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Assignments 2025-2026

For July 2025 and January 2026 admission cycle





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Dear Students,

As explained in the Programme Guide, you have to do one Tutor Marked Assignment for each course. We are sending the assignments of all the **fifteen courses** together in this booklet.

Assignment is given 30% weightage in the final assessment. To be eligible to appear in the Term-End Examination, it is compulsory for you to submit the assignments as per the schedule. Before attempting the assignments, you should carefully read the instructions given in the Programme Guide.

These assignments are valid for two admission cycles (**July 2025 and January 2026**).

In case you are planning to appear in June Term-End Examination, you must submit the assignments to the Coordinator of your Study Centre latest by **15th March**, and if you are planning to appear in December Term-End Examination, you must submit them latest by **15th October** or as per university guidelines provided from time to time on IGNOU website.

TUTORMARKED ASSIGNMENT

CourseCode	:	MER–001
Course Title	:	Business Environment
Assignment Code	:	MER-01/TMA/2025-
26Coverage	:	All Blocks

Maximum Marks: 100

Attempt all the questions

- Q.1** **a)** Explain the concept of social accounting and the various approaches adopted for social accounting and reporting. **(10+10)**
b) Define the term 'Social Systems' and discuss its main elements.
- Q.2** **a)** Why is Indian economy regarded an under developed economy? **(10+10)**
State its basic characteristics.
b) What are the major constraints that are being faced by the small-scale sector? Discuss ways and means to overcome such constraints.
- Q.3** Discuss important features of Business Environment and Explain the Micro Environment of Business Environment with example. **(20)**
- Q.4** Describe Indian money market with reference to its main constituents. **(20)**
- Q.5** How does socio-cultural environment affect business decision-making? **(20)**
Give a brief sketch of the nature of socio-cultural environment prevailing in India.