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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) What is library classification? Discuss its need and purpose.

Or

- (b) Explain the modes of formation of subjects with suitable examples.

2. (a) Describe different schemes of library classification and explain them briefly.

Or

- (b) Discuss the canons applicable to verbal plane.

3. (a) What do you understand by 'Postulational Approach'? Discuss its need and advantages in library classification.

Or

- (b) Explain the applications of common isolates in DDC and CC.

4. (a) What do you understand by 'Devices'? Briefly explain the devices used in colon classification.

Or

- (b) Critically examine the merits and demerits of Dr.S.R. Ranganathans methods of book number.

5. Write short notes on any THREE of the following :

- (a) Mixed notation  
(b) Systems and specials.  
(c) Loose assemblage.  
(d) Collection number.  
(e) Mnemonics.
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