

Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce (An Autonomous College Affiliated to University of Pune)

Subject code		Semester	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	M.Com.	I	II	III	IV
Title of Subject (For F.Y. as appeared in the prospectus) (For S.Y. & T.Y. titles can be as per the approval of BOS)		an	FOUNDATIONS OF PSYCHOLOGY II										
Objectives	2.	To help students u Psychology	elp students get understand various basic concepts of Psychology elp students understand motivation, personality, learning and memory in hology ive students the knowledge of basic concepts related to Intelligence.										

Detailed syllabus

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Unit	Contents of the syllabus	
1	Title of the topic: Motivation  1.1 Definition of motivation, concept of homeostasis  1.2 Types of motives  1.2.1 Physiological- Hunger, thirst, sleep and sex  1.2.2 Social- Achievement, affiliation, power, and aggression & hostility  1.3 Frustration and conflict  1.4 Maslow's hierarchy of needs	12
2	Title of the topic: Personality 2.1 Personality: Definitions 2.2 Theories of personality 2.2.1 Freud's Psychoanalytic Theory 2.2.2 Allport's Theory, OCEAN Model 2.3: Assessment of personality Interviews 2.3.1 Projective techniques (TAT, Rorschach's Ink Blot Test, Sentence Completion Test) 2.3.2 Personality Inventory	12
3	Title of the topic: Learning 3.1 Learning: Definition 3.2 Classical conditioning- Pavlov's experiment, generalization, discrimination, extinction, spontaneous recovery, higher-order conditioning. 3.3 Operant conditioning- Thorndike's Laws of learning, Skinner's experiment, 3.4. Reinforcement (types of reinforcement, schedules of reinforcement)	10





4	Title of the topic: Memory			
-	4.1 Memory: Definition and process			
	4.2 Types of memory			
	4.2.1 Sensory memory			
	4.2.2 Short term memory	10		
	4.2.3 Long term memory	10		
	4.3 Types of long term memory- Procedural, Declarative (episodic,			
	semantic), Explicit and implicit			
	4.4 Forgetting: causes of forgetting (encoding failure, decay of memory			
	traces, interference, motivated forgetting), Memory Improvement Techniques			
	4.3.2 Cerebral hemispheres			
5	Title of the topic: Intelligence			
	5.1 Intelligence: Nature and Definition			
	5.2 Gardner's theory of Intelligence, Multifactor theories of Intelligence	10		
	5.3 Measurement of intelligence	10		
	5.3.1 Concepts in measurement of intelligence (C.A., M.A., IQ)			
	5.3.2 Tests of intelligence – Stanford Binet, Wechsler			
	5.4 Individual differences in intelligence			
	Total Number of Lectures	54		

Suggested Reference Books:

1. Feldman, R. S. (8th ed.) (2008). Understanding psychology. TMH.

2. Ciccarelli, S. & Meyer, G. E. (2006). Psychology. New Delhi: Pearson Education.

3. Passer, M. W. & Smith, R. E. (2007). *Psychology: The science of mind and Nashik: behaviour*. New Delhi: Tata McGraw-Hill.

4. Coon, D. & Mitterer, J. O. (2007). Introduction to psychology: Gateways to mind and behavior.

Singapore: Thomson Wadsworth.

5. Lahey, B. B. (2003). Psychology: An introduction. New Delhi: Tata McGraw-Hill.

## Suggested Journals

- 1. Indian Journal of Applied Psychology
- 2. Personality and Individual Differences

## Web sites:

1. www.apa.org

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