

**MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) /
P.G. DIPLOMA IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

00622

Term-End Examination

June, 2014

**MES-103 : HIGHER EDUCATION :
THE PSYCHO-SOCIAL CONTEXT**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : (i) *All questions are compulsory.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal weightage.*

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the behaviouristic approach to personality. Discuss the role of environmental factors in personality development.

OR

The social learning approach to understanding the process of learning is very relevant in the context of young adults in India. Discuss.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the meaning of adjustment. How is adjustment done by using defense mechanisms ?

OR

Explain Abraham Maslow's Need Hierarchy theory of motivation. Discuss its educational implications with examples.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **150** words each.
- (a) Discuss social psychological approach to creativity.
 - (b) How is institutional culture different from organization climate ?
 - (c) Explain the role of identity development in mental health of a young adult.
 - (d) Discuss the factors which help in creating a favourable learning environment in colleges.
 - (e) Discuss the advantages of family therapy over methods which deal with the individual.
 - (f) Time management constitutes an important component of institutional life. Discuss.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

Keeping in mind the mental health problems and issues of young adults, suggest interventions at institutional level to help in their healthy development along with prevention of mental health problems.
