Manav Rachna : Sample Paper for M.Phil. Clinical Psychology

Instructions: Ensure adherence to the understated:
For objective questions - *ALL MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS ARE OF ONE MARK EACH.*
For subjective questions - *The word limit for 5 markers questions is 100-150 words, and for 10 markers, the word limit is 300-350 words.*

1.Which psychologist is associated with the development of the theory of Operant Conditioning?

A: Pavlov
B: Watson
C: Skinner
D: Bandura

2.Who is credited with the creation of the first intelligence test?

A: Freud
B: Piaget
C: Binet
D: Terman

3.Which of the following is NOT a defense mechanism identified by Freud?

A: Repression
B: Denial
C: Sublimation
D: Regression

4.Which of the following is a key concept of Carl Rogers' Humanistic Theory?

A: Classical conditioning
B: Self-actualization
C: The unconscious mind
D: Behavior modification

5.Which psychological perspective emphasizes the role of free will and personal growth?
A: Psychoanalysis
B: Behaviorism
C: Humanism
D: Cognitive psychology

Answer all the questions in brief. (5 marks X 4 = 20 marks)

Q1. Provide an explanation of the various regions of the brain and their specific functions.

Q2. How would you define motivation? Discuss its biological foundations in detail.

Answer all the questions in detail. (10 marks X 4 = 40 marks)

Q1. Conduct a comprehensive evaluation of Selective Serotonin Reuptake Inhibitors (SSRIs) as a biological treatment for Major Depressive Disorder, considering high-quality clinical trials, their comparative effectiveness to other pharmacological treatments, and the ethical implications of their long-term use.

Q2. Freud contended that personality is shaped by unconscious conflicts, while behaviorist theories argue that it develops through operant conditioning. Which of these perspectives do you find more convincing, and why? Provide a specific example of how a particular personality trait can be explained within the framework of the theory you support