

# Paper –401 Theories of Human Behaviour

## 1. Main Objectives :

- To define human behaviour in East and Western Approach
- To identify the areas of theories and system of psychology
- To introduce new human known theory and behaviour
- To understand ancient Greek philosophical influence and Today's modern theoretical concepts

## 2. The Scheme of question paper:

1. The paper will consist four units:
2. Each Unit Should be given equal weightage in examination
3. Total Marks are: 100.
  - 70: External Examination
  - 30: Internal evaluation(Duration of examination: 3 hours)

## Unit- 1 Gestalitsim and Field Theory

### **The Founding of Gestalt Psychology**

- Max Wartheimar,
- Kurt Koffka
- Wolfgang Kohler

### **Gestalt – Methodology – Theoretical bases**

- Opposition to Quantification
- The Physical Gestalt
- Physiological – Neurological basis
- Isomorphism
- Concept of Psychological field

Law of Perceptual Organization

Learning through insight

Creative Thinking

Field Theory – Topological concepts and Personality Theory

## Unit-2 Psychoanalysis

Historical Antecedents of Psychology

Postulates of Psychoanalysis

The Unconscious

- Conscious, Preconscious and Unconscious
- Dream interpretation

Theory of instincts

Theory of Psychosexual Development

Personality Theory

Defense Mechanisms

### **Unit-3 Analytical and individual Psychology**

Analytical Psychology – Carl Gustav Jung

- Carl Jung and Freud
- Theory of libido
- Conscious, Personal Unconscious and Collective Unconscious
- Introvert – Extrovert-attitudes and personality types

Individual Psychology – Alfred Adler

- Alfred Adler and Freud
- Main Principles of Adler's Psychology
  - Causation versus Purposivism
  - Striving for superiority
  - Inferiority feeling and compensation
  - Sociability
  - Style of life
  - Creative Self
- Karen Horney
- Erich Fromm
- Harry stack Sullivan

### **Unit- 4 Organismic and Personalistic Psychology**

Organismic Psychology

- Kurt Goldstein
- Jacob Robert Kantor

Personalistic Psychology

- William Stern
- Edward Sprenger
- G.W.Allport
- Henry A. Murray

### **Books**

1. “ Contemporary Theories and Systems in Psychology ” by Benjamin B. Wolman (1979) Freeman BOOK Company
2. “Systems and Theories in Psychology ” by Melvi n H. Marx and William A, Hillix (1978) Tata McGraw Hill New Delhi
3. “ A History of Psychology ” by Thomas Hardy Leahey (1997) Prentice Hall Upper Saddle River New heresy
4. “ Manovignan : Sampradayo ane Siddhnto” Dr. B.A.Parikh (1994) University Granth Board , Gujarat State
5. Brennam james ; Reading in the history and systems of psychology.
6. Sinha, Jadunath: Indian Psychology
7. Karen Huffman (2000) Psychology in Action, N.Y.; Wiley