

**First Basic B.Sc. Nursing Examination, Summer 2017**  
**PSYCHOLOGY**

Total Duration : Section A + B = 3 Hours

Total Marks : 75

SECTION – A and SECTION – B

- Instructions:**
- 1) Use **blue/black ball point pen** only.
  - 2) **Do not** write anything on the **blank portion of the question paper**. If written anything, such type of act will be considered as an attempt to resort to unfair means.
  - 3) **All questions are compulsory.**
  - 4) The number to the **right** indicates **full marks**.
  - 5) Draw diagrams **wherever** necessary.
  - 6) Distribution of syllabus in Question Paper is only meant to cover entire syllabus within the stipulated frame. The Question paper pattern is a mere guideline. Questions can be asked from any paper's syllabus into any question paper. Students cannot claim that the Question is out of syllabus. As it is only for the placement sake, the distribution has been done.
  - 7) **Use a common answerbook for all Sections.**

SECTION – A (40 Marks)

1. Short answer question (any five out of six) : (5×5=25)
  - a) Define mind. Give 3 examples of mind affecting bodily functions.
  - b) Define Attention. Explain the various External and Internal determinants of Attention.
  - c) What are the causes of Individual Differences ?
  - d) What is forgetting ? What are the causes of forgetting ?
  - e) What is the difference between guidance and counselling ?
  - f) What should nurses know about elderly patients ?
  
2. Long answer question (any one out of two) : (1×15=15)
  - a) Define Learning. Explain the characteristics of Learning. What are the Laws of Learning ?
  - b) Define Psychology. Discuss the relevance of psychology to nursing.



**SECTION – B (35 Marks)**

3. Short answer question (any four out of five) : (4×5=20)
- a) What is intelligence ? How is it tested ?
  - b) What are the characteristics of a mentally healthy individual ?
  - c) Describe different defense mechanisms used in stress.
  - d) Explain Maslow's theory of Self Actualization.
  - e) Describe the various types of thinking
4. Long answer question (any one out of two) : (1×15=15)
- a) Define Emotions. List the theories of emotions. Explain the role of emotions in health and illness.
  - b) Define the nature of attitude. What are the various factors affecting attitude ? How does understanding attitude help in predicting behavior ?
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