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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

(5 × 20 = 100)

1. What is research? Mention the types of research and the importance of each type.
2. Explain the role of observation method in Social Science research.
3. Write in detail about the identification and formulation of a research problem.
4. Define hypothesis. Explain the different types of hypothesis with suitable examples.
5. Explain the purpose of writing research report. Discuss in detail the structure of a research report.
6. What are the different types of interviews? Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of interview method.
7. Define case study. Discuss the characteristics, merits and limitations of case study method.

8. Define sample. Discuss in detail the different methods of sampling.
 9. Write short notes on any THREE of the following:
 - (a) Experimental research
 - (b) Style manuals
 - (c) SPSS
 - (d) Questionnaire method
 - (e) Historical method
 - (f) Documentary sources
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