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GENERAL DEGREE EXAMINATION IN ARTS (EXTERNAL) -DECEMBER 2018

Philosophy I/ PHG I
General Psychology

Answer FIVE (05) Questions only.

Time allowed: Three (03) Hours

The total number of questions in this paper is (10) ten

01. "The emergence of empirical psychology is a result of 19th century Western philosophy and physiology" Explain this claim with examples. (20 Marks)
02. Give brief descriptions on the following branches of modern psychology.
 - a. Child Psychology
 - b. Abnormal Psychology
 - c. Forensic Psychology
 - d. Cognitive Psychology(04x5 = 20 Marks)
03. a. How would you define "Personality"? (05 Marks)
b. Examine the Humanistic theory of Personality. (15 Marks)
04. Explain following principles of learning.
 - a. Reinforcement
 - b. Generalization
 - c. Law of effect
 - d. Latent learning(04x5 = 20 Marks)

05. a. Describe the structure of human memory.
(10 Marks)
- b. Explain briefly two theoretical explanations on the matter of why we get forget.
(02x5=10 Marks)
06. Explain the Gestalt principles of perception.
(20 Marks)
07. Define what motivation is and examine the motivational theory of Sigmund Freud's Psycho - Analysis.
(20 Marks)
08. a. State and examine the relation between emotions and physical reactions.
(10 Marks)
- b. Explain how you would understand the value of emotional management.
(10 Marks)
09. "Behaviorism is too extremist in studying the mental life of organism." Explain your opinion on this claim with reasons.
(20 Marks)
10. Write short notes on **any four** of followings:
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| i. Methods in empirical Psychology. | ii. Working Memory |
| iii. The significance of structuralism | iv. Oedipus complex |
| v. Intelligence Tests | vi. Psychology and science. |
- (04x5 = 20 Marks)