

Psychology 3270

Motivation and Emotion

Fall 2008

Class Time: T, Th 8:30 a.m., SS 337

Office Hours: T, Th 8:00 a.m., MWF 9:30 a.m.

Text: Deckers. *Motivation*, 2nd Ed.

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Dates

Aug. 26, 28

Sept. 2, 4

Sept. 9, 11

Sept. 16, 18

Sept. 23, 25

Sept. 30

Chapters

1. Introduction

2. History

3. Evolution

4. Addictions

5. Hunger, etc.

Tests

QUIZ 1, Sept. 25

Test 1, Chapters 1-5

Oct. 2, 7

Oct. 9, 14

Oct. 16, 21

Oct. 23, 28

Oct. 30

6. Arousal

7. Stress

8. Drives, Needs

9. Personality, Self

QUIZ 2, Oct. 28

Test 2, Chapters 6-9

Nov. 4, 6

Nov. 11, 13

Nov. 18, 20

Nov. 25

Dec. 2, 4

Dec. 11

10. Extrinsic, Intrinsic

11. Goals

12. Efforts

13. Emotions

14. Function of Emotions

7:30 a.m.

QUIZ 3, Dec 4

Test 3, Chapters 10-14

Chapter team assignment, 10 points possible.

Verbal article assignment, 10 points possible.

Written journal article assignment due October 15, 10 points possible.

Chapter activity pages, 5 points each

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Welcome to Psychology 3270, Motivation and Emotion. Psychology deals with human behavior and Motivation deals with the forces and causes that get behavior moving.

Text, etc. The name of the text and the dates of the reading assignments are given on the accompanying schedule sheet. Do read the text. Study it carefully and completely.

Tests and Quizzes. Each of the three major tests will consist of 50 multiple choice questions on the block of material. To prepare for the tests, study the book and go over your class notes. Bring a No. 2 pencil for the tests.

The short quizzes will generally be ten true/false questions, taken from in-class lecture, discussion, and activities.

If for some reason you will miss a test or a quiz, please talk to me in advance, if possible, to arrange for a makeup.

Assignments. Written and verbal assignments are as indicated on the schedule sheet and explained in class.

Grades. Your grade is based on the total number of points from tests, quizzes and verbal and written assignments.

Goal. The primary goal of the course is to learn about the basic theories and content areas within the field of Motivation and Emotion.

In Class. Do come to class. If for some reason you miss, get the notes, etc., from someone in class. Do listen, and take notes. Do participate in the in-class exercises. Please do not talk to others during class. If you have relevant questions and comments, please be sure to share them with the entire class. Class will consist of lecture, activities and reports. Be sure to come to see me if I can help you with anything, or if there is anything I need to know about.