

B A DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - JULY 2021
SEMESTER 2 : PSYCHOLOGY (COMPLEMENTARY FOR B A ENGLISH)
COURSE : 20U2CPPSY2 : PSYCHOLOGY OF INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES
(For Regular - 2020 Admission)

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A

Answer any 10 (1 marks each)

1. is a type of attention that is involved in multi-tasking.
2. is the most central member of a category.
3. is a condition characterised by significant limitations both in intellectual functioning and in conceptual, social and practical adaptive skills.
4. Which psychologist invented the first individual intelligence test?
5. operates under the pleasure principle.
6. is the pattern of enduring characteristics that produce consistency and individuality in a given person.
7. According to Freud, in what stage of psychosexual development does the Oedipus complex take place?
8. According to Erickson, what is the developmental crisis that happens in the sixth stage of psychosocial development?
9. is the tendency to resist change in order to maintain a stable, relatively constant internal environment.
10. theory states that an initial emotional reaction is followed by the opposite reaction in an attempt to produce homeostasis.

(1 x 10 = 10)

PART B

Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

11. Define memory and its processes.
12. What are the different types of perceptual constancy?
13. What are the levels of support required by the four distinct categories of MR?
14. How is Wechsler tests different from Stanford-Binet test?
15. Explain variable schedule of reinforcement?
16. Differentiate stimulus generalization and stimulus discrimination.
17. Define object permanence?
18. What is Reciprocal determinism?
19. What are need, drive and homeostasis?
20. Describe the characteristics of individuals with high achievement motivation?

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C

Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

21. Explain components of thought.
22. Explain Dunker's candle box experiment?
23. Elucidate WAIS.
24. Write a short note on (i) Phenylketonuria (ii) Down syndrome (iii) Fragile X-syndrome.
25. Explain levels of consciousness and Structure of mind.

26. Elaborate on psychosexual stages of development.
27. Give an account of McClelland's Theory of Needs?

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

28. Discuss cognition in detail.
29. Explain the nature and nurture controversy with regard to intelligence.
30. Explain in detail the theories of Neo-Freudians.
31. Explain Bandura's social learning theory.

(12 x 2 = 24)