



Master of Arts (CBCS)
M.A., Psychology: Semester: I

Course Code	PAO1EPSY53	Title of the Course	Introduction to General Concept of Psychology
Total Credits of the Course	4+1	Hours per Week	05
Course Objectives:	To define of Nature scope and beginning and methods of Introduction to general Psychology To learning, motivation and emotion process understand master level students To know of concepts of conflicts and stress resolve by the students		
Course Content			
Unit	Description	Weightage*(%)	
1.	<u>Nature/Scope/origin/beginning and methods of Psychology:</u> 1.1: Definition, Nature 1.2: Origins and development of Understanding (General) psychology. 1.3: Pre scientific psychology 1.4: Beginning of modern psychology, 1.5: Scope/Field of Psychology and Branches of Psychology, 1.6: Methods of Psychology: 1.6.1.Method of Introspection, 1.6.2.External and natural observation, 1.6.3.Psychological experimental method, 1.6.4. Survey methods. 1.6.5.Clinical methods, 1.6.6.Psychological test	25%	
2.	<u>Learning Process:</u> 2.1:Introduction, Definition, 2.2:Nature, Factors in learning process of Learning, 2.3: Effected variables of conditioning 2.4:Dimensions of experiment of conditioning, 2.5:Factors affecting learning 2.6:Effects of methods of learning, 2.7;Types of memory and Improvement of memory	25%	
3.	<u>Motivation Problems:</u> 3.1: Definition and Nature of Motivation. 3.2: Positive and Negative goal of Motivation. 3.3. Measurement of motivation of Motivation. 3.4: Motive and deprivation of Motivation. 3.5: Types of Physiological-Biological and Some other basic motives:(Thirst, Sleep, Maternal motives, pain), 3.6: Theory of motivation 1-Rationalism theory, 2.Hedonism theory, 3.Instinct theory,4-Psychoanalytic theory, 5.Social learning theory, 6.Cognitive theory,7. Maslow's theory and Other theory of motivation	25%	
4.	<u>Conflicts:</u> 4.4: Definition, Meaning and Nature of Group conflicts. 4.2: Resolution of role conflict. 4.3: Types of Group conflict. 4.4: Problems originating group conflict in Indian society. 4.5: Resolution of group conflict in Indian context. 4.6: Theories of Role conflict resolution. 4.7: Different approaches of conflicts.	25%	





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4.8: Method of group conflict resolution. 4.9: Robinson model of conflicts		
Teaching-Learning Methodology	Assignment method, -Group discussion, Lecture method, -Power point presentation, -Seminar.	
Evaluation Pattern		
Sr. No.	Details of the Evaluation	Weightage
1.	Internal Written / Practical Examination (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
2.	Internal Continuous Assessment in the form of Practical, Viva-voce, Quizzes, Seminars, Assignments, Attendance (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
3.	University Examination	70%
Course Outcomes: Having completed this course, the learner will be able to		
1.	Students would learn to explore and understand behaviour through development of Understanding (General) psychology	
2.	Students would gain the knowledge of essential psychological phenomena to understand the human behaviour.	
3.	Students would learn to learning, motivation and conflict about the mind and cognitive processes.	
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4.	Atkison et al (1983): Introduction to Psychology, N.Y. :WileyAlpe	
5.	Baron, R. A. (1997). Positive effects of conflict: Insights from social cognition. In C. K. W.	
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7.	B.A.Parikh (1989-2007) Advanced General Psychology: University Granth Nirman board Gujarat state:.	
8.	C.T.Bhopatkar: (1970-1980-1989-1995) Applied Psychogy: University Granth Nirman board Gujarat	
9.	Daniel, Daniel & Daniel (2009, 2011). <i>Psychology, 2nd edition</i> . Worth Publishers. p. 264.	
10.	DeDreu & E. Van de Vliert (Eds.), Using conflict in organizations (pp. 177–191). London: Sage	
11.	M.N.Mishra:(1982-1988--1992-1996-2001-2005)Organizational behavior and corporate development	
12.	Makvana.s., Patel., and A., Kotar: (Sept-2015) Understanding Psychology ISBN(13) 978-93-84190-00-2 & (10) 93-84190-00-4 Red' shine Publication-389230	
13.	N S Pathak : Advanced Experimental psychology	
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15.	Williams Ray: An Introduction to Experiment and Design Mc Milan New York	
On-line resources to be used if available as reference material		
On-line Resources		
https://www.vedicbooks.net/history-systems-psychology-p-10687.html		
https://www.amazon.in/Samaj-Manovigyan-Ki-Rooprekha-Psychology/dp/8120827201		
https://www.verywellmind.com/gestalt-laws-of-perceptual-organization-2795835		
https://hostnext.com/cssfiles/psychology/Introduction Psychology Edition By Atkinson Hilgard.pdf		

