

B. A . DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : MARCH 2023
SEMESTER 2 : PSYCHOLOGY (COMPLEMENTARY FOR BA ENGLISH LITERATURE)
COURSE : 19U2CPPSY2B : PSYCHOLOGY OF INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES

(For Regular - 2022 Admission and Improvement / Supplementary – 2021/2020 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A
Answer All (1 mark each)

1. The tendency to fill any missing part or incomplete figures and see them as complete figures illustrates the ----- principle.
2. The tendency to pay attention primarily to the information that affirms existing views refers to -----.
3. A 5 year old performs at a mental age of 3. What is IQ score?
4. Misty Coleman is an outstanding ballerina. Which of Gardner's multiple intelligences is she most clearly demonstrating when she dances?
5. ----- operates under the reality principle.
6. A rape victim not able to remember what she has gone through is an example of ----- defense mechanism.
7. Who proposed stages of psychosocial development?
8. ----- occurs when we modify or change new information to fit into our schemas.
9. Debbie's TAT story depicts a young girl who is rejected by one of her peers and seeks to regain her friendship. What major type of motivation is Debbie displaying in her story?
10. Who developed TAT?

(1 x 10 = 10)

PART B
Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

11. Describe two types of rehearsal.
12. Describe the two types of thinking proposed by Kahneman.
13. What are the diagnostic criteria in DSM-5 for MR?
14. What is Giftedness?
15. Explain the elements of observational learning.
16. What are the characteristics of humanistic theories?
17. Differentiate between accommodation and assimilation.
18. What are the characteristics of person with high sense of self-efficacy?
19. What the primary emotions proposed by Robert Plutchik?
20. Explain the role of sympathetic nervous system in fight or flight response?

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C
Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

21. Explain depth perception in detail.
22. Explain Atkinson- Shiffrin Model.

23. Elucidate emotional intelligence and its components.
24. Elaborate on Thurston's primary mental abilities.
25. Give an account of different types of reinforcement and punishment.
26. Explain Bandura's Self system.
27. Write a short note on (i) two factor theory (ii) cognitive appraisal theory (iii) opponent process theory.

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

28. Discuss memory enhancement strategies.
29. Explain the evolution of intelligence testing.
30. Elaborate on the behaviouristic perspective of personality.
31. Elaborate on Piaget's cognitive development.

(12 x 2 = 24)