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**Freud Essay Questions:**

#1: Conscious is a state of mind described by a person's experiences. The Preconscious is the state of mind in which the person is unaware of existing ideas, recent memories, or current events. They can, however, be made conscious with some effort. Unconsciousness is a state of mind when someone is completely unaware of what is happening.

#2: Id is a source of unconscious urges that seek gratification. Ego is a way to help an individual satisfy their basic desires that are appropriately approved by society. The superego represents the inclusion of an individual's moral standards in the community.

#3: The oral stage is the first pregenital stage of psychosexual development, where the immediate gratifications are centered around the mouth. The oral receptive character is an individual who overeats. An aggressive oral nature is an individual who does not eat enough. Both oral characters become fixated on the said stage. The anal stage is the second pregenital stage of psychosexual development, where immediate gratification is centered around the anal cavity. An anal character is an individual that is fixated on the anal scene and gets pleasure that

this individual receives from their control over their feces. The phallic stage is the third pregenital stage of psychosexual development, where immediate gratifications are acquired from manipulating the genitals. A phallic character is an individual who is fixated on the phallic stage and, in the future, needs to prove themselves to others continuously