## SECTION 2: STRUCTURED ESSAY QUESTIONS (60 MARKS)

## Choose 04 out of the 06 questions given below and answer using the provided answer sheets

- 1. Models of memory is useful to identify memory functions and processes.
  - (a) Draw a diagram of the working memory model introduced by Baddeley and Hitch in 1974 including all components of the model (5 marks)
  - (b) Write an example and explain how a schema is used to identify stimuli with top-down and bottom-up processing (10 marks)
- 2. Memory is important for human functioning and there are disorders of memory.
  - (a) Briefly explain what are the specific features of a memory disorder using an example (4 marks)
  - (b) Compare and contrast cognitive neuroscience versus cognitive neuropsychology as approaches to studying human cognition (4 marks)
  - (c) Explain why STM (Short Term Memory) is known as the foundation toward long-term learning of new information (7 marks)
- 3. Accuracy and reliability of eye witness memory depends on several factors.
  - (a) List and explain two characteristics of a criminal event that can affect eye-witness memory (6 marks)
  - (b) Describe a case study which showed evidence for creation of false memories (9 marks)
- 4. Everyday tasks sometimes require people to divide their attention to several tasks.
  - (a) Explain what is known as the 'shadowing task' in attention research? (6 marks)
  - (b) Discuss the factors which can affect performance of dual tasks at the same time with examples (9 marks)
- 5. Discuss the following statements by providing relevant arguments, evidence and examples
  - (a) 'Environment plays a key role in determining intelligence' (5 marks)
  - (b) 'Cultural differences affect memory capacity' (5 marks)
  - (c) 'Dementia is not a single disease' (5 marks)
- 6. Write brief notes on the following topics
  - (a) Monocular depth cues using two examples (5 marks)
  - (b) Prosopagnosia and face recognition (5 marks)
  - (c) Language Acquisition Device (5 marks)