

Department of Psychology

Introduction To Psychology (Paper - 1)

B.A (Pass) 1st Year (Sem. 1st)

Unit-I

Psychology: History, Emergence as Science, Subject matter.
Methods of Psychology: Experimental, Observation, Survey.

Unit-II

Sensory Processes: Visual, Auditory – Structure and Functions of Eye and Ear.
Perception: Nature, Perception of form – Figure and ground, Perceptual Organization, Depth Perception–cues.

Unit-III

Emotion: Nature, Bodily changes. Theories of Emotion: James-Lange, Cannon-Bard and Schachter–Singer.
Motivation: Nature, Biological and Psychological Motives.

Unit-IV

Personality: Nature, Determinants of personality, Type and Trait approach.
Intelligence: Nature, Theories: Spearman, Thurstone, and Cattell.



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Experimental Psychology (Paper - 2)

B.A (Pass) 1st Year (Sem. 2nd)

Unit-I

Attention: Nature, Characteristics, and types.

Psychophysics: Problems of Psychophysics and Methods (Classical).

Unit-II

Learning: Definition, Factors affecting, Trial and error learning,

Insight learning, Classical and Operant conditioning.

Unit-III

Memory: Definition, Stages, STM and LTM – Methods to Study Memory.

Forgetting: Factors leading to forgetting, Pneomonics.

Unit-IV

Problem solving: Stages of problem solving, Convergent and Divergent thinking.

Statistics: Frequency Distribution, Graphical presentation of data, Measures of central tendencies.



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Social Psychology (Paper - 3)

B.A (Pass) 2nd Year (Sem. 3rd)

Unit-I

Introduction: Nature, subject matter, Sociometric method.
Socialization: Nature, Process and Agents of Socialization.

Unit-II

Group: Types and functions; Social Norms: Meaning, Characteristics and formation.
Leadership: Types, Function, Theories– Trait, Situational, and Interactional.

Unit-III

Attitudes: Characteristics, Development and Attitude change.
Prejudice: Nature, Development and Stereotypes.

Unit-IV

Prosocial Behaviour: Nature, Determinants ,Cognitive Model.
Aggression: Nature, determinants and prevention.



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Developmental Psychology (Paper - 4)

B.A (Pass) 2nd Year (Sem. 4th)

Unit-I

Human Development; Concept and principles
Factors in human development; Biological, Social and Cultural

Unit-II

Prenatal development, determinants and stages.
Infancy: Characteristics, Hazards and adjustment.

Unit-III

Childhood: Characteristics, Perceptual, Motor, Emotional, Cognitive Development.
Adoloscents: Characteristics and problems of adoloscents and adjustment.

Unit-IV

Adulthood: Early adulthood, late adulthood and aging-Changing patterns and problems.
Measures of variability: Quartile deviation, Standard deviation.



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Psychopathology (Paper - 5)

B.A (Pass) 3rd Year (Sem. 5th)

Unit-I

Concept of normality and abnormality.

Models of Psychopathology: Biological, Psychodynamic, Behavioural, and Cognitive.

Unit-II

Classification of Psychopathology: Need for classification, DSM system.

Diagnostic Assessment: Case history, Interview, Projective techniques.

Unit-III

Anxiety Based Disorders: GAD, OCD, and Phobic disorders-Symptom and Causes.

Substance/drug abuse – Causes, Consequences and Rehabilitation.

Unit-IV

Mood disorders: Unipolar and bipolar-Symptoms and causes.

Schizophrenia: Nature, types, and causes.



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Applied Psychology (Paper - 6)

B.A (Pass) 3rd Year (Sem. 6th)

Unit-I

Applied Psychology: Meaning, History, fields, and careers in psychology.

Organizational Psychology: Nature, Scope, objectives, and development.

Unit-II

Guidance: Objectives, Principles, types of guidance, Organization of guidance programme.

Counselling: Need, Principles, Special areas, and Types of Counseling.

Unit-III

Health Psychology: Meaning, Scope and Objectives; Concept of health and illness.

Psychological factors in physical illness, Life style and health, Stress and coping.

Unit-IV

Forensic psychology: Psychology and Law, Eyewitness Memory; Accuracy and improvement.

Statistics: Correlation- Meaning, Rank difference, and Product moment method.



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