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DEGREE EXAMINATIONS:: DECEMBER - 2024 FIRST SEMESTER PART-III SKILL DEVELOPMENT COURSES PAPER-I: TOURISM GUIDANCE

(New Regulations 20-21)

Time: 2hrs Max. Marks: 50

SECTION-A

Answer any FOUR questions. Each answer carries 5 marks

4X5=20Marks

- 1. What is the primary role of a tourist guide in the tourism industry?
- 2. List four essential qualities of a professional tourist guide.
- 3. Define "cultural sensitivity" and explain its importance in tourism.
- 4. Why is itinerary planning significant for a successful tour?
- 5. What are some challenges tourist guides face during their work?
- 6. Define "sustainable tourism" and provide an example.
- 7. Explain how local language proficiency benefits tourist guides.
- 8. What is the role of time management in the profession of tour guiding?

SECTION-B

Answer any THREE questions. Each answer carries 10 marks

3X10=30Marks

- 9. Discuss the major factors that contribute to the attractiveness of tourist destinations.
- 10. Explain the different types of guiding services and their importance in tourism.
- 11. Elaborate on the ethical responsibilities of a tourist guide during a tour.
- 12. Highlight the critical skills needed for managing crises during adventure tours.
- 13. Describe the significance of grooming and personal presentation in building a tourist guide's professional image.