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(CBCS)

(1st Semester)

EDUCATION

FIRST PAPER

(Psychological Foundations of Education)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. Educational psychology is a

- (a) study of social relationships ()
- (b) study of shape and size of the body ()
- (c) study of human behaviour ()
- (d) study of physical body ()

2. Which of the following does not influence Piaget's cognitive development?

- (a) Perception ()
- (b) Reasoning ()
- (c) Verbal facilities ()
- (d) Body structure ()

- 3.** Most social scientists believe individual difference is influenced by two main factors—
- (a) heredity and environment ()
 - (b) social class and family environment ()
 - (c) local environment and peer pressure ()
 - (d) education and genetic makeup ()
- 4.** A mentally healthy person is
- (a) one who has no sense of personal worth ()
 - (b) one who lives in a world of reality ()
 - (c) one who lacks empathy and compassion ()
 - (d) one who lacks emotional maturity ()
- 5.** Who propounded the Two Factor Theory of intelligence?
- (a) Lewis Terman ()
 - (b) Alfred Binet ()
 - (c) Charles Spearman ()
 - (d) Carl Gustav Jung ()
- 6.** Creativity involves
- (a) divergent thinking ()
 - (b) convergent thinking ()
 - (c) closed thinking ()
 - (d) quick thinking ()
- 7.** Rorschach Ink-blot Test is designed to assess
- (a) intelligence ()
 - (b) personality ()
 - (c) attitude ()
 - (d) achievement ()
- 8.** The personality type that would best describe an athletic person would be
- (a) mesomorphic ()
 - (b) endomorphic ()
 - (c) ectomorphic ()
 - (d) activomorphic ()

9. Pavlov is associated with
- (a) insightful learning ()
 - (b) classical conditioning ()
 - (c) operant conditioning ()
 - (d) counter conditioning ()
10. According to Skinner, a negative reinforcement is
- (a) a form of punishment ()
 - (b) a form of biofeedback ()
 - (c) a natural drift ()
 - (d) a withdrawing of a positive reinforcement ()

SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

Write on the following :

3×5=15

1. Meaning of growth and development

OR

Emotional development during early childhood

2. Meaning of mental health

OR

Causes of individual differences

3. Concept of IQ

OR

Relationship between intelligence and creativity

4. Allport's trait approach to personality

OR

Observation method of personality assessment

5. Educational implications of insightful learning

OR

Laws of learning

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. What is educational psychology? Explain the implications of educational psychology in teaching and learning. 3+7=10

OR

Discuss Piaget's theory of cognitive development. Discuss its educational implications. 7+3=10

2. What is individual difference? Discuss the implications of understanding individual differences for teaching-learning process. 3+7=10

OR

What is adjustment? Discuss any five adjustment mechanisms. 3+7=10

3. Define intelligence. Explain the Group Factor Theory of intelligence. 3+7=10

OR

Explain creativity. Discuss the role of education in promoting creativity. 3+7=10

4. Explain the meaning of personality. Describe the type approach to personality as given by Kretschmer and Jung. 3+7=10

OR

Discuss Rorschach Ink-blot Test and Thematic Apperception Test. 5+5=10

5. Define learning. Discuss the factors affecting learning. 3+7=10

OR

What is learning? Discuss Pavlov's classical conditioning theory of learning. 3+7=10
