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**FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

EPSC 111: INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) YISI S.B

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 09/08/2018

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question One and any other Two

Question One – 30 Marks

- (a) Define psychology and justify why it is a science. [10 marks]
- (b) Distinguish the following branches of psychology.
 - (i) Cognitive and social psychology [2 marks]
 - (ii) Abnormal and health psychology [2 marks]
 - (iii) Clinical and counseling psychology [2 marks]
- (c) Briefly explain any two early schools of psychology. [4 marks]
- (d) Compare psychosexual and psychosocial theories of personality development in terms of their stages. [10marks]

Question Two – 20 Marks

- (a) Define human memory and explain how it works like a computer in stages. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss any five principles of learning that can be applied in classroom learning. [10 marks]

Question Three – 20 Marks

- (a) Distinguish perception from sensation. [4 marks]
- (b) Explain any four principles of perception. [8 marks]
- (c) List any four types of learning. [8 marks]

Question Four – 20 Marks

- (a) Distinguish explicit memory from implicit memory. [4 marks]
 - (b) Define motivation and explain its two types. [6 marks]
 - (c) Discuss any five environmental factors that affect students behavior in schools. [10 marks]
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