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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARTS
IN COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY**

**MAY-AUGUST 2021 SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: COU 4223
COURSE TITLE: PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING
EXAM DATE: AUGUST 6, 2021
DURATION: 3 HOURS
TIME: 11:15 AM – 2:15 PM**

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- This Exam has TWO SECTIONS.
- **SECTION A** is Compulsory.
- Answer any **TWO** questions in **SECTION B**

SECTION A: COMPULSORY (20 MARKS)

QUESTION 1

- a) Explain the following terms:
 - i) Gross skills (2 marks)
 - ii) Intelligence (2 marks)
 - iii) Achievement tests (4 marks)
 - iv) Performance tests (4 marks)
- b) Analyze two sources of data used in psychological tests (4 marks)
- c) Explain the difference between aptitude and attitude (4 marks)

SECTION B : ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS

QUESTION 2

- a) Discuss two significances of the environment to intelligence (4 marks)
- b) Describe three specializations of psychometricians (6 marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Explain the two focuses of the measure of cognitive ability (4 marks)
- b) Enumerate on three benefits of personality tests (6 marks)

QUESTION 4

- a) Compare and contrast between mental age and chronological age (4 marks)
- b) Discuss the significance of reliability and viability in psychological tests (6 marks)

QUESTION 5

- a) Explain the significance of reliability and viability in psychological testing (4 marks)
- b) Describe tree uses of aptitude tests (6 marks)