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COURSE CODE: GNS 111

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DURATION OF PAPER: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS
EACH FACT IS WORTH 1 MARK
WRITE LEGIBLE

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1. Ncamiso wants out of his relationship with Ncamisile, but is afraid to hurt her. He insists that she is the best thing that ever happened to him and wants to marry him. He buys her flowers and chocolates every day.

   - Narcissistic

2. Mekhi has been diagnosed with HIV. He has tested six times from various health facilities only to get the same outcome.

   - Libido

3. While working at Mrs Masango’s hair salon 3 years ago, Nosipho had an affair with Mr. Masingo. Nosipho, being guilty of what she did, regularly comes and works in the salon for no pay and often bakes for her former boss lady.

   - Antisocial Personality

4. Being confident, having a sense of mastery or competence in a certain area of one’s life.

   - Schizotypal

5. With Piaget’s theory, knowledge that certain physical attributes of an object remain unchanged even though the outward appearance of the object is altered is called?

   - Melancholic

6. Mr. Mthembu has a strange desire for blood. He has been convicted once for assault and causing grievous bodily harm to an unsuspecting victim. In trying to gratify and probably appease this desire, he has decided to work in an abattoir.

   - Introverted

7. Samu (toddler) pretends to shave after his father. Piaget refers to this stage.

   - Formal operations

8. The president addressed the nation and said “we ought to encourage the breast... I mean the least and the brightest”

   - Trial-and-error

9. Vusi is having an extramarital affair, and last night he absconded his wife accusing her of cheating on him.

   - Conservation

10. Sr. Zwane is a very strict nurse and outspoken manager and when student nurses abscond from clinical practice, she dismisses them from the ward and reports them immediately to the lecturer. She tells them that they are no longer welcome in her unit.

    - Reaction Formation.

11. Mfana is a university student. He has been incarcerated twice for stealing and selling drugs. He has sold his father’s car to a local gangster and tonight, they’ll be coming for the car. His mother had a stroke last month after she found him beating his girlfriend. Mfana is not bothered about how his parents feel about his life choices. He grows and sells weed in campus.

    - Initiative vs Guilt

12. Maggie is uncomfortable when not recognized. She is flirtatious, and dresses seductively so as to draw other people’s attention. She is very shallow and embarrasses her friends as she uncontrolable laughs at stupid things and sometimes hysterically sobs over minor sentimentality.

    - Pleading

Eg: 1. - Behaviour.
13. A parent was caught stealing food for her hungry children. The judge threw her in prison for theft. The level of the moral judgement used by the judge: EEG

14. Michael cannot understand that others may perceive the world differently than him. ___

15. Zola does _NOT_ make friends easily and prefers to keep to himself. ___

16. Moses' decisions are based only on personal gain, on which stage of moral reasoning is he? ___

17. Matthew is upset because his sister took two cookies and he only had one. After his sister cut his cookie into 2 halves, he was satisfied that they both had two. ___

18. Changes in the capacity to reason about the rightness and wrongness of various actions that occur with age ___

19. Growing understanding of one’s own mental states and those of others ___

20. Changes that are largely determined by genes are known as ___

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1.2. Answer the following questions by indicating whether the statement is TRUE or FALSE

eg. 5. False

21. Heritable or genetic factors cannot be readily changed. TRUE/ FALSE

22. The id is part of conscious personality TRUE/FALSE

23. A person's profile on the big 5 dimensions can predict their job success. TRUE/ FALSE

24. Generally, increased delay of the reward produces poorer levels of performance. TRUE/ FALSE

25. Operant and classical conditioning are forms of vicarious learning. TRUE/ FALSE

**QUESTION 2**

2.1 Nono is a leader of "cat"- a group of 4 girls who consider themself the most beautiful and classy in the campus. They set fashion trends and are envied by many. She demands that the other girls should consult with her before they wear something new. She prefers that the others must always wait for her so that they are always together. She does not like it when the other girls get good scores than her and as a leader, she demands that they show her their assignments before submission. During clinical placements, she wants to be noticed by the staff, and she gets frustrated when ignored.

Analyze this case and explain the Personality Disorder that Nono might be having. [5]
2.2 Differentiate between the following:

2.2.1 Stimulus generalization and stimulus discrimination
2.2.2 Classical and operant conditioning
2.2.3 Projection and Displacement
2.2.4 Regression and repression

2.3 Discuss the attributes of Emotional Intelligence and how these are necessary in your clinical practice as a nurse.

QUESTION 3 [25]

3.1 Describe the Big 5 / Five Factor Model personality traits by McCrae and Costa.

3.2 As a nurse, you are exposed to several people with terminal illnesses. Kubler-Ross states that there are 5 stages of grief. Explain these stages, and briefly indicate how you would assist patients deal with the grief of being diagnosed with a terminal illness.

GOOD LUCK!!!