ADVANCE DIPLOMA IN NURSERY TEACHER TRAINING

Course Code: SDEB-TT201
Minimum Qualification: 12th

Duration: 2 Years

Year 1 Syllabus

Subject Name	Subject	Theory	Practical	Total	Credits
	Code	Marks	Marks	Marks	
Child Development and	TTA-103	80	20	100	4
Education			4		\ F
Teaching Methods	TTA-104	80	20	100	4
Art and Craft	TTA-105	80	20	100	4
Health and Wellness	TTH-101	80	20	100	4
Curriculum Development	TTA-101	80	20	100	4

Year 2 Syllabus

Subject Name	Subject	Theory	Practical	Total	Credits
	Code	Marks	Marks	Marks	
Educational Psychology	TTA-102	80	20	100	4
School Administration and Leadership	TTG-101	80	20	100	4
Basic Computer Education	TTD-101	80	20	100	4

Detailed Syllabus - Year 1

1. Child Development and Education (TTA-103)

Theory Content:

BLOCK - I: Growth and Development

Unit I: Meaning of Growth and Development

- Definitions and distinctions between growth and development.
- Stages of development: Infancy, childhood.
- Areas of development: Physical, cognitive, emotional, and social.
- Principles of growth and development.

Unit II: Importance and Principles of Development

- Significance of studying child development.
- General principles of development.
- Genetic factors in development: Hereditary influences and supportive evidence.

Unit III: Environmental Influences on Development

- Importance of environmental factors: Physical, mental, and social environments.
- Supportive evidence of the environment's role in child development.

Unit IV: Physical Growth Across Stages

- Physical growth during infancy: Newborn appearance.
- Physical growth during babyhood and early childhood: Key changes and milestones.

BLOCK - II: Development of Motor Skills

Unit V: Development of Body Parts

- Development of various body parts: Head, face, trunk.
- Changes in height and weight.
- Development of sensory skills: Sight, speech, and hearing.

Unit VI: Gross and Fine Motor Skills

- Development of gross motor skills: Running, jumping, skipping, hopping, climbing, and swimming.
- Development of fine motor skills: Activities to promote self-sufficiency and coordination.

Unit VII: Cognitive Development

- Definition and meaning of cognition.
- Psychological aspects of cognitive development.

Unit VIII: Piaget's Theory of Cognitive Development

- Overview of Piaget's theory.
- Achievements in intellectual development at different stages of childhood.

BLOCK - III: Language Development

Unit IX: Concept Acquisition and Cognitive Abilities

- Development of object concepts and imagination.
- Moral and aesthetic development in preschool children.
- Cognitive abilities of preschoolers.

Unit X: Language Development

- Stages of language acquisition: Learning to speak.
- Factors influencing language development.
- Activities and strategies to promote language skills.

Unit XI: Individual Differences in Language Acquisition

- Variations in vocabulary and grammar acquisition.
- Promoting language skills through practical activities.
- Common speech problems in childhood and strategies for addressing them.

BLOCK - IV: Socio-Emotional Development

Unit XII: Emotions in Early Childhood

- Meaning and stages of emotional development.
- Differentiation of emotions during the first two years of life.

Unit XIII: Socio-Emotional Interactions

- Understanding socio-emotional development.
- Strategies for effective interaction with infants and young children.

Unit XIV: Attachment and Trust Development

- Formation of attachment bonds.
- Learning to relate to others: Trust-building and managing temper tantrums.

Unit XV: Emotional Expressions in Children

- Common emotional behaviors: Love, fear, rivalry, anger, frustration.
- Behavioral issues: Bed-wetting, withdrawn behavior, aggression, and stealing.
- Techniques for managing and handling these behaviors effectively.

Practical Tasks

- Growth Observation:
- Record observations of physical, motor, and language development in young children.
- Create charts to compare growth patterns at different stages.
- Motor and Language Skill Development:
- Design activities to promote gross and fine motor skills.
- Develop play-based strategies to enhance language acquisition.
- Socio-Emotional Engagement:
- Conduct role-play sessions to address common childhood emotional behaviors.
- Develop techniques to build trust and manage emotional expressions in children.

Recommended Books

- "Child Development and Education" by Teresa M. McDevitt and Jeanne Ellis Ormrod.
- "Essentials of Child Development" by John W. Santrock.
- "The Developing Child" by Helen Bee and Denise Boyd.
- "Language Development in Early Childhood" by Beverly Otto.
- "Emotional and Social Development in Childhood" by Laura Berk.



2. Teaching Methods (TTA-104)

Theory Content:

Module 1: Fundamentals of Teaching

Unit 1: The Teacher and the Child

- Role of the teacher in child development.
- Building teacher-student relationships: Trust, communication, and understanding.
- The teacher as a guide, mentor, and role model.

Unit 2: Understanding Learners

- Characteristics of young learners: Cognitive, emotional, and social aspects.
- Learning styles and preferences: Visual, auditory, and kinesthetic learners.
- Identifying and addressing individual learning needs.

Unit 3: Formal Preparatory Activities of the Teacher

- Setting learning objectives and outcomes.
- Preparing teaching materials and resources.
- Structuring lessons for maximum engagement and impact.

Unit 4: Use of Audio-Visual Aids

- Importance of audio-visual aids in teaching.
- Types of aids: Charts, flashcards, videos, and digital tools.
- Effective integration of audio-visual aids into lessons.

Module 2: Planning and Teaching Techniques

Unit 1: Lesson Plan

- Importance of lesson planning in effective teaching.
- Components of a lesson plan: Objectives, activities, resources, and assessments.
- Creating age-appropriate lesson plans for young learners.

Unit 2: General Teaching Method I

- Overview of traditional and modern teaching methods.
- Activity-based and play-based learning.
- · Storytelling, dramatization, and role-play techniques.

Unit 3: General Teaching Method II

- Experiential and inquiry-based learning.
- Group activities and collaborative learning strategies.
- Techniques to make learning interactive and engaging.

Unit 4: Marking and Assignments

- Importance of assignments in reinforcing learning.
- Strategies for designing age-appropriate assignments.
- Evaluation techniques and effective feedback mechanisms.

Module 3: Assessment and Evaluation

Unit 1: Questions and Questioning Techniques

- Types of questions: Open-ended and closed-ended.
- Techniques for framing effective questions.
- Encouraging critical thinking through questioning.

Unit 2: Questions and Answers in the Classroom

- Strategies for conducting interactive Q&A sessions.
- Encouraging student participation and confidence.
- Handling incorrect answers and guiding students constructively.

Unit 3: Testing and Examination (Evaluation)

- Purpose of evaluation in the teaching-learning process.
- Types of assessments: Formative, summative, and diagnostic.
- Creating effective tests and evaluating learning outcomes.

Module 4: Classroom and Behavior Management

Unit 1: The Art of Classroom Management

- Principles of effective classroom management.
- Organizing the classroom environment for learning.
- Strategies to handle diverse classroom dynamics.

Unit 2: Dealing with Discipline Problems

- Identifying common disciplinary issues in early learners.
- Strategies for managing classroom behavior.
- Positive reinforcement and conflict resolution techniques.

Unit 3: Methods of Study

- Developing effective study habits in children.
- Role of play in learning and retention.
- Techniques for fostering curiosity and independent learning.

Practical Tasks

1. Lesson Planning:

- o Prepare a lesson plan for a specific topic, incorporating audio-visual aids.
- Present the lesson to a peer group for feedback.

2. Classroom Management Simulation:

- o Role-play scenarios for managing classroom behavior and discipline.
- Develop strategies for addressing specific challenges like disruptions or inattentiveness.

3. Questioning and Assessment Design:

- Create a set of questions for a specific lesson topic using effective questioning techniques.
- o Design a simple test and grading rubric for evaluation.

Recommended Books

- 1. "The Skillful Teacher" by Jon Saphier.
- 2. "Classroom Management Techniques" by Jim Scrivener.
- 3. "Teaching Young Learners" by Ann Gordon.
- 4. "Effective Teaching Methods" by Gary D. Borich.
- 5. "Assessment in Early Childhood Education" by Sue Clark Wortham.

3. Art and Craft (TTA-105)

Theory Content:

Module 1: Foundations of Creative Arts

- 1. Introduction to Creative Arts
 - o Importance of creative arts in child development.
 - Types of creative activities: Visual arts, crafts, and performances.

2. Teaching Creative Arts

- Methods for engaging young learners in art.
- Integrating storytelling, music, and movement with arts and crafts.

Module 2: Skills and Techniques

- 3. Basic Art Skills
 - Drawing, painting, and craft techniques.
 - Use of eco-friendly and improvised materials.

4. Creative Expression

- Encouraging originality and self-expression.
- o Simple craft activities: Paper folding, clay modeling, and collage.

Module 3: Art in Education

- 5. Art Appreciation for Children
 - Teaching children to enjoy and describe artworks.
 - Developing observation and interpretation skills.

6. Creative Arts in Early Education

- Benefits of art for cognitive, emotional, and motor skills development.
- Addressing challenges in teaching creative arts.

Practical Tasks

- 1. Create a Portfolio: Develop simple drawings and crafts for classroom teaching.
- 2. Plan an Activity: Conduct an art session with readily available materials.
- 3. Art Display: Organize a small exhibition of children's artwork.

Recommended Indian Books and Resources

- 1. "Art and Craft for Young Learners" by Nirmala Shankar.
- 2. "Exploring Creativity Through Arts and Crafts" by Rekha Saini.
- 3. "Creative Arts in Education" by NCERT Publications.



4. Health and Wellness (TTH-101)

Block - I: Nutrition and Health

Unit I: Introduction to Nutrition and Health

- Concept of nutrition: Meaning and importance.
- Interrelation between nutrition and health.
- Indicators of health and their significance.

Unit II: Health in India

- Overview of the health situation in India.
- National Health Policy and its implications.
- Health care services and delivery systems in India.
- Strategies for ensuring health for all.

Unit III: Nutritional Requirements of Children

- Nutritional needs of children at different stages: Infancy, early childhood, and middle childhood.
- Factors influencing nutrition at various stages.

Unit IV: Planning Balanced Diets

- Steps to plan balanced diets for children of different age groups.
- Recommended dietary allowances for infants and young children.
- Emotional and psychological considerations in infant feeding.

Block - II: Nutritional Problems

Unit V: Nutritional Needs for Special Groups

- Balanced diet planning for toddlers and preschoolers.
- Nutritional requirements during pregnancy and lactation.
- Influence of lactation on nutrient needs.

Unit VI: Deficiency Diseases

- Protein-energy malnutrition (PEM) and exophthalmia.
- Causes, symptoms, treatment, and prevention of these conditions.

Unit VII: Common Nutritional Deficiencies

- Deficiency diseases caused by lack of vitamins (e.g., Vitamin B complex, Vitamin D, and Vitamin C).
- Identification, clinical features, and prevention.

Unit VIII: Childhood Ailments and First Aid

- Prevention and management of common childhood ailments.
- Introduction to childhood accidents and injury prevention.
- First aid techniques for common accidents.

Block - III: Food Supplementation Programmes

Unit IX: Nutrient Deficiency Control Programmes

- National prophylaxis programmes for Vitamin A deficiency prevention.
- National nutrition anemia control programme.
- National iodine deficiency disorders control programme.

Unit X: Food Supplementation Programmes

 Overview of programmes such as ICDS (Integrated Child Development Services), MDM (Mid-Day Meal Programme), SNP (Special Nutrition Programme), and BNP (Balwadi Nutrition Programme).

Block - IV: Health Programmes

Unit XI: Major National Health Programmes

- National immunization programmes.
- National Family Welfare programme.

Unit XII: Health Programmes for Specific Conditions

- National programme for control of blindness.
- National mental health programme.
- Child survival and safe motherhood programme.

Unit XIII: Assessment of Nutrition Status

- Methods such as anthropometric measurements, diet surveys, and growth monitoring.
- Importance of personal hygiene as a key factor in children's health.

Practical Tasks

1. Nutrition Planning:

- Create balanced diet plans for children at various age stages.
- Assess nutritional needs during pregnancy and lactation and plan suitable diets.

2. First Aid Practices:

- Demonstrate first aid techniques for childhood injuries and common accidents.
- Role-play emergency situations to practice accident prevention and management.

3. Health Programme Analysis:

- Research and present on national nutrition and health programmes (e.g., ICDS, Mid-Day Meal).
- Analyze the impact of specific government initiatives on children's health.

Recommended Books

- 1. "Nutrition and Health Care" by Swaminathan M.
- 2. "Textbook of Pediatric Nutrition" by Samir Kumar Praharaj.
- 3. "ICDS: An Integrated Approach to Childhood Development" by Vinod Sharma.
- 4. "Nutritional Assessment" by Rosalind Gibson.
- 5. "First Aid Manual" by St. John Ambulance, St. Andrew's Ambulance Association, and Red Cross Society.



5. Curriculum Development (TTA-101)

Theory Content:

Block 1: Understanding Curriculum

- 1. Concepts and Components
 - o Definition of syllabus, courses of study, and curriculum.
 - Components: Learning objectives, content, methods, and evaluation.
- 2. Foundations of Curriculum
 - Philosophical, sociological, and psychological bases of curriculum.
- 3. Curriculum Design
 - Key principles and types of curriculum design.

Block 2: Types of Curriculum

- 4. Curriculum Approaches
 - Subject-centered, learner-centered, and experience-centered curricula.
- 5. Core Curriculum
 - Features and its relationship with experience-centered curricula.

Block 3: Organizing Curriculum

- 6. Curriculum Construction
 - Principles of curriculum construction and organization of content.
- 7. National Frameworks
 - Overview of National Curriculum Framework (NCF) 2005 and its guiding principles.

Block 4: Curriculum Development and Evaluation

- 8. Process of Curriculum Development
 - o Role of local authorities and state agencies like SCERT and BSE.
- 9. National Agencies in Curriculum Development
 - o Contribution of CBSE and NCERT in curriculum development.

Practical Tasks

- 1. **Curriculum Analysis:** Evaluate an existing syllabus for its objectives and content organization.
- 2. **Create a Mini Curriculum:** Design a short-term curriculum for a specific age group or subject.
- 3. NCF-Based Activity: Develop an activity aligned with NCF 2005 principles.

Recommended Indian Books

- 1. "Curriculum Development and Evaluation" by S.K. Gupta.
- 2. "National Curriculum Framework 2005: A Guide" by NCERT.
- 3. "Foundations of Curriculum Development" by S. Rajendra.
- 4. "Educational Curriculum Design and Development" by A. Rani.

6. Educational Psychology (TTA-102)

Theory Content:

Unit I: Concept and Aims of Education

- 1. Understanding Education
 - Concept, nature, and scope of education.
 - Individual, social, and cultural aims of education.
- 2. Types of Education
 - Formal Education: Meaning, agencies, and functions.
 - Non-Formal Education: Meaning, agencies, and functions.
 - o Informal Education: Meaning, agencies, and functions.

Unit II: Educational Philosophy

- 1. Foundations of Educational Philosophy
 - Concept, nature, and scope of educational philosophy.
 - Relationship between education and philosophy.
- 2. Western Schools of Philosophy
 - Idealism: Impact on educational thought and practice.
 - Naturalism: Impact on educational thought and practice.
 - o **Pragmatism:** Impact on educational thought and practice.

Unit III: Educational Psychology

- 1. Introduction to Educational Psychology
 - Concept, meaning, nature, and scope.
 - Role of psychology in education.
- 2. Human Growth and Development
 - Concept of growth and development.
 - Stages of human development: Infancy, childhood, and adolescence.

Unit IV: Educational Sociology and Modernization

- 1. Understanding Educational Sociology
 - Concept, nature, and scope.
 - Socialization: Concept, process, and agents.
- 2. Education and Social Change
 - Education as a tool for social change.
 - Factors responsible for social change.
 - School as a sub-social system.
- 3. Modernization
 - Concept and characteristics of modernization.

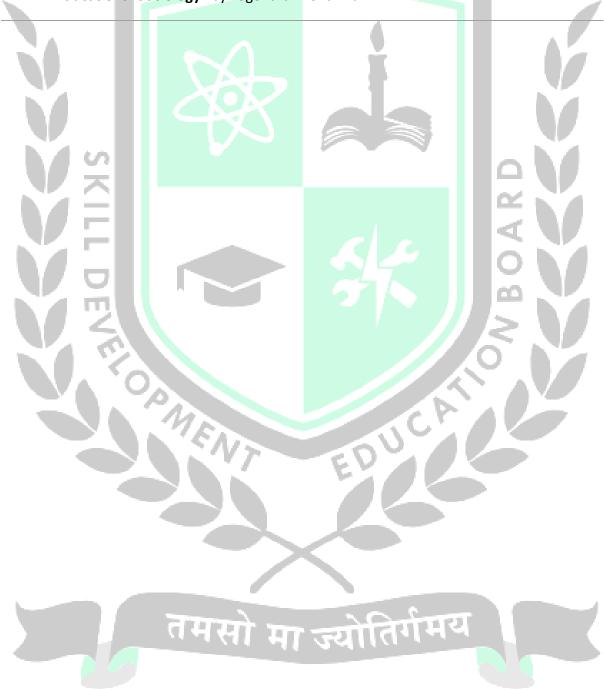
Practical Tasks

- 1. Case Study: Analyze the development stages of a child or adolescent.
- 2. **Philosophy in Action:** Present how Idealism, Naturalism, or Pragmatism can be applied in classroom teaching.

3. **Sociological Observation:** Observe and report on the socialization process in a school or community setting.

Recommended Indian Books

- 1. "Educational Psychology" by J.C. Aggarwal.
- 2. "Philosophical and Sociological Bases of Education" by S.P. Chaube & A. Chaube.
- 3. "Psychology of Education" by Dr. H.N. Mishra.
- 4. "Educational Sociology" by Yogendra K. Sharma.



7. School Administration and Leadership (TTG-101)

Theory Content:

Unit I: Administration as a Process

1. Understanding Administration

- Administration as a process.
- Meeting the psychological needs of employees.
- Systems approach in administration.

2. Trends in Educational Administration

- Decision making.
- Organizational compliance and development.
- Techniques like PERT (Program Evaluation and Review Technique).
- Modern trends in educational management.

Unit II: Leadership in Educational Administration

1. Foundations of Leadership

- Meaning and nature of leadership.
- Theories of leadership.

2. Leadership Practices

- Styles of leadership.
- Measurement and evaluation of leadership effectiveness.

Unit III: Educational Planning

1. Introduction to Educational Planning

- Meaning and nature of educational planning.
- Different approaches to educational planning (e.g., manpower, social demand, and cost-benefit approaches).

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2. Types of Planning

- Perspective planning.
- Institutional planning.

Unit IV: Educational Supervision

1. Role of Supervision

- Meaning and nature of educational supervision.
- Supervision as a service activity.
- Supervision as a process.

2. Supervision as Leadership

Supervisors as educational leaders.

Unit V: Aspects of Educational Management

1. Core Functions of Management

Planning, organizing, and controlling.

2. Specialized Management Practices

- Human resource management in schools.
- Conflict management techniques.
- o Time management strategies for administrators and teachers.

Practical Tasks

- 1. **Case Study:** Analyze the leadership style of a school administrator and its impact on school culture.
- 2. **Planning Exercise:** Prepare a sample institutional plan for a school, including objectives, resources, and evaluation methods.
- 3. **Supervisory Role-Play:** Demonstrate supervisory techniques in a simulated classroom setting.

Recommended Indian Books

- 1. "School Administration and Organization" by S.R. Vashist.
- 2. "Educational Leadership and Management" by P.K. Singh.
- 3. "Modern School Organization and Management" by S.K. Kochhar.
- 4. **"Educational Administration, Planning, and Supervision"** by R.P. Singh and S. Sharma.



8. Basic Computer Education (TTD-101)

Theory Content:

Unit 1: Introduction to Computers

- Definition, Characteristics, Types, and Generations.
- Components: Hardware, Software, and Networking Basics.

Unit 2: Operating System (Windows 7)

Features and File Management.

Unit 3: Microsoft Office Overview

- Basics of MS Word, Excel, and PowerPoint.
- Ribbon Interface.

Unit 4: MS Word 2010

Formatting, Tabs, Mail Merge, and Review Tools.

Unit 5: MS Excel 2010

Spreadsheets, Functions, Charts, and Data Management.

Unit 6: MS PowerPoint 2010

Creating Presentations, Animations, and Slide Shows.

Unit 7: Internet Basics

Browsers, URLs, Search Engines, and Online Safety.

Recommended Books

- "Computer Fundamentals" by P.K. Sinha.
- "Introduction to Computers" by Peter Norton.



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