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Faculty of Social Sciences
Department of Psychology
M. Sc. Psychology – I year
2021-22

COURSE – 01: PRINCIPLES OF PSYCHOLOGY

Max. Marks: 15

Min. Marks: 06

ASSIGNMENT – I

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SECTION – A

- I. Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.
Each question carries 10 marks.**

1. Define Psychology. Explain any two methods of Psychology with suitable examples.
2. Define Emotion. Enumerate various emotional expressions.

SECTION – B

- II. Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.
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1. What are the structures of hind brain?
2. Write about perceptual distortions.

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SECTION – A

- I. Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.**
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1. Describe Maslow's theory of motivation with appropriate examples
2. Define thinking and explain levels of thinking.

SECTION – B

- II. Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.**
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1. Describe the chemical senses.
2. Enumerate the difference between abilities and achievements.

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SECTION – A

- I. Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.
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1. Describe the historical aspects of social psychology.
2. What is pro-social behavior and explain various factors influencing it.

SECTION – B

- II. Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.
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1. Write about the nature of attribution.
2. Briefly detail about the attribution theory propagated by Heider.

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SECTION – A

- I. Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.**
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1. Which attitude scale is used to measure social distance among people? Describe.
2. Describe the various methods of controlling aggression.

SECTION – B

- II. Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.**
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1. Explain briefly about self-role congruence.
2. Write a brief note on the techniques of Impression Management.

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SECTION – A

I. Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.

Each question carries 10 marks.

1. How does a Psychologist help for those affected by ADHD and Conduct Disorder?
2. What are the specific psychological disorders faced in childhood that may impair child's personal growth and happiness?

SECTION – B

II. Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.

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1. Write a note on humanistic view.
2. What are the effects of divorce on individuals and children?

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SECTION – A

I. Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.

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1. Define Anxiety disorders and discuss about various symptoms of Anxiety disorders.
2. Explain about the four main categories of abnormal behavior?

SECTION – B

II. Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.

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1. Enumerate the techniques used in assertiveness training.
2. Write about different types of amnesia.

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SECTION – A

Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.

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1. Explain the stages of life span and principles of growth and development
2. Explain various levels of moral development with suitable examples.

SECTION – B

Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.

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1. When does one become elderly?
2. Illustrate hazards during infancy.

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SECTION – A

Answer any one of the following in about 40 lines.
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1. What are the sources of occupational stress? Explain
2. Enumerate common health disorders during late adulthood.

SECTION – B

Answer any one of the following in about 20 lines.
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1. What are the factors that affect adjustment to retirement?
2. Write a note on adjustment to parenthood.