Objective: To understand the psychological basis of human behavior in society and organizations from the point of view of motivation and performance..

Detailed Curriculum:

Unit I: Introduction-Development of psychology as a science-Individual, nature and environment-Research methods

Unit II: Brain-Response mechanism and kinds of responses-Sensation and perception-States of consciousness-Learning

Unit III: Memory-Cognition-Intelligence-Personality-Transfer of training-Thought processes-Problem solving and creative thinking-Nature and evaluation techniques of intelligence and personality

Unit IV: Motivation-Theories of motivation-Motivation and emotion-Development and Developmental Psychology-Leadership

Unit V: Health Psychology-Psychological disorders-Social Psychology- Social problems

Recommended Text book(s):

1. Feldman, R.S. (2008). Understanding Psychology (8th Ed). New York: McGrawHill

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- 1. Canadian Edition. Thomson Nelson
- 2. Weiten, W. & McCann, D. (2007). Psychology: Themes & Variations. First
- 3. David G. Myers(2007) Psychology 1st Canadian Edition Worth Publishers
- 4. Scott O. Lilienfeld, Steven Jay Lynn, Laura L. Namy, Nancy J. Woolf(2010) Psychology: From Inquiry to Understanding, Pearson Education