

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2025  
(First Semester)

Branch - PSYCHOLOGY

**DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY – I**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	According to Erikson, generation VS stagnation is the basic component belonging to which life span? a. Infancy b. adulthood c. oldage d. adolescence	K1	CO1
2.	Find out the ontogenetic function? a. Creeping b. sitting c. driving d. walking	K2	CO1
3	Identify the third stage in Piaget cognitive development. a. Concrete operation c. formal operation b. Preoperational d. sensorimotor operation	K1	CO2
4	Find out which one is the correct characteristic of infancy. a. Is a true foundation age c. is a plateau in development b. Affected by cultural change d. Is a age of decreasing dependency	K2	CO2
5	Which one is NOT a characteristic of babyhood? a. Is an appealing age c. age of increased individuality b. Time of radical adjustment d. beginning of creativity	K1	CO3
6	Bowel control begins on the average at _____ month & bladder control begins between the ages of _____ months. a. 6 months & 15 & 16 months c. 5 months & 15 & 16 months b. 6 months & 14 & 16 months d. 5 months & 14 & 16 months	K2	CO3
7	Identify the stage in which children enjoy repetition and are therefore; willing to repeat an activity until they have acquired the ability to do it well. a. Baby hood b. early childhood c. late childhood d. puberty	K1	CO4
8	Who refers early childhood as the exploratory age? a. Parents b. sociologists c. psychologists d. educator	K2	CO4
9	Between the ages of two and three years, children show a decided interest in watching other children, and they attempt to make social contact with them. Identify the type of play? a. Parallel play c. associative play b. cooperative play d. onlooker play	K1	CO5
10	In this type of disciplinary technique, the children would learn from the consequence of their acts how to behave in a socially approved way. a. Authoritarian discipline c. democratic discipline b. Permissive discipline d. a & b	K2	CO5

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**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 × 7 = 35)

Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
11a	Explain the developmental task during life span.	K3	CO1
11b	OR Explain the obstacles in studying life span and the ethics of research.		
12a	Describe the types of birth and its complication.	K3	CO2
12b	OR Describe Piaget's cognitive developmental stage.		
13a	Examine the interest in play during babyhood.	K3	CO3
13b	OR Examine Ainsworth attachment style.		
14a	Analyse Kohlberg stages of moral development.	K4	CO4
14b	OR Analyse the emotional development of early childhood.		
15a	Evaluate the family relationship of late childhood.	K4	CO5
15b	OR Evaluate the physical hazards during late childhood.		

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (3 × 10 = 30)

Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
16	Analyse happiness and unhappiness during life span.	K5	CO1
17	Explain the characteristic of infancy.	K4	CO2
18	Examine the characteristics of babyhood.	K4	CO3
19	Evaluate the psychological hazards during early childhood.	K5	CO5
20	Explain how play place a vital role during the late childhood.	K4	CO5

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