

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2026
(First Semester)**

Branch - PSYCHOLOGY

GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY - I

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 introspection method was first used by (i) Freud (ii) Wundt (iii) Skinner (iv) Watson	K1	CO1
	2	Which perspective emphasizes free will and personal growth? (i) Behavioral (ii) Humanistic (iii) Cognitive (iv) Biological	K2	CO1
2	3	The minimum stimulus intensity required for detection is called (i) Difference threshold (ii) Absolute threshold (iii) Sensory adaptation (iv) Perceptual limit	K1	CO2
	4	The vestibular sense helps maintain (i) Taste (ii) Balance (iii) Vision (iv) Smell	K2	CO2
3	5	Treisman's theory of attention proposes (i) Early filter (ii) Late filter (iii) Attenuation model (iv) Selective attention failure	K1	CO3
	6	Altered states of consciousness can occur through (i) Meditation (ii) Muscle relaxation (iii) Reading (iv) Non REM sleep	K2	CO3
4	7	Evaluating reinforcement schedules, which produces the most resistant behavior to extinction? (i) Fixed interval (ii) Fixed ratio (iii) Variable interval (iv) Variable ratio	K1	CO4
	8	Latent learning was demonstrated by (i) Tolman (ii) Skinner (iii) Pavlov (iv) Bandura	K2	CO4
5	9	When a person recalls a traumatic event inaccurately, it may be due to (i) Repression (ii) Decay (iii) Interference (iv) Chunking	K1	CO5
	10	Interference theory explains forgetting as (i) Decay of memory (ii) Displacement of information (iii) Competition between memories (iv) Lack of encoding	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.	Explain the key perspectives in Psychology.	K2	CO1
		(OR)		
	11.b.	Describe the branches of Applied Psychology.		
2	12.a.	Demonstrate perceptual constancies with examples.	K3	CO2
		(OR)		
	12.b.	Sketch the functions of human Nose and Tongue.		
3	13.a.	Write a note on the waking states of Consciousness.	K2	CO3
		(OR)		
	13.b.	Outline the theories of Attention.		
4	14.a.	Recall the schedules of Reinforcement with an example for each.	K3	CO4
		(OR)		
	14.b.	Describe the components of Bandura's Theory of Learning.		
5	15.a.	Summarize the biological roots of Human Memory.	K3	CO5
		(OR)		
	15.b.	Relate human Memory distortion with a real case example.		

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	Explain how different methods of psychological research can be applied to study human behaviour in real-life contexts.	K3	CO1
2	17	Draw the structure of Human eye and explain its function.	K3	CO2
3	18	Analyze the impact of alternate drugs on consciousness using adequate examples.	K5	CO3
4	19	Compare the Classical Conditioning theory and Instrumental learning theory of Learning with its applications.	K2	CO4
5	20	Describe the stages of memory and their role in the learning process.	K2	CO5

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