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CC15U PSY5 B04 - LEARNING AND BEHAVIOUR

(Psychology - Core Course)

(2015, 2016 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

I. Choose the correct answer. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. The process of learning to make one response to one stimulus and a different response to another stimulus is named.
 - a) Generalization
 - b) Successive approximation
 - c) Discrimination
 - d) Behaviour modification
2. Which of the following methods can be used to reduce anxiety and fearful responses in a child?
 - a) Shaping
 - b) Implosive therapy
 - c) Aversion therapy
 - d) Biofeedback
3. Experiments on latent learning were carried out by.
 - a) Hull
 - b) Tolman
 - c) Lewin
 - d) Kohler
4. The reinforcement schedule most resistant to extinction is
 - a) Fixed ratio
 - b) Variable ratio
 - c) Fixed interval
 - d) Variable interval
5. In Skinner's operant conditioning, negative reinforcement involves.
 - a) Providing something positive
 - b) Providing something negative
 - c) Removing something positive
 - d) Removing something negative
6. Which of the following theorists believed that conditioning should take place after a single trial?
 - a) Watson
 - b) Skinner
 - c) Hull
 - d) Guthrie
7. Observational learning do not involve.
 - a) Attention
 - b) Incubation
 - c) Reproduction
 - d) Motivation
8. A child who learns a new behaviour by discarding wrong movements and focusing on right movements makes use of the principle of
 - a) Insight learning
 - b) Conditioned inhibition
 - c) Reactive inhibition
 - d) Trial and error learning
9. Which among the following helps in discrimination learning?
 - a) Punishment
 - b) Negative reinforcement
 - c) Sensitization
 - d) Differentia reinforcement

10. According to Bandura, which of the following is the process that drives behaviour?

- a) motivational forces
- b) principle of opposites
- c) self regulatory processes
- d) reciprocal determinism

(10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

II. Answer *all* questions in one or two sentences each. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Learned helplessness.
- 12. Overshadowing.
- 13. Premack's principle.
- 14. Reflexes.
- 15. Sensory preconditioning.
- 16. Tolman's purposive behaviour.
- 17. Instincts and behaviour.
- 18. Thorndike's laws of learning.
- 19. Habituation.
- 20. Higher order conditioning.

(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

III. Answer any *six* questions in a paragraph. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 21. Insight learning and its significance.
- 22. Process of extinction in classical and operant conditioning.
- 23. Reinforcement schedules.
- 24. Biological constraints in operant conditioning.
- 25. Delayed and trace conditioning.
- 26. Learning by contiguity.
- 27. Hull's theory of learning.
- 28. Stimulus generalization and discrimination.

(6 x 5 = 30 Marks)

IV. Essay questions. Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 29. Elaborate with an example as to how effectively a new behaviour can be learned using the principles of shaping and chaining.
- 30. Discuss the significance of Cognitive theory of Tolman and its applications.
- 31. Elaborate the major principles of social learning theory and its implications.
- 32. Discuss the chief principles of Classical conditioning.

(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)
