SHRIMATHI DEVKUNVAR NANALAL BHATT VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) (Affiliated to the University of Madras and Re-accredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC) Chromepet, Chennai — 600 044. B.Sc. (Psy) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023 SEMESTER - II **21UPCCT2004 - Biological Psychology-II**

Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 1. Elucidate the functions of sleep.
- 2. Justify the possibility of resetting the human biological clock and its impact.
- 3. How does the maturation of the vertebrate brain, particularly during early development, influence complex cognitive functions and behaviour in adulthood?
- 4. Distinguish between Osmotic Thirst and Hypovolemic Thirst.
- 5. How does media portrayal of body image impact the onset and prevalence of eating disorders among young people?
- 6. Explain the functions of emotions and name the brain areas that are associated with emotions.
- 7. What neural mechanisms underlie the formation of long-term memories in the brain?
- 8. Draw and evaluate the role of the hippo campus in memory formation and retrieval.

Section C

Answer any **THREE** questions $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 9. Explain the different stages of sleep, incorporating a brain wave diagram for each stage, and emphasize the significance of Paradoxical sleep in the processes of learning and memory consolidation.
- 10. Relate the process of brain development and plasticity to the adaptability and learning potential of the human brain across different stages of life.
- 11. Correlate the role do neural pathways, particularly those involving the hypothalamus and related brain regions, play in sensing and regulating thirst to maintain proper hydration levels in the human body.

- 12. Defend how the James-Lange theory links physiological responses to emotional experiences.
- 13. Propose and design a creative intervention or technique to aid individuals with amnesia in enhancing memory retrieval and retention, considering both technological and psychological approaches.
