

## Table of Specification – PhD Psychology - Spring 2026

### NUMS Entry Test

**Total Time Allowed 2 Hours**

**Total Marks**

**Part A: Objectives**  
**Time Allowed: 1 Hour**  
**Marks: 40**

**Part B: Subjective**  
**Time Allowed: 1 Hour**  
**Marks: 60**

Psychology		
Sr. No.	Part A: Core Areas Objectives	Marks
1	Research Methods and Statistics	10
2	Psychological Testing	10
3	Personality and Counselling	10
4	Social Psychology	10
<b>Part B: Subjective</b>		
1	Fundamentals of Psychology	20
2	Research Methods	20
3	Interpretation of Statistical Data	20
<b>Total</b>		100

<b>Psychology (Detailed)</b>		
<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Core Areas</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
<b>1</b>	<b><u>RESEARCH METHODS AND STATISTICS</u></b>	<b>110%</b>
	1.1 Methods in Psychological Research_____2%	
	1.2 Probability & Non Probability Sampling_____2%	
	1.3 Qualitative & Quantitative Research Methods _____2%	
	1.4 Descriptive Statistics_____2%	
	1.5 Inferential Statistics_____2%	
<b>2</b>	<b><u>PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING</u></b>	<b>10%</b>
	2.1 Introduction & Historical Background of Psychological Testing _____ 2%	
	2.2 Steps in Test Construction_____1%	
	2.3 Adaptation of Psychological Tests_____1%	
	2.4 Reliability_____2%	
	2.5 Validity_____2%	
	2.6 Test Norms_____2%	
<b>3</b>	<b><u>SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY</u></b>	<b>10%</b>
	3.1 Introduction to Social Psychology_____1%	
	3.2 Attitude Development and Change_____2%	
	3.3 Social Perception_____2%	
	3.4 Group Dynamics_____2%	
	3.5 Social Conformity_____1%	
	3.6 Pro-social Behavior and Aggression_____2%	
<b>4</b>	<b><u>Personality and Counseling</u></b>	<b>10%</b>
	4.1 Major Theories of Personality_____5%	
	4.2 Counseling Process & Skills_____4%	
	4.3 Ethics in Counseling _____1%	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>40%</b>