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**MASTER OF EDUCATION IN EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY**

**COURSE CODE: PSY 801**

**COURSE TITLE: THEORIES OF PERSONALITY**

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**Answer any three questions**

1. (a) Does human personality change over time or is it fixed? Give examples.

(10 marks)

1. Using examples describe five strengths and five weaknesses of trait theories on personality. (10 marks)

1. Discuss Carl Roger’s client-centred application of humanistic approach

and Freud’s psychoanalytic theory to personality.(20 marks)

1. Evaluate Albert Bandura’s social cognitive theory and describe how it contrasts trait-based approaches to personality.(20 marks)
2. Compare and contrast Eysenck’s and Allport’s theories on personality.

(20 marks)

1. What is meant by the term, *personality disorder*?(2 marks)

(b) Describe three factors that may influence personality development.

(6 marks)

(c ) Using examples. explain three possible causes of personality disorders

(12 marks)