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**BACHELOR'S DEGREE
PROGRAMME (B. A. PSYCHOLOGY)
(BDP)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2025

BPCE-021 : FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : All Sections are compulsory.

Section—A

Note : Answer any two of the following questions in about 450 words each.

2×10=20

1. Explain the concept of Forensic Psychology.
Describe the functions of forensic psychologists. 4+6

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2. Describe the risk factors that contribute to a young person becoming a criminal, highlighting prevention measures. 7+3
3. Describe psychological assessment and evaluation in the context of Forensic Psychology. 10
4. Describe the tools and methods used by forensic psychologists in India. 10

Section—B

Note : Write any **four** of the following questions
in about **250** words each. 4×6=24

5. Describe the relationship between Forensic Psychology and Developmental Psychology. 6
6. Describe social learning approach and perceptual control theory as approaches to causes of criminal behaviour. 6
7. Discuss substance abuse evaluation. 6

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8. Discuss the process of civil commitment and elucidate the rights of committed patient.

2+4

9. Discuss ethics in Forensic Psychology. 6

Section—C

Note : Write short notes on any **two** of the following in about **100** words each.

2×3=6

10. Legal insanity 3
11. Meaning of cruelty 3
12. Police and special populations 3

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