

K.V.R.Govt.College (W), Kurnool
(Autonomus)

Degree III B.A Psychology Curriculum 2021-22
Semester-V

Paper-V CHILD & ADOLESCENT PSYCHOLOGY-I

Time : 3 hours

Marks :60

Unit-I :- Nature Of Human Development

- a) Meaning and importance of Developmental psychology; Concept of growth and development, Principles of development, Stages of human life span; Methods of studying human development.
- b) Factors influencing growth and development: Heredity and environment.

Unit-II :- Early Stages of Development

- a) **Prenatal Period:** Characteristics, importance of conception, prenatal stages, factors influencing prenatal development – Hazards.
- b) **Infancy:** Characteristics of infancy, physical development-, activities, capacity for learning and emotions of infants – Hazards.

Unit-III :- BabyHood

- a) Babyhood Characteristics, developmental tasks, physical development, physiological functioning and muscle control.
- b) Speech development – emotional behavior – play interests of infants. Hazards.

Unit-IV :- Early Childhood - I

Early childhood General characteristics – developmental tasks – physical development, Skills of early childhood – speech development.

Unit-V :- Early Childhood - II

Emotional patterns – Patterns of early socialization and sex-role typing – play interests – development of understanding and morality – family relationships – personality development – Hazards.

Reference Books:

1. Hurlock, E.B. 1980. Developmental psychology – A life span approach.. Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
2. Papalia, D.E. Olds, S.W. Feldman.R.D, and Gross.D. (2010). Human Development. Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.

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Paper-VI ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY-I

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Unit –I: - INTRODUCTION TO ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY

Defining abnormality, Criteria of abnormality, Approaches to psychopathology – Biological, Psychodynamic, Behavioural, Cognitive-behavioural, and Existential.

Unit II:-CLASSIFICATION AND CAUSES OF ABNORMALITY

Classification of disorders, Etiological factors in abnormality-Biological, psychological and socio-cultural factors.

Unit III: - ANXIETY DISORDERS

Nature and symptoms of anxiety disorder, types of anxiety disorders-general anxiety disorder, phobias, obsessive compulsive disorder, post traumatic stress disorder.

Unit IV :- SOMATOFORM DISORDERS

Symptoms of somatoform disorders, types of somatoform disorders-conversion disorders, pain disorders, hypochondrias.

Unit V:- DISSOCIATIVE DISORDERS – NATURE AND SYMPTOMS

Amnesia and Fugue

Dissociative identity disorder

Reference Books:

1. Lamm, A. (1997). Introduction to psychopathology, N.Y.:Sage.
2. Sarason, I.G. & Sarason, B.R. (2006). Abnormal psychology. Prentice-Hall of India, New Delhi.
3. Comer, R.J. (1996). Fundamentals of Abnormal psychology. W.H. Freeman and company, New York.

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Paper-VI CHILD&ADOLESCENCE PSYCHOLOGY-II
Time : 3 hours Marks:60

Unit –I: - LATE CHILDHOOD

Late childhood General characteristics, Developmental tasks, Skills of late childhood, Speech development, Emotional expression, Social behavior and Sex role typing in late childhood, Play interests and Personality changes - Hazards

Unit II:- PUBERTY

Puberty General characteristics, Criteria, Causes and age of puberty, Puberty growth spurt, Body changes in puberty, Effects of pubertal changes, Deviant Maturing, Common concerns during puberty – Hazards.

Unit III: - ADOLESCENCE - I

Adolescence General characteristics – developmental tasks – physical changes – emotionality during adolescence – Social changes, Interests in adolescence

Unit IV :- ADOLESCENCE - II

Sex interest and sex behavior during adolescence, Changes in morality – Family relationships and Personality development – Hazards.

Unit V:- THEORIES OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Gesell's Developmental theory; Freud's Psychosexual stages of development, Erikson's psychosocial stages of development, Piaget's Cognitive development. Kohlberg's theory of moral development.

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