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PSYCHOLOGY

(Theory)

Full Marks : 70

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

General Instructions :

- (i) Write all the answers in the Answer Script.
- (ii) Attempt Part—A (Objective Questions) serially.
- (iii) Attempt all parts of a question together at one place.

(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 22)

SECTION—I

(Marks : 10)

- 1.** Choose and write the most appropriate answer from the choices provided : 1×5=5

(a) What percent of the population have an average IQ ?

- (i) 6·7%
- (ii) 16·1%
- (iii) 50·0%

(2)

(b) The intense feeling a male child has towards his mother, hostility towards his father and the consequent fear of punishment or castration by his father is termed as

(i) Oedipus complex

(ii) Electra complex

(iii) superiority complex

(c) Which of the following psychotherapy uses the method of free association and reporting of dreams to elicit thoughts and feelings of the client?

(i) Humanistic therapy

(ii) Behaviour therapy

(iii) Psychodynamic therapy

(d) A collection of people who may be present at a place or situation by chance is

(i) audience

(ii) team

(iii) crowd

(3)

(e) Psychologists who are concerned with training employees, improving working conditions and developing criteria for selecting employees are

(i) sports psychologists

(ii) organizational psychologists

(iii) counselling psychologists

2. Indicate whether the following statements are True or False : 1×5=5

(a) All stressful events are inherently bad and destructive.

(b) Exorcism is still commonly used today to remove the evil that resides in the individual.

(c) Pro-social behaviour is more likely to be shown by individuals who have a high level of empathy.

(d) People who live in houses with angular walls will show more error in a geometric illusion.

(e) Sports psychology is a relatively new field and is therefore not accepted worldwide.

(4)

SECTION—II

(Marks : 12)

3. Answer the following questions in less than 30 words
each (any six) : 2×6=12

(a) What is mental age?

(b) Define the concept of Id.

(c) What is abnormal behaviour?

(d) Mention some of the goals of psychotherapy.

(e) What is the major difference between a primary group and a secondary group?

(f) What is crowding?

(g) What is giftedness?

(h) What is aggression?

(5)

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 48)

4. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : $3 \times 4 = 12$

- (a) Three levels of consciousness
- (b) Obsessive-compulsive disorder
- (c) Eating disorders in young people
- (d) Differentiate between social facilitation and social loafing
- (e) Environmental influences on emotions
- (f) Two broad dimensions of personality as proposed by H. J. Eysenck

5. Answer the following questions in less than 100 words each : $4 \times 6 = 24$

- (a) Describe the structure of personality as given by Sigmund Freud.

Or

Describe the Indian notion and Western notion of self.

(6)

(b) What is substance use disorder?

Or

What are hallucinations and delusions?

(c) Briefly explain the nature of relationship between the client and the therapist in a psychotherapeutic setting.

Or

What are some of the techniques used in the rehabilitation of the mentally ill?

(d) What are prejudices? Explain some of the strategies used for handling prejudices.

Or

Explain the concept of cognitive dissonance as proposed by Leon Festinger.

(e) What is obedience? What are some of the reasons for obedience?

Or

What are the factors that determine whether people will cooperate or compete?

(7)

(f) Explain the theory of multiple intelligence as proposed by Gardner.

Or

What are the symptoms associated with depression and mania?

6. Answer the following questions in less than 200 words each : 6×2=12

(a) What is assessment? Briefly explain the different methods used in assessment of psychological attributes.

Or

What is intelligence? Describe the three different types of intelligence as proposed by Robert Sternberg.

(b) Describe the different techniques to manage stress.

Or

Describe the different life skills that individuals can use to deal with the challenges of everyday life.
