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EDUCATION

(Major)

Course : 501

(Child Psychology and Child Guidance)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32 (Backlog) / 24 (2014 onwards)

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. (a) Answer the following : 1×3=3

- (i) Mention one eating problem of early childhood.
- (ii) Which period of development of the newborn child is called neonatal?
- (iii) "Counselling may be defined as a series of direct contacts with the individual which aims to offer him assistance in changing his attitudes and behaviour." Who said this?

(b) State whether the following are True or False : 1×5=5

(i) Maternal nutrition is important before and during pregnancy and is the most influential non-genetic factor in foetal development.

(ii) Child psychology is not developmental psychology.

(iii) Vocational guidance is needed to help students in selection of subjects.

(iv) Acceptance and rejection problems are mostly found in case of children whose mothers are working.

(v) Family relations and birth order do not affect a child's language development.

2. Write short notes on the following : 4×4=16

(a) Some common symptoms of physiological problems during childhood

(b) Experimental method in child psychology

(c) Role of play in early childhood

(d) Four factors that affect continuity of growth

3. What is meant by growth and development?
Discuss at least seven principles of human
growth and development. $2+2+7=11$

Or

What is meant by language development?
Discuss four factors affecting language
development of a child. $3+8=11$

4. "Early childhood is a foundation period of
life." Why is the early childhood stage called
foundation period of life? Write on the
historical perspective of development of child
psychology. $3+7=10$

5. Mention four social adjustment problems
during childhood. Discuss the ways of
prevention and correction of social
adjustment problems of children. $4+7=11$

Or

Write short notes on the following : $5\frac{1}{2}\times 2=11$

(a) Nutritional problems during childhood

(b) Behavioural problems during early
childhood

6. Mention three parental attitudes towards the
child. Discuss the impact of any one of these
on a child's development. $3+8=11$

(4)

7. What is meant by preventive counselling?
Discuss the meaning and significance of
counselling in an educational institution.

4+4+5=13

Or

- Write the nature and scope of guidance and
counselling.

6+7=13
