

B.A.(Hons) Psychology
DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY
Mirza Ghalib College, Gaya

Program outcomes

Psychology is a subject that everyone can and should use throughout life. It provides research based knowledge about human behavior. By the time of completion of this program, students would be able to :

1. Describe key concepts, principles, and overarching themes in psychology.
2. Develop a working knowledge of psychology's content domains.
3. Describe applications of psychology.
4. Apply psychological content and skills to career goals.
5. Develop meaningful professional direction for life after graduation.

Program Specific outcomes (PSO)

By the time of completion of this program, students would be able to :

1. Explain why psychology is a science.
2. Use scientific reasoning to interpret psychological phenomena.
3. Engage in innovated and integrative thinking and problem solving.
4. Critically evaluate and analyse theoretical perspectives, historical trends and empirical findings that address psychology.

Course Outcomes

B.A.(Hons) Part – I

Paper – I General Psychology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Have knowledge of different methods to study human behaviour.
2. Have sound understanding of role of nervous system in different psychological processes.
3. Demonstrate knowledge of different psychological processes – Perception, Learning, Remembering, Forgetting, Thinking, Emotion, Intelligence and Personality also.

Paper – II Psychopathology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Understand different views about abnormality and history of psychopathology.
2. Understand aspects of mind.
3. Have knowledge of all types of psychopathological problems and how to deal with such problems.

Practical

On the completion of this paper, students would be able to :

1. Apply different methods to demonstrate verbal learning and sensory motor learning.
2. Test intelligence of an individual by applying different performance tests of intelligence.

B.A.(Hons) Part – II

Paper – III Educational Psychology

On the completion of this paper, students would be able to :

1. Understand the differences between education and educational psychology.
2. Get knowledge about different methods of educational psychology.
3. Understand intelligence, aptitude and achievement of students.
4. Understand programmed learning and role of motivation in learning.
5. Have knowledge of different types of examination technique and methods to educate special types of children – physically handicapped, mentally handicapped and problem children.
6. Have knowledge about guidance and counselling.

Paper – IV Systems of Psychology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Get knowledge that how Philosophy gave birth to Experimental Psychology.
2. Understand evolution of contrasting perspectives – Structuralism, Functionalism, Psychoanalytic schools, Neo-Freudian views, Humanistic point of view of Psychology.

Practical

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Conduct experiments on many topics – illusion, attention, recall and recognition.
2. Test intelligence of individuals by using different verbal intelligence test.
3. Test personality and adjustment of individuals by using different tests.

B.A.(Hons) Part – III

Paper – V Social Psychology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Get knowledge about subject- matter, scope and methods of Social Psychology and its relationship with Sociology and Anthropology.
2. Understand that how people perceives and influence one another.
3. Understand attitude, group, prejudice, leadership, propaganda, public opinion, social tension and impact of these factors on social behaviour.

Paper – VI

Group – A Research Methodology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Understand Psychological Research and how to prepare a research report.
2. Get knowledge about different methods of data collection.
3. Get knowledge about hypothesis and sampling in research.

Group – B Statistics

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Deal with the data derived from researches.
2. Understand cause and effect relationship between events.
3. Alter the information in a comprehensive way to explain and predict the patterns of behaviour.

Paper – VII

Group – A Industrial Psychology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Understand problems, scope and foundations of Industrial Psychology.
2. Get knowledge about the effects of physical environment, fatigue, monotony and problem of accidents on work.
3. Understand the concept of Scientific management and its importance in an industry.
4. Understand that why Psychologists are needed in industrial settings for assistance in selection and work analysis of workers.

Group – B Clinical Psychology

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Get knowledge of Clinical Psychology and its difference with Abnormal Psychology.
2. Understand different clinical problems and their remedial measures.
3. Get knowledge of diagnosis and different diagnostic tools for clinical problems.
4. Get knowledge of different therapeutic techniques.
6. Understand role of clinical psychologists in mental hospitals, clinics, child guidance, school and industry.

Paper – VIII Experiments

After completing this paper, students would be able to :

1. Explore and verify the presumed relationships between two events.
2. Manipulate one variable to determine if this causes changes in another variable.
3. Conduct experiments on many behavioural topics – sensation, reaction time, work and fatigue, attention and perception.

