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## B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2023

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# SEMESTER IV - CORE COURSE (PSYCHOLOGY)

# **PY4CRT10 - SOCIAL INTERACTIONS AND HUMAN BEHAVIOUR**

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

#### Part A

# I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

- 1. Write two definitions of Social Influence.
- 2. Discuss any two categories of Social Influence.
- 3. What is pluralistic ignorance?
- 4. What is reciprocity norm in the context of helping others?
- 5. Explain two ways in which aggression can be reduced.
- 6. Alcohol consumption leads to aggression. Explain in a few lines.
- 7. Explain distraction-conflict theory.
- 8. What is meant by social inhibition? Give an example.
- 9. What is a lineup?
- 10. Write short note on prejudice.
- 11. Write two purposes of a psychological test
- 12. What is standardization of a test?

# Part B

## II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

- 13. What is meant by private acceptance and public compliance? Give examples to explain.
- 14. Do we help people we like? Explain.
- 15. Why do people engage in defensive helping?
- 16. Illustrate the General Aggression Model (GAM).
- 17. Describe "Group Think" and its symptoms.
- 18. Discuss the meaning of Status in groups.
- 19. How does subtle social pressure lead to disastrous errors in line-ups?
- 20. Discuss how characteristics of defendants influence legal proceedings?
- 21. How are tests classified based on response pattern?

#### Part C

## III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

- 22. Discuss the underlying principles and techniques of compliance.
- 23. The greater the number of bystanders present, the smaller the proportion who help. Explain keeping the case of Kitty Genovese in mind.
- 24. How does personality traits cause aggression?
- 25. Describe the various methods of Group Decision Making and its advantages and disadvantages.