

PSYCHOLOGY (HONOURS)
Paper I
General Psychology

Time - 3 hours

Full Marks - 75

One question from each chapter, total being ten, shall be set and examinees shall be required to answer any five out of those ten.

Chapter - 1. Method : Observation, advantages and limitations. Experimental – advantages and limitations/. Variables.

Chapter - 2. Nervous system : Central and Autonomic. Structure and functions of human brain. Methods of studying brain functionings. Theories of cortical functioning—Localization and mass action.

Chapter - 3. Perception : Characteristics and Determinants. Theories-Gestalt and Behaviouristic, Role of personal and social factors, Perception of space.

- Chapter - 4. Learning : Role of motivation in learning; Learning Curve, Theories; Connectionism, Insight and Conditioning-Classical and instrumental.
- Chapter - 5. Remembering and Forgetting : Nature, Ebbing-haus's and Bartlett's view points; Factors of retention; Retroactive inhibition; Nature and theories of forgetting.
- Chapter - 6. Thinking : Thinking and related concepts; Problem Solving, Role of set in thinking; Language and thought. Theories-Central and peripheral , Creative thinking.
- Chapter - 7. Emotion : Nature, Expressions of emotion-covert and overt, Role of A.N.S., Cerebral cortex and hypothalamus. Theories-Jemas-Lange. Cannon-Bard and Activation.
- Chapter - 8. Motivation : Motives and related concepts-Need, drive and incentive; Biogenic and Sociogenic motives, Measurement of biological motives.
- Chapter - 9. Intelligence : Nature, Theories, Measurement of intelligence, Uses of intelligence tests.
- Chapter - 10. Personality : Nature, Types and Traits approaches; determinants—Biogenic and Sociogenic, Measurement of personality.

Books Recommended

1. Psychology—Fundamentals of Human Adjustment
by Norman L. Munn
2. Foundations of Psychology by Boring, Langfeld and Weld
3. Experimental Psychology by Postman and Egan
4. Introduction to Psychology by Morgan, King and Robinson
5. Psychology by Hilgard, Atkinson and Atkinson
6. Samanya Manovigyan ; Vishay Aur Vyakhya
by Azimur Rahman
7. Samanya Manovigyan by R.R.P. Sinha and B. K. Mishra

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Paper II

Psychopathology

Time - 3 hours

Full Marks - 75

One question from each chapter, total being ten, shall be set and examinees shall be required to answer any five out of those ten.

- Chapter 1. Different views about abnormality. A brief history of Psychopathology.
- Chapter 2. Topographical and Dynamic aspects of mind.
- Chapter 3. Psychopathology of everyday life; Mental conflicts and defense mechanisms; Psycho-sexual development.

- Chapter 4. Dream-Dream work; Theories of Freud, Jung and Adler.
- Chapter 5. Neuroses—Difference between neuroses and psychoses; Clinical picture and etiology of anxiety neurosis, Obsessive-Compulsive neurosis, Hysteria and Neurotic depression.
- Chapter 6. Psychoses— Paranoia, Manic-Depressive psychosis and schizophrenia-types, clinical picture and etiology.
- Chapter 7. Psychopathic disorders—Types, Clinical picture and psychodynamics.
- Chapter 8. psychosomatic disorder—Types, clinical pictures and psychodynamics.
- Chapter 9. Psychotherapy—Psychoanalysis, group and behaviour therapies.
- Chapter 10. Mental retardation—Terminology and Clinical classification, causes and rehabilitation.

Boks Recommended

1. The Abnormal Psychology of Modern Life by J. C. Coleman
2. The Disorganized Personality by Kisker
3. Asamanya Manovigyan by Sinha and Mishra
4. Asamanya Manovigyan by Makhija

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Practical

Time - 6 hours

Full Marks - 50

A. Experiments

40 marks

Two experiments to be conducted out of four to be set at the examination.

1. Verbal learning—Methods of simple reproduction, serial reproduction, prompting and anticipation and paired associates.
2. Sensory-Motor Learning—Positive transfer and Habit interference.
3. Measurement of Muller-Lyer Illusion— by the methods of average error and limits.
4. Span of Attention and Distraction of Attention.
5. Recall and recognition.

B. Practical Note-Book

10 marks

Note : Students have to conduct the above experiments and prepare a report in the note-book to be submitted at the time of the examination.

Books Recommended

1. Experimental Psychology *by* Postman and Egan
2. Experimental Psychology *by* Collins and Drever
3. Experiments in Psychology *by* Under Wood
4. Experiments in Psychology *by* Mohsin
5. Manovigyan Men Prayog Evam Parikshan *by* A. K. Singh
6. Prayogic Manovigyan *by* Sinha and Mishra