

2014

EDUCATION

(Major)

Paper : 6.1

(**Developmental Psychology**)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Answer the following objective-type questions : 1×7=7
- (a) Mention one condition affecting pre-natal development.
 - (b) The term 'neonate' is derived from which word?
 - (c) Name one pre-speech form of communication.
 - (d) Which is the best method of studying children?
 - (e) When does the pre-natal period begin?

- (f) What is meant by hazards affecting development?
- (g) Mention one characteristic of children's emotion.

2. Answer the following : 2×4=8

- (a) Define developmental psychology.
- (b) What do you understand by the term 'personality deviation'?
- (c) What are concepts?
- (d) What is the difference between 'growth' and 'development'?

3. Write on/Answer any *three* of the following in brief : 5×3=15

- (a) Importance of the peer group in the socialization process during adolescence
- (b) What are the factors that influence the language development of children?
- (c) Importance of maintaining good maternal health during pregnancy
- (d) Self-concept and identity-crisis during adolescence
- (e) Social maturity

4. Answer any *three* of the following : $10 \times 3 = 30$

(a) Why is early development more critical than later development? Explain citing examples.

(b) Discuss the importance of the family in the socialization process during adolescence.

(c) Highlight the various factors associated with juvenile delinquency.

(d) Enumerate the different developmental aspects of infancy.

(e) "Early childhood is the period of habit formation." Justify citing examples.

(f) "Adolescence is a period of transition." Justify.

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