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B. Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : MARCH 2023

SEMESTER 4 : PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE : 19U4CRPSY04: SOCIAL INTERACTIONS AND HUMAN BEHAVIOUR

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

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A

Answer All (1 mark each)

1. Splintering of a group into distinct factions following an ideological rift among members is called -----.
2. WISC stands for -----.
3. Provoking statements that call attention to the target's flaws and imperfections is called -----.
4. The tendency for people to feel that responsibility for acting is shared or diffused, among those present is called -----.
5. Questions asked of witnesses or suspects by police or by attorneys that are worded so as to suggest specific answers is called -----.
6. Negative stereotype about how people behave in crowds at sporting events is called -----.
7. ----- theory is a variation of natural selection that favors behavior by individuals that will increase the chances of their relatives surviving and reproducing successfully.
8. ----- suggest important reason that people help others to boost their own status and reputation
9. Solomon Asch's classic experiment (in which subjects judged a standard line and comparison lines) was arranged to test -----.
10. Giving up the desire to punish someone who has hurt us and seeking, instead, to act in kind, helpful ways towards them is called -----.

(1 x 10 = 10)

PART B

Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

11. What are leading questions?
12. Differentiate between common-bond groups and common-identity groups with examples.
13. Explain primacy effect from the context of legal system.
14. How does the negative-state relief model explain the mechanism behind prosocial behavior?
15. Differentiate Type A and Type B behaviour pattern.
16. What are the factors that determine whether punishment will act as a deterrent to aggressive behavior or not?
17. Differentiate between norm referenced test and criterion referenced test.
18. What is Playing Hard to Get technique?
19. Distinguish individual and group tests with an example.
20. What are addictive tasks?

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C

Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

21. Write a short note on (i) Empathy-Altruism Hypothesis (ii) Negative- State Relief Hypothesis (iii) Empathetic Joy Hypothesis
22. Why does destructive obedience occur? Discuss the various strategies that can be employed by people to resist destructive obedience.
23. Write short note on (i) competitive altruism (ii) kin selection theory
24. Write a short note on decision-making by groups.
25. Why does errors in eyewitness occur?
26. What are the two major assertions made by the frustration aggression hypothesis? Highlight the contrary evidence proposed by researchers for this hypothesis.
27. Explain intelligence tests in detail.

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

28. Give a detailed account of compliance and obedience.
29. Elaborate on report writing.
30. Explain bystander effect and the five decision points in helping behaviour.
31. Give a detailed account of are the personal, situational and cultural determinants of aggression.

(12 x 2 = 24)