

INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT QUESTIONS

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Dear Students,

Every student of M.A Philosophy Semester I has to write and submit **Assignment** for each paper compulsorily. Each assignment carries **30 marks**. The marks awarded to the students will be forwarded to the Examination Branch, OU for inclusion in the marks memo. If the student fail to submit Internal Assignments before the stipulated date, the internal marks will not be added in the final marks memo under any circumstances. The assignments will not be accepted after the stipulated date. **Candidates should submit assignments only in the academic year in which the examination fee is paid for the examination for the first time.**

Candidates are required to submit the Exam fee receipt along with the assignment answers scripts at the concerned counter on or before **30-07-2025** and obtain proper submission receipt.

ASSIGNMENT WITHOUT EXAMINATION FEE PAYMENT RECEIPT (ONLINE) WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Assignments on Printed / Photocopy / Typed will not be accepted and will not be valued at any cost. Only HAND WRITTEN ASSIGNMENTS will be accepted and valued.

Students are advised not to use Black Pen.

Methodology for writing the Assignments (Instructions) :

1. First read the subject matter in the course material that is supplied to you.
2. If possible read the subject matter in the books suggested for further reading.
3. You are welcome to use the PGRRCDE Library on all working days for collecting information on the topic of your assignments. (10.30 am to 5.00 pm).
4. Give a final reading to the answer you have written and see whether you can delete unimportant or repetitive words.
5. The cover page of the each theory assignments must have information as given in FORMAT below.

FORMAT

1. NAME OF THE STUDENT :
2. ENROLLMENT NUMBER :
3. NAME OF THE COURSE :
4. SEMESTER (I, II, III & IV) :
5. TITLE OF THE PAPER :
6. DATE OF SUBMISSION :
6. Write the above said details clearly on every subject assignments paper, otherwise your paper will not be valued.
7. Tag all the assignments paper wise and submit them in the concerned counter.
8. Submit the assignments on or before **30-07-2025** at the concerned counter at PGRRCDE, OU on any working day and obtain receipt.

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M.A. PHILOSOPHY Semester-I

INTERNAL ASSESSMENT

PAPER - I: HISTORY OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHY

SECTION - A

UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)

5x2=10

1. Define Philosophy? Discuss its nature and Scope.
2. What is Atomism of Democritus ?
3. What is Socratic problem and method ? Explain.
4. Write a note on Aristotle's theory of causation.
5. Write a brief note on St. Augustine's Philosophy.

Section – B

UNIT – II : Answer the following Questions (each question carries Five marks) 2x10=20

1. What is the problem of Substance ? Explain in detail.
2. Write an essay on Post-Aristotelian Philosophy – including cynicism, Epicureanism, Stoicism, skepticism and Neo - Platonism.

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PAPER - II: HISTORY OF INDIAN PHILOSOPHY

SECTION - A

UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)

5x2=10

- 1) Describe Vedas
- 2) Syadvada
- 3) Four Noble Truths
- 4) Theory of Karma
- 5) Hedonism of Chavaka

Section – B

UNIT – II : Answer the following Questions (each question carries Five marks) 2x10=20

- 1) Concept of Brahman and Atma / Soul.
- 2) Four Philosophical schools of Buddhism.

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PAPER - III: MORAL PHILOSOPHY

SECTION - A

UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)

5x2=10

1. What are the uses of the study of Ethics ?
2. Explain the relation between Ethics and Religion.
3. Write a note on moral Judgment.
4. Discuss about the Kant's moral philosophy.
5. Write a note on four noble Truths.

Section – B

UNIT – II : Answer the following Questions (each question carries Five marks) 2x10=20

1. Define Ethics ? And explain it's nature and - scope of Ethics ?
2. Write an essay on moral thought in Indian – Philosophy ?

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PAPER - IV: LOGIC AND EPISTEMOLOGY

SECTION - A

UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)

5x2=10

1. Definition of Logic.
2. What is proposition?
3. Define Syllogism.
4. What is Definition and Division?
5. Define Hypothesis.

Section – B

UNIT – II : Answer the following Questions (each question carries Five marks) 2x10=20

1. Determine the scope of logic and indicate - the uses of its study.
2. What is - the classification of syllogism and moods.
