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BACHELOR'S DEGREE EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2025

2025 ADMISSIONS REGULAR

SEMESTER I - MAJOR (PSYCHOLOGY)

PS1DSCA01B24 - Foundations and Methods of Psychology

Time : 1.5 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Part A

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark. (1x10=10)

1. What is the key area of study under social psychology? [CO1,Understand]
2. Who introduced the method of Introspection? [CO1,Remember]
3. What is the key focus of the branch of forensic psychology? [CO1,Understand]
4. What is a confounding variable? Give one example. [CO2,Remember]
5. What is a positive correlation? Give an example. [CO2,Remember]
6. What is observer bias? [CO2,Remember]
7. Explain the Gestalt law of good figure. [CO3,Understand]
8. Write a note on the concept of super ego proposed by Freud. [CO4,Remember]
9. What is a projective test? [CO4,Remember]
10. What are the Self-Actualization needs according to Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs? [CO4,Remember]

Part B

Answer any 2 questions from the bunch of CO1. Each question carries 5 mark. (5x2=10)

11. Briefly explain the key contributions of the psychoanalytic school of thought. [CO1,Understand]
12. Briefly explain any five modern perspectives in the field of psychology. [CO1,Remember]
13. Name and explain any five branches of psychology. [CO1,Remember]

Part B

Answer any 2 questions from the bunch of CO2. Each question carries 5 mark. (5x2=10)

14. Write a note on the goals of psychology. [CO2,Remember]
15. What is a confounding variable? Write ways to reduce its impact. [CO2,Remember]
16. Briefly explain Naturalistic observation as a method of psychological research. [CO2,Understand]

Part B

Answer any 2 questions from the bunch of CO4. Each question carries 5 mark. (5x2=10)

17. Explain the various levels of the psyche with an example. [CO4,Understand]
18. Define Trait, and explain any two trait theories. [CO4,Understand]
19. Briefly discuss Carl Jung's contribution to the field of psychology. [CO4,Understand]

Part C

Answer any 1 question from the bunch of CO3. Each question carries 10 mark. **(10x1=10)**

20. Write a detailed note on the factors affecting attention. [CO3,Remember]

21. Illustrate the five stages of sleep with reference to brain wave patterns and physiological changes. [CO3,Understand]