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**M.A. IN PSYCHOLOGY (MAPC)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2011**

**MPC-002 : LIFE SPAN PSYCHOLOGY**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 50*

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*Note : Attempt five questions in all. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. All questions carry equal marks.*

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1. Discuss the major issues and research methods for life span development. 5+5=10
  
2. What are the characteristics of infancy period ? Elucidate the psychosocial development during infancy period. 5+5=10
  
3. What do you mean by cognitive development ? Discuss the cognitive development during early school year. 5+5=10
  
4. Define Learning Disability. How would you identify learning disability in children ? Suggest remedial program for learning disability. 2+3+5=10

5. Critically evaluate the challenges during adolescence period. **10**
6. Discuss identity, self - concept and self - esteem in adolescents. **3+3+4=10**
7. What do you understand by developmental task ? Discuss various developmental tasks of middle adulthood. **3+7=10**
8. What are the major cognitive changes occurring during the adulthood period. **10**
9. What are the issues and challenges in old age (late adulthood). **10**
10. Write short notes on *any two* of the following : **5+5=10**
- (a) Retirement and Leisure
  - (b) Kohlberg's theory of moral development.
  - (c) Egocentrism in Adolescents
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