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**MSW-012**

**MASTER'S DEGREE IN SOCIAL WORK  
(COUNSELLING) (MSWC)  
Term-End Examination  
June, 2021**

**MSW-012 : INTRODUCTION TO LIFE  
CHARACTERISTICS AND CHALLENGES**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** (i) Answer **all** the **five** questions.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

(iii) Answers to Question Numbers 1 and 2  
should not exceed **600** words each.

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1. Discuss physical development during infancy. 20

*Or*

Explain the developmental tasks of adolescents.

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2. Enlist the tasks during the first phase of marriage. 20

*Or*

Discuss the salient characteristics of old age while working with them.

3. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **300** words each :

- (a) Discuss the theories of cognitive development. 10
- (b) Explain the social challenges faced by adolescents. 10
- (c) What are the factors that influence adjustment with in-laws ? 10
- (d) According to WHO, what are the determinants influencing active ageing ? 10

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4. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **200** words each :

(a) Explain the problem of learning disability. 5

(b) Which are the three levels of attachments identified by Ainsworth ? 5

(c) Mention the role of teachers in the promotion of proper mental health of adolescents. 5

(d) Are bullying and ragging different ? 5

(e) Distinguish between 'ascribed' and 'achieved' roles. 5

(f) What are the factors that make vocational choice different ? 5

5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each :

(a) Pre-linguistic speech 4

(b) Cognition 4

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(c) Stress and depression 4

(d) Delinquency 4

(e) Cultural roles of adults 4

(f) Single hood 4

(g) National old age pension scheme 4

(h) Alzheimer's disease 4

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