



GARISSA UNIVERSITY

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2017/2018 ACADEMIC YEAR ONE
SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: PSY 112

COURSE TITLE: GENERAL EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

EXAMINATION DURATION: 3 HOURS

DATE: 13/04/17

TIME: 09.00-12.00 PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- The examination has **SIX (6)** questions
- Question **ONE (1)** is **COMPULSORY**
- Choose any other **THREE (3)** questions from the remaining **FIVE (5)** questions
- Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary
- Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room
- Do not write on this paper

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QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

- (a) With relevant example, define the term transfer of learning as used in psychology [2 marks]
- (b) Why do we need to study psychology as teachers? [10 marks]
- (c) What are the functions of psychology? [5 marks]
- (d) What are the advantages of experimental over Observational research method [8 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Differentiate between Educational Psychology and Counseling Psychology [4 marks]
- (b) Discuss the relevance of Developmental Psychology to teacher [4 marks]
- (c) Discuss factors that affect human perception [7 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Discuss classical Conditioning Theory [10 marks]
- (b) What are the implications of Classical Conditioning to education? [5 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss the assumptions of psychoanalytic theory [4 marks]
- (b) What are the implications of psychoanalytic theory to education [5 marks]
- (c) Explain teacher factors that affect learning of students [6 marks]

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain advantages and disadvantages of introspection research method [6 marks]
- (b) Discuss factors that influence personality development in growing up child [9 marks]

QUESTION SIX

- (a) Using relevant examples, explain Maslow's theory of motivation, using relevant examples [12 marks]
- (b) Cite the criticisms of Maslow theory of hierarchy of needs [3 marks]

