

<b>24 – CS/11</b>
<b>Psychology</b>
<b>Paper – I</b>

*Time : 3 hours*

*Full Marks : 300*

*The questions are of equal value.*

*Candidates should attempt Q. No. 1 from Section – A and Q. No. 5 from Section – B which are compulsory and **three** of the remaining questions, selecting at least **one** from each Section.*

**Section – A**

1. Answer any **three** of the following questions in about **200** words each : **20×3 = 60**
  - (a) What are child rearing practices ? Explain them, in detail, and describe how these practices can have an impact on growth and development of an individual.
  - (b) 'Socialisation process is culturally determined. Evaluate the statement in the

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context of various cultural factors which influence the socialisation process.

(c) "Memory and forgetting are the two sides of the same coin." Explain the statement and enumerate briefly the factors which influence retention and forgetting. Describe any two theories of forgetting.

(d) Explain, with example, the major steps involved in a psychological research.

2. Differentiate the processes of attention and perception. Define perception. What are the factors which help in organisation of perception? Describe the factors which make perception of depth in human being a unique phenomenon. . . . 60

3. Define learning. Bring out differences among conditioning, social learning and cognitive theories. Describe the processes of extinction, discrimination and generalisation with reference to the above theories by quoting suitable examples. . . . 60

4. Give suitable examples and explain the various methods of data collection and statistical techniques, which could be used in the methods of observation, field experiment, clinical and case study, experimental and survey methods. 60

### **Section – B**

5. Answer any **three** of the following in about **200** words each :  $20 \times 3 = 60$

- (a) Enumerate the steps in problem solving with relevant examples.
- (b) Explain Maslow's Need Hierarchy theory of motivation.
- (c) Explain, in detail, the Hierarchical structure of human language.
- (d) Write a note on Artificial intelligence and Extrasensory perception.

6. Explain the concepts 'Attitude and Values' and any two techniques of measuring attitudes bringing out their relative advantages and disadvantages.

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7. Define 'Intelligence and Aptitude'. Explain the concepts 'Emotional intelligence and Multiple intelligence' with relevant examples and also explain how Emotional Intelligence is measured.

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8. Define 'Personality' and explain the salient features of Trait and Type approaches to the study of personality.

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