

BLDE Deemed to be University, Vijayapur.

Syllabus for Ph.D. (Clinical Psychology) entrance examination

- Foundations of Psychology
- Major schools of thought, influential psychologists, and historical developments.
- Biological Psychology: Structure and function of the brain, nervous system, and sensory systems.
- Cognitive Psychology
Attention and Perception
Memory, Types of memory, memory models, and forgetting.
Language and Cognition
- Personality Theories, Personality Assessment
- Abnormal Psychology
Anxiety Disorders, Mood Disorders, Schizophrenia, OCD
- Developmental Psychology
Cognitive Development
Attachment, social skills.
Developmental challenges and opportunities during adolescence and adulthood.
- Clinical Psychology
Clinical Assessment. Methods of clinical assessment, including interviews, questionnaires, and behavioural observations.
Psychotherapy: Types of psychotherapy, including cognitive-behavioral, psychodynamic, and humanistic approaches.
Neuropsychological Assessment: Methods of neuropsychological assessment, including cognitive and behavioral tests.
Neurodevelopmental Disorders: Neuropsychological aspects of neurodevelopmental disorders, including ADHD and autism spectrum disorder and their assessment.