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# St. Claret College

Autonomous, Bengaluru

PG END SEMESTER EXAMINATION-JULY/AUG 2025

M.Sc. PSYCHOLOGY SEMESTER II

MPY 2124: PERSONALITY PSYCHOLOGY

TIME: 3 hours.

MAX. MARKS: 70

This paper contains ONE printed page and THREE parts

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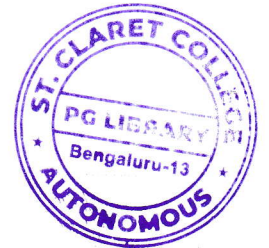
1. Verify and ensure that the question paper is completely printed.
2. Any discrepancies or questions about the exam paper must be reported to the COE within 1 hour after the examination.
3. Students must check the course title and course code before answering the questions.

## PART-A

Answer FOUR questions out of SIX. Each answer carries FIVE marks.

[5x4 = 20]

1. Briefly explain the different approaches to study personality
2. Describe the mechanisms through which personality impacts upon social support processes
3. Discuss some of the common characteristics among criminal offenders.
4. Discuss the social cognitive variables that determine academic achievement.
5. Discuss the role of personality in leadership and teamwork
6. Explain the functional effects of emotions



## PART-B

Answer any TWO questions out of THREE. Each answer carries TEN marks.

[10x2=20]

7. Critically evaluate the trait approach to personality along the following dimensions: completeness, cross cultural relevance, consensual validation, stability, heritability.
8. Discuss internalizing and externalising behaviours in students.
9. Explain the structure of emotional dispositions and its relationship to personality traits.

## PART-C

Answer any TWO questions out of THREE. Each answer carries FIFTEEN marks

[15X2=30]

10. Explain the structural models of personality
11. Elaborate on a storied view to understanding personality structure and development.
12. Explain how personality determines job performance, organisational citizenship and vocational choice.