

UG-332

BSY-12

B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2008.

First year

Psychology

DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

**Answer any THREE questions, in not exceeding
1 page each.**

1. Explain the stages of prenatal birth.
2. How do infants express their emotions?
3. Enumerate the motor skills found in early childhood.
4. Elucidate criteria and causes of puberty.
5. What makes middle-aged couples divorce or stay together?

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

Each answer not to exceed 4 pages each.

6. Describe the sensory capacities in the neonate.
7. Discuss in detail “Piaget’s sensori motor stage”.
8. What is meant by temperamental differences? – Explain.
9. Mention the hazards of childhood.
10. Describe the characteristics of Adolescence.
11. Explain the various conditions influencing vocational satisfaction.
12. Describe the characteristics of old age.
