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Dear Students,

Every student of M.A. Psychology III semester has to write and submit **Assignment** for each paper compulsorily. Each assignment carries **30 marks**. The marks awarded to the students will be forwarded to the Examination Branch, OU for inclusion in the marks memo. If the student fail to submit Internal Assignments before the stipulated date, the internal marks will not be added in the final marks memo under any circumstances. The assignments will not be accepted after the stipulated date. **Candidates should submit assignments only in the academic year in which the examination fee is paid for the examination for the first time.**

Candidates are required to submit the Exam fee receipt along with the assignment answers scripts at the concerned counter on or before **25-10-2025** and obtain proper submission receipt.

ASSIGNMENT WITHOUT EXAMINATION FEE PAYMENT RECEIPT (ONLINE) WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Assignments on Printed / Photocopy / Typed will not be accepted and will not be valued at any cost. Only HAND WRITTEN ASSIGNMENTS will be accepted and valued.

Students are advised to use Blue Pen only.

Methodology for writing the Assignments (Instructions) :

1. First read the subject matter in the course material that is supplied to you.
2. If possible read the subject matter in the books suggested for further reading.
3. You are welcome to use the PGRRCDE Library on all working days for collecting information on the topic of your assignments. (10.30 am to 5.00 pm).
4. Give a final reading to the answer you have written and see whether you can delete unimportant or repetitive words.
5. The cover page of the each theory assignments must have information as given in FORMAT below.

FORMAT

1. NAME OF THE STUDENT :
2. ENROLLMENT NUMBER :
3. NAME OF THE COURSE :
4. SEMESTER (I, II, III & IV) :
5. TITLE OF THE PAPER :
6. DATE OF SUBMISSION :
6. Write the above said details clearly on every subject assignments paper, otherwise your paper will not be valued.
7. Tag all the assignments paper wise and submit them in the concerned counter.
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INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT QUESTION PAPER
COURSE: M. A (PSYCHOLOGY) III SEMESTER

Paper: I

Subject: Statistics in Psychology

Total Marks: 30

Section – A

UNIT – I : Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 5 x2 =10

1. Define population and sample with an example.
1. Distinguish between nominal scale and ordinal scale of measurement.
2. What are the properties of a normal distribution?
3. Write a short note on non-probabilistic sampling methods.
4. Explain the significance of correlation in psychological research.

Section – B

UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 2x10= 20

1. What is hypothesis testing? Explain the steps, types of errors (Type I & Type II), and the difference between one-tailed and two-tailed tests with examples.
2. Explain Pearson's Product Moment Correlation and Spearman's Rank Correlation. Discuss their assumptions, formulae in brief, and uses in psychology.

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INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT QUESTION PAPER
COURSE: M. A (PSYCHOLOGY) III SEMESTER

Paper: II

Subject: THEORETICAL APPROACHES To COUNSELLING

Total Marks: 30

Section – A

UNIT – I: Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 5 x2 =10

1. What are the goals of counselling?
2. Briefly explain the concept of Behavioral therapy in counselling.
3. What is Cognitive Behavior Therapy?
4. Briefly describe any one technique of family therapy using an appropriate example.
5. Explain emotionally focused marital therapy with a suitable example.

Section – B

UNIT – II: Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 2x10= 20

1. Explain the various behavioral therapies in counseling psychology using relevant examples.
2. Discuss the strategies used in cognitive behavior therapy.

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INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT QUESTION PAPER
COURSE : M. A (PSYCHOLOGY) III SEMESTER

Paper: III

Subject: Community Psychology

Total Marks: 30

Section – A

UNIT – I : Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 5 x2 =10

1. How does the ecological perspective help in understanding human behavior within a community setting?
2. What are selective preventive measures (with examples), and how is 'sense of community' defined along with its key elements?
3. How does Empowerment Evaluation promote accountability and organizational learning within programs?
4. Discuss the positive and negative aspects of spiritual coping.
5. Explain various quantitative research methods used in community psychology

Section – B

UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 2x10= 20

1. Write about the persons, contexts, and change as fundamentals of community Psychology.
2. Discuss the role of community psychology in promoting community and social change.

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INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT QUESTION PAPER
COURSE: M. A (PSYCHOLOGY) III SEMESTER

Paper: IV

Subject: Organizational Psychology

Total Marks: 30

Section – A

UNIT – I: Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 5x2 =10

1. 1. Briefly explain the nature and scope of Organizational Behaviour.
2. 2. Differentiate between job enrichment and job enlargement with suitable examples.
3. 3. List any four factors that affect organizational structure and briefly explain two of them.
4. 4. Explain the concept of emotional labour and its implications in the workplace.
5. 5. List any three methods of performance appraisal.

Section – B

UNIT – II: Answer the following questions (each question carries two marks) 2x10= 20

1. Explain the contemporary theories of motivation (Vroom's Expectancy Theory, and Porter & Lawler Model) with suitable examples.
2. What are occupational stress and conflict? Explain their causes, effects, and strategies to cope with them.