

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2024
(First Semester)

Branch - CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY

THEORIES OF PERSONALITY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	The study of the statistical differences among large groups of research participants is _____ research. a) Idiographic research b) nomothetic research c) hypothetical research d) polygraphic research	K1	CO1
	2	The application of Erikson's life-span theory, along with psychoanalytic principles, to the study of historical figures is _____. a) Psychohistorical analysis b) Historical analysis c) Psycho analysis d) Retro analysis	K2	CO1
2	3	Traits that are peculiar to an individual, as opposed to traits shared by a number of people are called _____. a) personal dispositions b) cardinal traits c) central traits d) secondary traits	K1	CO2
	4	The handful of outstanding traits that describe a person's behavior are called _____. a) Personal dispositions b) Cardinal traits c) Central traits d) Secondary traits	K2	CO2
3	5	_____ is not a deficit need. a) sleep b) food c) water d) power	K1	CO3
	6	_____ is not a growth need. a) Affiliation b) Esteem c) Food d) Love	K2	CO3
4	7	_____ is the second stage in Skinner's single-subject experiments. a) Baseline b) Conditioning c) Reversal d) Reconditioning	K1	CO4
	8	_____ is the third stage in reversal experimental design. a) Baseline b) Conditioning c) Reversal d) Reconditioning	K2	CO4
5	9	Learning or strengthening a behavior by observing the behavior of others, and the consequences of that behavior, rather than experiencing the reinforcement or consequences directly is _____. a) Modeling b) Vicarious reinforcement c) Positive reinforcement d) Negative reinforcement	K1	CO5
	10	A behavior modification technique that involves observing the behavior of others and participating with them in performing the desired behavior is _____. a) Modeling b) Vicarious reinforcement c) Positive reinforcement d) Negative reinforcement	K2	CO5

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SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 × 7 = 35)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	11.a.	Analyze the effectiveness of thought sampling in personality assessment.	K4	CO1
		(OR)		
	11.b.	Examine psychosocial stages of development.		
2	12.a.	Contrast between habits and attitudes.	K4	CO2
		(OR)		
	12.b.	Contrast between perseverative functional autonomy and propiate functional autonomy.		
3	13.a.	Explain the metaneeds.	K5	CO3
		(OR)		
	13.b.	Deduct the meta pathologies.		
4	14.a.	Explain the usefulness of token economy programs.	K5	CO4
		(OR)		
	14.b.	Evaluate the reversal experimental design.		
5	15.a.	Elaborate the characteristics of high sensation seekers.	K6	CO5
		(OR)		
	15.b.	Compile the characteristics of Low sensation seekers.		

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(3 × 10 = 30)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	16	Contrast the three major methods used in personality research.	K4	CO1
2	17	Inspect the three primary techniques used in Cattell's objective measurements of personality.	K4	CO2
3	18	Assess the characteristics of self actualizers.	K5	CO3
4	19	Appraise the various schedules of reinforcement.	K5	CO4
5	20	Discuss the sources of information about self-efficacy.	K6	CO5

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