

SIXTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2026

(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

PSYCHOLOGY

GPSY6B12T: APPLIED SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Time: 2 Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks.

(Ceiling 20 marks)

Write short notes on:

1. Group polarization.
2. Self-confirming diagnoses.
3. Social anxiety.
4. Social psychology.
5. Impression management.
6. Hindsight bias.
7. Child labour.
8. Self-monitoring.
9. Hopelessness.
10. Prevention.
11. IRDP and TRYSEM.
12. Hostile aggression.

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks.

(Ceiling 30 marks)

13. Explain the causes and types of social problems in India.
14. What are the determinants of aggression?
15. How does social psychology relate to other disciplines?
16. How can the harmful effects of exposure to pornography be reduced?
17. Write a note on the treatment and prevention of depression using social psychological theories.
18. Explain the process and steps through which social problems are solved.
19. Describe depression from a social psychological perspective.

SECTION C: Answer any *one* question. The question carries *ten* marks.

20. Briefly explain the major theories in social psychology.
21. Explain the consequences of viewing violent media content.

(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)