

M.A. First Year, Psychology
Paper I — GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

Answer any FIVE questions.
 All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the meaning and definition of psychology and its modern perspectives.
2. Discuss the elements of central nervous system on behaviour and experience of Human beings.
3. Describe the various cues of depth perception.
4. Discuss about the importance of memory in Human learning and explain STM and LTM.
5. Discuss the theories of Motivation.
6. What do you mean by stress? Explain the coping strategies of stress.
7. How intelligence can be assessed? Explain different tests of intelligence.
8. Discuss the genetic and environment influence on intelligence.
9. Explain Type, Trait theories of personality.
10. Explain different techniques of personality assessment.

Paper II — DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

Answer any FIVE questions.
 All questions carry equal marks.

1. What are the principles of development? Explain the Hazards of Infancy.
2. What are the characteristics of prenatal period?
3. What are the developmental tasks of early childhood? Explain.
4. What are the major steps of physiological development?
5. Explain the bodily changes at puberty.
6. Adolescence is a critical stage in human growth and development – Discuss.
7. What are the personal and adjustment problems of Early Adulthood?
8. What are the middle age problems? Explain.
9. What are the characteristics and old age problems?
10. Explain vocational and family adjustment problems in old age.

Paper III — PERSONALITY

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

- 1.Explain in detail the meaning and definition of personality.
 - 2.What are the determinants of personality?
 - 3.Explain Carl Jung's analytic theory of personality.
 - 4.Discuss Adler's social psychological theory of personality.
 - 5.Explain Cattle's trait theory of personality.
 - 6.Analyse the Eysencks biological trait theory of personality.
 - 7.Explain Carl Roger's person centered theory.
 - 8.What is Humansitic Approach in personality? Explain.
 - 9.Discuss B.F. Skinner's Operant conditioning theory.
 - 10.Explain structure, dynamic development of Albert Bandura's social learning theory.
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Paper IV — SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

- 1.Explain the theories of attribution.
- 2.Discuss the impression formulation and impression Management.
- 3.Explain the important role of self awareness.
- 4.Discuss the role of direct experience and Genetic factors.
- 5.Write a detailed note on Prejudice.
- 6.Explain the sexual harassment at work place.
- 7.Discuss the pro social Behaviours.
- 8.Explain the characteristics of the victim.
- 9.Discuss the importance group conflict.
- 10.What is aggression? How can it be controlled / Prevented?