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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
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MASTER OF ARTS IN COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY

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CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: MCA 600

COURSE TITLE: CHILD AND ADOLESCENT ABNORMALITIES

EXAM DATE: 6/4/2022

DURATION: 3 Hours

TIME: 6:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- **Answer question 1 and any other TWO questions**
- *ALL PAC University's examination rules and regulations apply*

SECTION A: COMPULSORY (20 MARKS)

QUESTION 1

- a) With one example, explain the measure of normalcy. (4 marks)
- b) Illustrate any two behavioral manifestations of children with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder. (4 marks)
- c) Discuss any two behavioral symptoms of Autism Disorder in children. (4 marks)
- d) Distinguish between Opposition Disorder and Conduct Disorder. (4 marks)
- e) Describe two ways Separation Anxiety Disorder develops. (4 marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION 2

- a) Explain two ways child abnormality is determined. (4 marks)
- b) Discuss any three recognizable types of emotional abuse. (6 marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Distinguish between fear and anxiety. (4 marks)
- b) Describe any three symptoms of Conduct Disorder. (6 marks)

QUESTION 4

- a) Illustrate any two symptoms of Panic disorder. (4 marks)
- b) Describe three ways autism is managed. (6 marks)

QUESTION 5

- a) Explain two ways separation/divorce of parents affects the mental wellbeing of a child. (4 marks)
- b) Discuss any three ways a child with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder affects parents functioning. (6 marks)