M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION —
JUNE 2018.

First Year

ADVANCED GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : 3 hours Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Write a short note on synapse and classification of nervous system.

2. Explain the characteristics of sensation.

3. Distinguish between the terms memory, forgetting and amnesia.

4. Explain the steps in problem solving.

5. State the mechanism behind movement perceptual constancy and mention the depth of perception.
PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Define personality and compare the social learning theory and biological theories of personality.

7. Write an essay on the schools of psychology.

8. Distinguish the salient features of scientific method and explain its use in psychology.

9. Explain briefly the steps to take a decision in any situation.

10. Write in detail about the meaning, source and management of stress.

11. Explain the assessment of intelligence.

12. Write in detail about the meaning and principles of classical conditioning.
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ADVANCED SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : 3 hours Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Explain the various types of groups.
2. Write short notes on conformity.
3. Define Pro-Social behaviour.
4. What is meant by empathy?
5. Briefly describe the various types of aggression.

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. “Attractiveness may also cause resentment –
   Justify.
7. Mention the potential source of error in Social Cognition.
8. Describe the principles underlying compliance.

9. Explain the role of personality in Pro-Social Behaviour.

10. Discuss the determinants of aggression.

11. Describe the methods to avoid the effect of crowding.

12. Point out the major theories of Group Formation.
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LIFE SPAN PSYCHOLOGY

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PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Enlist the typical skills of early childhood.

2. Write short notes on information processing approach.

3. Explain the physical health of adulthood.

4. Mention five common factors influencing on work-life balance during young adulthood.

5. Enlist the cognitive perspective in the personality development of childhood.
PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Elaborate the meaning and characteristics of prenatal period.

7. Outline the physical and psychological hazards that occur in old age period.

8. Explain briefly the characteristics of adulthood towards vocational selection and marital adjustments.

9. Explain any five major areas of interest during childhood.


12. Explain briefly the memory, intelligence and moral development of individual.
1. Define hypothesis and its types.

2. Describe characteristics of a good research design.

3. What are the factors that determine the selection of tools for enquiry?

4. Enumerate sources of hypothesis.

5. Explain note taking.
PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Enumerate the limitations of scientific research method.

7. Explain the procedure for controlling variance.

8. Discuss about various types of hypotheses.


10. Explain the determinants of sample size.

11. Describe the procedure for hypothesis testing.