

2025

**EDUCATION**

Course No. : MAEDU - 402

(Advanced Educational Psychology)*Full Marks : 60**Time : 3 hours**The questions are of equal value**The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions**Answer all questions within the given internal choice*

1. a) Enumerate the main features of the Behaviourist school of psychology and bring out its contribution to education. 6+6

Or

- b) Explain in detail Erickson's theory of psychosocial development and highlight its implication in teaching learning. 7+5

2. a) Elaborate the main idea of Constructivist school of psychology and highlight its contribution to education. 6+6

Or

- b) Define motivation and explain in detail the role of motivation in learning using appropriate examples. 4+8

(Turn Over)

3. a) What is operant conditioning? Discuss the concept of shaping and reinforcement in Skinner's Operant Conditioning theory. 4+8

Or

- b) Elaborate the main features of Atkinson's theory of Achievement Motivation and point out some of its educational implications. 7+5

4. a) Critically examine the Big Five Factor theory of personality and draw out some of its implications in education. 8+4

Or

- b) What is projective technique? Discuss in detail the Rorschach inkblot test of measuring personality. 4+8

5. Write notes on *any two* of the following: 6x2

- a) Various threats to good mental health and adjustment
- b) Relevance of Bruner's theory in teaching learning
- c) Principles of Gestalt school of psychology
- d) Types of adjustment mechanism using relevant examples

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