**Guidelines for formatting your assignment.**

* Assignments must be typed in a **Microsoft Word Document** as per the following instructions:
* The front page should consist of the learner’s name in **CAPITAL LETTERS** along with their Roll Number, Program, Semester, Course Name and Code.
* **Page Size:** A-4
* **Margin:** 1-inch on all sides
* **Font:** Times New Roman
* **Font Size:** 12
* **Alignment:** Justified.
* The total page limit **shall not exceed 12 pages**.

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**NOTE: You are advised to stick to the timelines of submissions.**

**Guidelines for submitting your assignment.**

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**ASSIGNMENT**

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| **SESSION** | **AUG/SEP 2023** |
| **PROGRAM** | **MASTER of business administration (mBA)** |
| **SEMESTER** | **II** |
| **course CODE & NAME** | **dmba201 – PRODUCTION AND OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT** |
| **CREDITS**  | **4** |
| **nUMBER OF ASSIGNMENTS & Marks** | **02****30 Marks each** |

**Note:** Answer all questions. Kindly note that answers for 10 marks questions should be approximately of 400 - 450 words. Each question is followed by evaluation scheme.

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| **Q.No** | **Assignment Set – 1****Questions** | **Marks** | **Total Marks** |
|  | 1. ***Explain the functions of Production Planning and Control***
2. ***What is benchmarking? Explain steps of benchmarking.***
 | **5****5** | **10** |
|  | 1. ***Explain basic competitive priorities considered while formulating operations strategy of a firm.***
2. ***Write a short note on qualitative forecasting methods.***
 | **5** **5** | **10** |
|  | 1. ***Describe the general factors that influence the plant location decision.***
2. ***What are the factors to be considered while developing layout for manufacturing facilities?***
 | **8****2** | **10** |

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| **Q.No** | **Assignment Set – 2****Questions** | **Marks** | **Total Marks** |
|  | 1. ***Briefly describe various approaches to TQM.***
2. ***What are the functions/tasks of a business analyst?***
 | **8****2** | **10** |
|  | 1. ***Explain the reasons for failure of a project.***
2. ***What is Bullwhip Effect in Supply Chain Management and how can it be prevented?***
 | **5****5** | **10** |
|  | 1. ***What is detailed and cumulative scheduling? State the scheduling guidelines.***
2. ***Discuss the concept of 5S with reference to Just-In-Time.***
 | **5****5** | **10** |