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PERSONALITY

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SESSIONAL EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Answer any FOUR questions.
- 2. Total marks100.

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Question 1 Discuss the birth order effect on personality in the Zimbabwean context. (25marks) **Question 2** State and briefly explain four factors which influence personality development. Illustrate your answer with relevant examples (25marks) **Ouestion 3** Discuss the characteristic features of the id, ego and superego. (25 marks) **Question 4** To what extent does Karen Horney's theory apply to the extended family in Zimbabwe? (25 marks) **Question 5** Explain how projective personality assessment techniques can be effectively used for a job position in an organisation. (25 marks)

Question 6

Explain on any **five** defense mechanisms which can be used by people to protect themselves from their tensions. (25 marks)

END OF EXAMINATION