

Introductory Psychology Psychology 1010

Spring 2009
Class Time: T Th 8:30 A.M.
Office Hours: As Announced

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Chapter	1	Introduction	Jan 6, 8
Appendix	B	Work Applications	Jan 13
Chapter	2	Neuroscience	Jan 15
Chapter	3	Nature-Nurture	Jan 20, 22
Chapter	4	Developmental Psychology	Jan 27
Chapter	5	Sensation & Perception	Jan 29, Feb 3
	Quiz 1		Feb 3
Test	1		Feb 5
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Chapter	6	Consciousness	Feb 10
Chapter	7	Learning	Feb 12, 17
Chapter	8	Memory	Feb 19, 24
Chapter	9	Thinking, etc.	Feb 26
	Quiz 2		Feb 26
Test	2		Mar 3
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Appendix	A	Statistics	Mar 5, 17
Chapter	10	Motivation	Mar 19, 24
Chapter	11	Emotions, etc.	Mar 26
Chapter	12	Personality	Mar 31
	Quiz 3		Mar 31
Test	3		Apr 2
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Appendix	C	Careers in Psychology	Apr 7
Chapter	13	Psychological Disorders	Apr 9, 14
Chapter	14	Therapy	Apr 16
Chapter	15	Social Psychology	Apr 21, 23
	Quiz 4		Apr 23
Test	4		April 30, 7:30 am

*Article summary due Feb 19, one page, 10 points possible. Five points off if late.
Paper accepted up to one week late. Include reference.

*Team assignment 10 Points
*Verbal assignment 10 Points

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Psychology 1010

Welcome to Introductory Psychology. Psychology is a very interesting field of study that deals with human behavior- your behavior and my behavior.

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

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

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 quiz, please talk to me in advance, if possible, to arrange for a makeup.

Written and Verbal assignments. A one-page summary of a magazine article about psychology is due as indicated on the schedule sheet. Be sure to give the reference. Verbal assignments as discussed.

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

Goal. The primary goal of the course is to learn about the basic elements of human behavior. We will discuss several different topics, as you can see from our schedule. The course serves as a foundation for other psychology classes, as well as a “one-shot” exposure to some aspects of the field of psychology.

In Class. Do be 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 mostly of lecture, activities, questions and answers. No cheating, of course. If you have special needs or problems, please talk with me about them.