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ශාස්ත්‍රවේදී උපාධි (බාහිර - පැරණි නිර්දේශය) පරීක්ෂණය - 2020  
பொதுக்கலைத் தேர்வு (வெளிவாரி - பழைய பாடத்திட்டம்) 2020  
Bachelor of Arts (External - Old Syllabus) Examination - 2020

(Philosophy –I /PHG I General Psychology)

කාලය පැය(03) තුනයි.  
மூன்று (03) மணித்தியாலங்கள்

Time three (03) Hours.

ප්‍රශ්න 05 පිළිතුරු සපයන්න.  
05 வினாக்களுக்கு மட்டும் விடைபாளிக்க.  
Answer 05 questions only.

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எழுத்து தெளிவில்லாதவிடத்து முள்ளிகள்  
குறைக்கப்படும்.  
Marks will be deducted for illegible hand writing.

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இந்த வினாப்பத்திரத்தில் 10 வினாக்கள் உள்ளன.  
There are 10 questions in the question paper.

01. "Psychology is the scientific study of the mental states, processes and behavior in humans and other animals". Elucidate.
02. Critically evaluate the application of the following research methods in empirical psychology
  - I. Experimental Method
  - II. The case study Method
03. Either Distinguish functionalism from structuralism.  
Or Summarize Sigmund Freud's psychoanalysis and show how Jacques Lacan reacted to it.
04.
  - I. How would you understand the concept of personality?
  - II. State and examine any theory of personality as you prefer.
05. In your view, what are the psychological significances of the behavioristic theory of Learning?

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06. What is motivation? Explain sociological and psychological significance of any theory of motivation.
07. What are the main emphases of Jean Piaget's theory of cognitive development?
08. Would it be correct to say that heredity and environment determines one's Intelligence? Give reasons for your answer.
09. Write an essay on "How to protect our mental health from the Corona-Phobia".
10. Write brief accounts on any two of the followings:
  - i. Stress
  - ii. Emotions
  - iii. Child abuse
  - iv. Sensation and perception
  - v. Short-term memory and Long term memory