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Even Semester Mid Term, March 2026

Date: 12/03/2026

Time: 11:45 AM - 01:15 PM

Course Code: MSP4204

Course Name: Qualitative Research Methods

Semester: Second Semester

Max. Marks: 50

Weightage: 50%

CO - Levels	CO1	CO2	CO3
Marks	8	22	60

PART-A: Answer Following Questions. 10 M

Qn.No	Questions	M	CO	BT
1	What is meant by the Interpretive Paradigm in qualitative research?	2	CO1	BT1
2	Explain the concept of Researcher Subjectivity .	2	CO1	BT1
3	Define Credibility in qualitative research.	2	CO1	BT1
4	What is Narrative Inquiry ?	2	CO1	BT1
5	Define Ethnography .	2	CO2	BT1

PART-B: Answer Any 1 Following Questions. 10 M

Qn.No	Questions	M	CO	BT
6	Discuss the Philosophical Foundations of Qualitative Research , with reference to constructivism and phenomenology.	10	CO2	BT2
7	Discuss ethical principles in qualitative research , including informed consent and confidentiality.	10	CO2	BT2

PART-C: Answer Any 1 Following Questions. 10 M

Qn.No	Questions	M	CO	BT
8	Compare grounded theory and phenomenology as	10	CO3	BT4

	qualitative designs.			
9	Examine the significance of reflexive practice in qualitative inquiry.	10	CO3	BT4

PART-D: Answer Any 1 Following Questions. 10 M

Qn.No	Questions	M	CO	BT
10	Interpret the strengths and limitations of case study design .	10	CO3	BT3
11	Illustrate the relevance of action research in psychological and educational contexts.	10	CO3	BT3

PART-E: Answer Any 1 Following Questions. 10 M

Qn.No	Questions	M	CO	BT
12	A researcher seeks to understand how patients experience recovery after a major medical procedure. Select an appropriate qualitative design and justify your choice.	10	CO3	BT5
13	Assess methodological fit in design selection.	10	CO3	BT5