

**DESIGN OF THE QUESTION PAPER**

Class: XII

Time :2 ½ Hrs.

Subject : Psychology

Max Marks: 80

The weightage or the distribution of marks over different dimensions of the question paper shall be as follows:

**1. Weightage to Learning Outcomes**

S.No.	Learning Outcomes	Marks	Percentage of Marks
1	Knowledge	24	30%
2	Understanding	34	42.5%
3	Application & Analysis	20	25%
4	Skill	02	2.5%
		Total: 80	100%

**2. Weightage to Content / Subject Units**

S.No.	Units	Marks
1	Variations in Psychological Attributes	10
2	Self and Personality	10
3	Meeting Life Challenges	10
4	Psychological Disorders	10
5	Therapeutic Approaches and Developing Psychological Skills	10
6	Attitude and Social Cognition	10
7	Social Influence and Group Processes	10
8	Psychology and Life	10
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		Total :- 80

**3. Weightage to Forms of Questions**

S.No.	Form of Questions	Marks for each question	Number of questions	Total Marks
1	Long Answer Type (LA)	04	08	32
2	Short Answer Type ( SA – I )	02	08	16
3	Short Answer Type ( SA – II)	03	08	24
4	Very Short Answer Type ( VSA)	01	08	08
	Total	10	32	80

The expected time for different types of question would be as follows:

S.No.	Form of Questions	Approx time for each question	Number of questions	Approx. time for each form of questions in mins ( n x t)
1	Long Answer Type (LA)	08	08	64
2	Short Answer Type ( SA – I )	03 to 04	08	30
3	Short Answer Type ( SA – II)	06	08	48
4	Very Short Answer Type ( VSA)	01	08	08
	Total		32	150

As the total time is calculated on the basis of the number of questions required to be answered and the length of their anticipated answers, it would, therefore be advisable for the candidate to budget their time properly by cutting out the superfluous words and be within the expected time limits.

4. Scheme of Options

( There will be no overall choice. However, there is an internal choice in 03 sub questions of 04 marks category and ---- subquestion of ---- marks category ---- subquestion of ---- marks category.)

5. Weighthage to Difficulty level of questions:

S. No.	Estimated difficulty level of questions	Percentage
1	Easy	20%
2	Average	60%
3	Difficulty	20%

A question may vary in difficulty level from individual to individual. As such, the assessment in respect of each question will be made by the paper setter on the basis of general anticipation from the group as a whole taking the examination. This provision is only to make the paper balanced in its weighthage, rather than to determine the pattern of marking at any stage.

6. Number of Main Questions :

There will be 08 main questions of 10 marks each.

Note: Please also submit the soft copy of design of question paper, model question paper and blue print by 24/04/2014

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Signature of the Convenor