

9. The leading cause of mental retardation is believed to be _____
- a) Fetal alcohol syndrome b) Organic brain syndrome
c) Environmental factors d) Inherited traits
10. Hope, happiness, optimism and flow takes together as _____
- a) Cognitive psychology b) Positive psychology
c) Humanistic psychology d) Evolutionary psychology

PART – B

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

(5 X 7=35)

11. a) Explain the nature of intelligence

(OR)

- b) Discuss the intelligence theory of Spearman

12. a) Write a detailed summary about the aspects of thinking

(OR)

- b) Write short notes on : a) Heuristics and b) Algorithms

13. a) Examine the characteristics of creative thinkers

(OR)

- b) Discuss the steps in creative process with the help of a neat diagram

14. a) What do you know about gender stereo-typing?

(OR)

- b) Write a summary about the nature of sexuality

15. a) Discuss Sigmund Freud's psycho-analytic theory

(OR)

- b) Discuss Abraham Maslow's hierarchy of needs theory

PART – C

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

(3 X 10 = 30)

16. Elaborately discuss about emotional intelligence, its nature and importance
17. Discuss in length on the relationship between language and thought
18. Describe the salient features of a creative living
19. Elucidate the psychological aspects of human sexuality
20. Discuss a few theories of personality in detail