**TU/CDOE**

**TEZPUR UNIVERSITY**

**SEMESTER END EXAMINATION (SPRING) 2024**

**DIPCRGD/DCG 101: UNDERSTANDING CHILDHOOD**

**Full Marks: 70 Time: 3 hours**

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks for the individual question*

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**1. Answer the following questions (10x2=20)**

1. Define childhood.
2. What does Tabula Rasa mean according to John Locke?
3. Who developed the concept of the concepts of ‘role model’ and ‘reference group’
4. Which critical thinker distinguishes between the "perfect knowledge" and that of "optimal conditions".
5. Which of the following is not a task of babyhood and early childhood?
6. Learning to get along with peer group iii. Getting ready to read
7. Learning to walk iv. Learning to take solid foods
8. Who postulated the theory of Cognitive Development?
9. Jean Piaget iii. Ivan Pavlov
10. Sigmund Freud iv. Carl Rogers
11. Who developed the Ecological system theory?
12. Ivan Pavlov iii. Abraham Harold Maslow
13. Urie Bronfenbrenner iv. B. F. Skinner
14. \_\_\_\_\_\_ stage is the continued growth, emergence of motor, cognitive and psychosocial accomplishments of a child.
15. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ believed that cognitive development did not progress at a steady rate, but rather in leaps and bounds.
16. French social historian, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ used paintings of 16th century to argue that childhood is a modern invention.

**2. Answer any four questions (4x5=20)**

1. Write a note on the social construct of childhood.
2. Explain the types and importance of understanding child neglect.
3. Write a note on child physical and emotional abuse.
4. Evaluate the Ecological System Models and Child Vulnerabilities.
5. Explain the various types of socialization.

**3. Answer any Three questions (3x10=30)**

1. Discuss the various theoretical perspectives on social construct of childhood.
2. Write a note on:
3. Ethnocentrism
4. Relativism
5. Elucidate the varying legal definition and recognition of child’s agency in India.
6. Critically examine the social policy and condition of children in 21st century India.

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