

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMME (BDP)
(B.A. PSYCHOLOGY)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2016

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BPC-002(S) : DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : All sections are compulsory.

SECTION A

*Answer any two of the following questions in about
450 words each :*

2×10=20

1. Explain Erikson's eight stages of development. 10
2. Discuss the various characteristics of attachment patterns. 10
3. Compare the developmental tasks of young adulthood and old age. 10
4. Describe the process of perceptual development in children. Explain the constructivist and ecological views regarding perceptual development. 4+6

SECTION B

Answer any **four** of the following questions in about 250 words each :

4×6=24

5. Explain the role of biological preconditions and environmental influences in language development. 3+3
6. Explain specific reading disorder. 6
7. Describe the influence of peers versus parents in the development of adolescents. 6
8. Elucidate the information processing theory. 6
9. Explain the Kubler-Ross model of death and dying. 6

SECTION C

Write short notes on any two of the following in about 100 words each :

2×3=6

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| 10. Issues in Life-Span Development | 3 |
| 11. Types of Play | 3 |
| 12. Bell's Child Effect Model of Parenting | 3 |
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