

SEMESTER I
THEORY PAPER: GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY-A

Total Marks: 70

End- Semester Exam: 50 marks

Internal Assessment: 20 marks

Pass Marks: 35%

Time Allowed: 3Hrs

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER-SETTER

The question paper will consist of three sections A, B and C. Section A and B will have four questions each from the respective sections of the syllabus, out of which the candidate will be required to attempt two questions each. Each question will carry 8 marks. Section C is compulsory and shall comprise of 9 short answer type questions carrying 2 marks each covering the entire syllabus. The students are allowed to use any method to solve the statistics numerical.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt two questions from Section A & 2 Questions from Section B and the entire section C. The short type answer should be written in approximately 50 words in 3-4 lines. *Note: Use of Non-Programmable Calculators and Statistical Tables allowed*

SECTION A

- i. Introduction to Psychology; Nature and Scope. Approaches: Biological and Evolutionary, Psychodynamic. Behaviourist, Cognitive, Humanistic.
- ii. Method of Psychology: Introspection Observation, Case Study, Experimental Method, Survey, Field Study.

SECTION B

- i. Personality: Nature, Biological and Socio-Cultural Factors, Theories-Freud, Allport, Cattell, Eysenck.
- ii. Statistics: Measures of Central Tendency (Mean, Median, Mode) and Variability (Range, Average Deviation, Quartile Deviation, Standard Deviation). Graphical Representation of Data: Histogram, frequency polygon and Ogive

TEXT BOOKS

1. Benjamin, Jr. L.T., Hopkings. J.R., & Nation, J.R. (1987). Psychology. New York: Macmillan Publishing Co.
2. Morgan, C.T., King, R.A., Weisz, J.R., & Schopler. J. (1986). Introduction to Psychology. New York: McGraw Hill Book Co.
3. Baron. R.A. (1996). Psychology. New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India.
4. Fieldman, R.S. (1996). Understanding Psychology. New Delhi: Tata McGraw Hill.
5. Garrett, H. (1996). Statistics in Psychology and Education. Bombay: Vakils, Feffer and Simons.

General Psychology-A LAB

Total Marks: 30

Pass Marks: 35%

End- Semester Exam: 20 marks

Internal Assessment: 10 marks

Time Allowed: 1.5 hrs

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PRACTICAL EXAMINATION

Students will perform three practicals. Practical examination will be of 1.5 hours duration. External examiner will conduct the practical examination. The examiner will evaluate the practical on the basis of write-up of file book, performance and viva-voce. No re-appear will be allowed in the practical examination. Fail in the practical will be considered fail overall in the subject. For practical examination, one group of students will not comprise of more than 20 students at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Practical will be held by external examiner. Evaluation will be based on actual performance, write up of practical file, performance and viva relating to the practical given for performance.

Following Practical have to be performed (Any 3 out of 5):

1. Personality Inventory (EPI)
2. Sentence Completion Test
3. Transfer of learning
4. Maze Learning
5. Survey

SEMESTER 2

THEORY PAPER: GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY-B

Total Marks: 70

Pass Marks: 35%

End- Semester Exam: 50 marks

Internal Assessment: 20 marks

Time Allowed: 3 hrs

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER-SETTER

The question paper will consist of three sections A, B and C. Section A and B will have four questions each from the respective sections of the syllabus, out of which the candidate will be required to attempt two questions each. Each question will carry 8 marks. Section C is compulsory and shall comprise of 9 short answer type questions carrying 2 marks each covering the entire syllabus.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt two questions from each Section A and 2 Questions from Section B and the entire section C. The short type answer should be written in approximately 50 words in 3-4 lines.

SECTION A

- i. Biological foundations of behaviour: Nervous system: Central Nervous system: Structure and Functions of Brain Peripheral Nervous system Endocrine system and its functions.
- ii. Intelligence: Nature, Types and Determinants, Genetic and Environmental influences. Types of intelligence tests: Verbal, Non-verbal and Performance Theories: Spearman, Guilford, Thurstone, Gardner

SECTION B

- i. Motivation: Concept, Types of Motives (Biological & Psycho-social), Factors affecting motivation, Theories: Murray, Maslow and McClelland.
- ii. Emotions: Concept, Development, Effect of culture on emotional expression & Physiological correlates. Theories: James-Lange, Cannon-Bard and Schachter-Singer.

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1. Baron. R.A. (1996). Psychology. New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India.
2. Benjamin, Jr. L.T., Hopkings. J.R., & Nation, J.R. (1987). Psychology. New York: Macmillan Publishing Co.
3. Crooks, R.L. & Strin. J. (1988). Psychology: Science, Behaviour and Life. New York: Rinehart and Winston, Inc.
4. Morgan, C.T., King, R.A., Weisz, J.R., & Schopler. J. (1986). Introduction to Psychology. New York: McGraw Hill Book Co.
5. Pandey, J., Sinha, D., & Bhawak, D.P.S. (1996). Asian Contributions to cross-cultural Psychology. New Delhi: Sage Publications.

General Psychology - B LAB

Total Marks : 30

Pass Marks: 35%

End - Semester Exam : 20 marks

Internal Assesment : 10 Marks

Time Allowed : 1.5 hrs

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PRACTICAL EXAMINATION

Students will perform three practicals. Practical examination will be of 1.5 hours duration. External examiner will conduct the practical examination. The examiner will evaluate the practical on the basis of write-up of file book, performance and viva-voce. No re-appear will be allowed in the practical examination. Fail in the practical will be considered fail overall in the subject. For practical examination, one group of students will not comprise of more than 20 students at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Practical will be held by external examiner. Evaluation will be based on actual performance, write up of practical file, performance and viva relating to the practical given for performance.

Following Practicals have to be performed (Any 3 out of 5):

1. Non-verbal Test of Intelligence
2. Performance Test of Intelligence
3. Facial Expressions in Emotions
4. Level of Aspiration
5. Measurement of Motivation