**BRDE-101** 

## Bachelor's Degree Programme (BDP)

# Elective Course Rural Development: Indian Context

Assignment for students admitted in July 2018 and January 2019 session



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### INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY Elective Course - Rural Development: Indian Context

Course Code: BRDE-101 Assignment Code: BRDE-101/AST/2018 - 19

#### Dear Student

As explained in the Programme Guide for BDP, now you have to submit only one Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA) for the elective course in Rural Development (BRDE – 101).

**Instructions**: Before attempting the assignment please read the following instructions carefully:

- 1) Read the detailed instructions for assignments given in the Programme Guide for BDP.
- 2) Read the instructions given at each assignment.
- 3) Use only foolscap size paper for your response and tie all the pages carefully.
- 4) Write the appropriate question number against each answer.
- 5) Limit the length of your answer to the prescribed number of words.
- 6) The top of the first page of your response sheet for TMA should look like as the following.

Enrolment No.	Course Title:
Course Code: BRDE–101	Name of Study Centre:
Name & Address (Block Letters)	
	Signature:
	Date:

Assignment should be submitted on or before 31-03-2019 for July 2018 session and 31-09-2019 for January 2019 session to the Coordinator of your Study Center.

### Assignment – BRDE – 101 (TMA)

Maximum Marks: 100

- Note: (i) Your answer to each question should not exceed 1000 words.
  - (ii) Each question carries 20 marks.
  - (iii) Attempt any five of the following questions.
  - 1. Explain major types and features of Indian rural society in terms of caste and class.
  - 2. Discuss major objectives and various facets of development.
  - 3. What do you mean by Human Development Index? Describe its important features.
  - 4. Define sustainable development. Describe important strategies for sustainable rural development in India.
  - 5. Discuss important features and functioning of cooperatives in rural areas.
  - 6. Critically analyze the significance of education for individual, society and nation.
  - 7. Describe the concept, types and functions of voluntary organizations.
  - 8. Discuss the contributions of some important NGOs working for the development of youth in India.