

**CSM—58/22**

**PSYCHOLOGY**

**PAPER—I**

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**Time : 3 Hours**

**Full Marks : 250**

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.  
Candidates should attempt **any 10 (ten)** questions of  
**GROUP—A** with word limit of 250 words and should  
attempt **any 5 (five)** questions from **GROUP—B**  
with word limit of 300 words.*

**GROUP—A**

1. What are the stages or types of memory system according to information processing model? Describe them with suitable examples. 15
2. What are the methods people use to solve problems and make decisions? Explain with examples. 15
3. Define perception. Discuss various Gestalt principles affecting perceptual organisation. 15
4. What is classical conditioning? Discuss how the extinction of conditioned behaviour was achieved in Pavlov's experiment. 15
5. Describe briefly various sampling methods used in conducting research. 15
6. What do you mean by sleep-wake cycle? Describe different kinds of sleep. 15
7. What is modelling? Discuss its applications in everyday life. 15
8. How are attitudes different from interests and values? Discuss how attitude can be changed. 15
9. Is Psychology a science? Give reasons for your answer. 15
10. Define emotion. Describe how human emotion has been explained by different theories. 15

11. Discuss the role of genetic and environmental factors in human growth and development. State how child rearing practices influence it. 15
12. Distinguish between experimental and quasi-experimental method. Give suitable examples to demonstrate each method. 15

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**GROUP—B**

13. What do you mean by operant conditioning? Discuss its application in everyday life. 20
14. Why do we forget things? Discuss the theories of forgetting. 20
15. Distinguish between language and communication. Discuss Chomsky's theory of language development. 20
16. Discuss in brief different theories of personality. 20
17. How is intelligence defined? Briefly discuss about the measurement of intelligence. 20
18. What do you mean by motivation? Discuss the theories of motivation briefly. 20

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