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MPC–003

**MASTER OF ARTS IN PSYCHOLOGY
(MAPC)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2024

**MPC–003 : PERSONALITY : THEORIES AND
ASSESSMENT**

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : *All Sections are compulsory.*

Section—A

Note : *Answer any **two** questions in about
450 words each.* $2 \times 10 = 20$

1. Define personality. Highlight the role of psychological factors in personality development. 3+7

2. Delineate the characteristics and assumptions of behavioural assessment methods. Discuss the advantages and limitations of behavioural assessment. 10

3. Explain the key features of social-cognitive theory of personality. 10
4. Elucidate the dimensions of personality as given by Eysenck. 10

Section—B

Note : Answer any **four** questions in about **250 words each.** 4×6=24

5. Describe different categories of traits as given by Cattell. 6
6. Explain the structural model of personality and give examples of any *two* defense mechanisms. 3+3
7. Differentiate between growth and deficiency needs. Delineate the major characteristics of self-actualizers. 2+4
8. Elucidate the administration and scoring of Rorschach test. 6
9. Classify projective techniques. Discuss strengths and limitations of projective techniques. 3+3

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Section—C

Note : *Write short notes on any **two** of the following
in about **100** words each.* 2×3=6

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| 10. Idiographic approach to personality. | 3 |
| 11. Strength and weakness of interview method. | 3 |
| 12. NEO-Personality Inventory. | 3 |

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