## 2024

## ( Value Added Course )

Paper: VAC0100202

## ( Traditional Knowledge System of the Bodos )

Full Marks: 30

Time: 11/2 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

- **1.** Answer the following questions:  $1 \times 5 = 5$ 
  - (a) What rice is used in making Enthab Phitha (Enthab cake) in the Bodo society?
  - (b) Write the name of thing made by mixing rice and other leaves of the plant.
  - (c) In which disease is Thulansi (Tulsi or Basil) plant used by the Bodos?
  - (d) Write the name of the house where the paddy is kept.
  - (e) How many holes are in the Siphung (flute)?

- 2. Answer/Write very short of the following (any *five*): 2×5=10
  - (a) What are the elements used in Ondla Wngkhri (Bodo cuisine)?
  - (b) Why do the Bodo people take snails once in a year according to their beliefs?
  - (c) Causes of consuming/taking Dao Bidwi (chicken broth)
  - (d) Preparation of Narzi cuisine
  - (e) Kharwi or Khar (local alkali)
  - (f) Belagur/Bihughar (Bhelaghar)
  - (g) Aronai
  - (h) Nangwi (Nangal)
  - (i) Dala (Dola)
  - (i) Jou (rice beer)
- 3. Write in short of the following (any three):

5×3=15

- (a) Traditional seed presentation of the Bodos
- (b) Eri silk and sustainable development
- (c) Preparation of Emao

- (d) Traditional agricultural tools of the Bodos
- (e) Traditional Bodo food and marketization
- (f) Traditional healer or 'Oja'

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