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**FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION
(PRIMARY OPTION)**

PEPS 0111: GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY (PART TIME)

STREAMS: DIP EDU. (PRIMARY OPTION)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 04/12/2018

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question one and any other two.**

- Q1. (a) Define the following key terms as applied in psychology:
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| (i) Psychology | (2 marks) |
| (ii) Intelligence | (2marks) |
| (iii) Emotions | (2 marks) |
| (iv) Perception | (2 marks) |
| (v) Learning | (2 marks) |
- (b) Explain why psychology is a science. (8 marks)
- (c) Discuss how nature and nurture influence behaviour. (12 marks)
- Q2. (a) Briefly describe any five (5) schools of psychology. (15 marks)
- (b) Explain the two extremes of intelligence. (5 marks)
- Q3. (a) With examples, describe any two types of learning. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain the importance of sensation and perception to learning. (10 marks)
- Q4. (a) Explain any two limitations of intelligence tests. (5 marks)
- (b) Discuss any five approaches to understanding motivation. Use relevant examples. (15 marks)

- Q5. (a) What are the functions of emotions? (5 marks)
- (b) With examples, describe any five branches of psychology. (15 marks)
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