASLIC
11. Brief note on Academic Libraries.
12. What is the importance of having a school library?

Short Answers: (Any – 5)

3 X 5 = 15 Marks

13. Special library services.
14. Explain the TRIPS
15. Name the Communication models.
16. Mention the Library Associations activities.
17. Define CILIP
18. Name the Different sections in the Library.

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PAPER – II (Information Sources)
QP CODE: 7512

Your answer should be specific to the questions asked.
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Long Question (Any – 3)

10 X 3 = 30 Marks

1. What do you mean by Information Sources, describe the characteristics of Information Sources?
2. What are the main criteria for evaluating the Print and Electronics Resources? Explain.
3. Write a detailed note on the non-documentary categories of information sources
4. What are the primary sources of Information? Discuss in brief with suitable examples.

Short Essays: (Any – 7)

5 X 7 = 35 Marks

5. Dictionaries
6. Web of Science
7. Information Gatekeepers
8. Trade Literature
9. Sources of Biographical Information
10. ShodhGangotri
11. Standards and Specifications
12. ShodhChakra

Short Answers: (Any – 5)

3 X 5 = 15 Marks

13. What do you mean by human resources of information?
14. State any Five National Co-coordinators of SWAYAM
15. State any four tertiary sources what is a union catalogue?
16. Mention three general dictionaries
17. Mention any two encyclopaedias Functions of e-shodhsindhu?
18. Give any three examples of non-documentary sources

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PAPER – III (Library Classification)
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Long Question (Any – 3)

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1. Write a notes on Dewey decimal classification.
2. Write the contributions of Ranganathan to Library Classification.
3. Write a notes on Colon Classification.
4. What is library classification?

Short Essays: (Any – 7)

5 X 7 = 35 Marks

5. What are the steps in deriving the call number?
6. Write an essay on H E Bliss.
7. Write about common isolates.
8. Write about the Mnemonics.
9. Write about five fundamental categories.
10. What is faceted Classification Scheme?
11. Write a short notes on Simple Knowledge Organisation System (SKOS).
12. What are the planes of work in library classification?

Short Answers: (Any – 5)

3 X 5 = 15 Marks

13. What is phase relations in Classification?
14. Write a short notes on Folkasanomics.
15. Notations in Classification.
16. What is facet sequence?
17. What is Enumerative Classification Scheme?
18. What is controlled vocabulary?

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PAPER – IV (Basic Computer & Internet)

QP CODE: 7514

Your answer should be specific to the questions asked.

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Long Question (Any – 3)

10 X 3 = 30 Marks

1. Explain the evolution and scope of Information and Communication Technology (ICT).
2. Describe the different types of computer hardware components and their functions.
3. Discuss the various system software and their roles, including operating systems, language processors, and system utilities.
4. Illustrate computer data representation and manipulation process, including number systems and logic gates.

Short Essays: (Any – 7)

5 X 7 = 35 Marks

5. Define and discuss the characteristics and limitations of computers.
6. Compare and contrast ROM, RAM, and cache memory.
7. Explain the differences between magnetic and optical storage devices.
8. Describe the functions of various input and output devices.
9. Describe the functionality and types of logic gates.
10. Explain the advantages and disadvantages of different file organisation types.
11. Discuss the history and evolution of the Internet.
12. Evaluate the need and importance of search engines and discuss different search strategies.

Short Answers: (Any – 5)

3 X 5 = 15 Marks

13. Characteristics of each computer generation?
14. List and describe the main types of external storage devices.
15. PHP
16. What is byte?
17. What are the main types of web browsers?
18. What criteria are used for evaluating search engines?