

AP Psychology provides an overview of current psychological research methods and theories. Students will explore the therapies used by professional counselors and clinical psychologists and examine the reasons for normal human reactions: how people learn and think, the process of human development and human aggression, altruism, intimacy, and self-reflection. They will study core psychological concepts, such as the brain and sense functions, and learn to gauge human reactions, gather information, and form meaningful syntheses. Along the way, students will also investigate relevant concepts like study skills and information retention. The equivalent of an introductory college-level survey course, AP Psychology prepares students for the AP exam and for further studies in psychology or life sciences.

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Length: One semester

UNIT 1: HISTORY AND PERSPECTIVES OF PSYCHOLOGY

LESSON 1: HISTORY AND PERSPECTIVES OF PSYCHOLOGY

Study: Development of Psychology as a Science

Learn about the development of psychology from early philosophy to modern science.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: What Do You Know about Psychology? A Common Sense Test

Take a quick quiz to test your knowledge in the field of psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 15 mins

Discuss: Getting Acquainted

Introduce yourself to students and instructor. Share information about yourself, your school, and your interest in psychology

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Study: Modern Perspectives in Psychology

Learn about eight of the most common perspectives in modern psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of the history and perspectives of psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Study: Fields in Psychology

Learn about psychologists, psychiatrists, and counselors.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Careers in Psychology

Match various psychology career titles to their activities.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Practice: Identifying Perspectives in Psychology

Read and sort various scenarios into the corresponding psychological perspectives they represent.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of the history and perspectives of psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 2: RESEARCH METHODS

Study: Introduction to Psychological Research

Get some explanations regarding the world of psychological research.

Duration: n/a

Explore: Why Learn about Psychological Research? An Introduction

Learn the key elements of how research should be conducted and designed so that you can better evaluate reports that may seem confusing.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Observational Studies

Learn about surveys and other types of information-gathering studies where the researcher does not exert control over the subjects.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Experiments

Learn about studies where the researcher exerts control over the subjects and observes how they react.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Hypothesis Testing

Learn how science answers important 'yes or no' questions.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Hypothesis Testing in Current Research

Explore current research that uses hypothesis testing.

Duration: 1 hr

Study: Correlational Research

Learn how to analyze the relationship between two variables such as TV watching and grades.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Evaluating Research Design and Ethics

Evaluate the research design and ethical standards of several research proposals.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Evaluating Scientific Information

Using two different sources, one credible and one noncredible, evaluate the research design of each resource.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Practice: Comprehension Check

See how much you know about basic research methods in psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Discuss: Should Animals Be Used in Research?

Share views and explore the pros and cons of animal research and experimentation in psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of research methods in psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 3: BASIC STATISTICS

Study: Basic Statistics

Learn basic measures of central tendency (averages) and variation (standard deviation).

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: The Normal Distribution z-Scores and Percentiles

Learn how the common 'bell curve' is used to determine probabilities and percentiles.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Descriptive Statistics

Practice what you have learned about descriptive statistics. (Additional Practice)

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Basic Statistics

Calculate, organize and identify basic statistical data.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of basic statistics.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of basic statistics.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 4: HISTORY AND PERSPECTIVES OF PSYCHOLOGY WRAP-UP**Review: History and Perspectives of Psychology**

Review the material to prepare for the test.

Duration: 3 hrs

Review: Advanced Placement Essay Writing

Write Advanced Placement Essays

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins

Test (CS): History and Perspectives of Psychology

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 40 points

Test (TS): History and Perspectives of Psychology

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 20 points

LESSON 5: DIAGNOSTIC**Diagnostic: History and Perspectives of Psychology**

Test your understanding of the key concepts covered in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 52 points

UNIT 2: PERCEPTION AND CONSCIOUSNESS**LESSON 1: THE NERVOUS AND ENDOCRINE SYSTEMS****Study: Organization of the Nervous System**

Learn about the main components of the human nervous system and how they work together.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: A Tour of the Brain

Learn about the most complicated system in the known universe.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Hemisphere Specialization

Learn more about brain function and hemisphere specialization.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Methods for Studying the Brain

Learn about the amazing tools that have given rise to exciting new discoveries about the brain.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Neuron Activity

Label the structures of a neuron and complete the accompanying fill-in-the-blank activity.

Duration: 0 hrs 15 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of the nervous system, the neuron basic brain structures and their functions, and how scientists study the human brain.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Study: The Endocrine System

Learn about the system of hormones and glands that affects emotions and important processes such as growth.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Sheep Brain Dissection

Learn about brain structures and functions by exploring a sheep's brain which is so similar to our own.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Brain Biology

Create a brain model that displays the various brain structures and outlines their various functions.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of the nervous and endocrine systems

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 2: GENETIC INFLUENCES

Study: Genetics and Genetic Diseases

Learn the basics of genes chromosomes and how they affect behavior.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Nature-Nurture and Twin Studies

Learn more how genes and the environment affect our behavior.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Nature or Nurture?

Explore the topic of nature vs. nurture. Use concrete examples to support your view on how environmental or biological factors affect who and what we are.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of genetic influences.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 3: SENSATION AND PERCEPTION

Study: Sensation

Learn how our sense organs take in information from the environment.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Theories of Vision and Hearing

Learn details about how our eyes and ears work.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Theories of Taste Smell and Position

Explore research and details about how we sense tastes and smells.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Explore: Senses of Touch Position and Balance

Explore research and details about the sense of touch position and balance.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Explore: Fun with Your Senses

A fun interactive that teaches you about senses.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Perception

Learn how the brain organizes and interprets information from sense organs.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Perception and Optical Illusions

Explore the connection between perceptual expectations and optical illusions.

Duration: 1 hr

Discuss: Extrasensory Perception

Share your view and provide specific examples to support your opinion about whether or not you believe in the existence of ESP.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Explore: Sensation and Perception Jeopardy

Check your understanding of Sensation & Perception with an on-line Jeopardy game.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of sensation and perception.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 4: CONSCIOUSNESS

Explore: Theories of Consciousness

Explore different views on what it means to be conscious.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Study: Sleep and Dreaming

Learn about the stages of sleep and some popular theories about dreaming.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Sleep Inventory and Tips for Sleeping Well

Take a sleep inventory to assess the quality of your sleep and then visit a website for tips on sleeping well.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Sleep

Discuss which sleep disorder you think would be the hardest with which to cope. Expand your discussion to also talk about the effect of getting too much or too little sleep on your waking life.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Stages of Sleep

Discuss the characteristics of the four stages of sleep and explain the distinguishing characteristics of REM and non-REM sleep.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Explore: Dream Interpretation

Keep a dream journal for a night then go on-line to examine its possible latent and manifest content.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Study: Hypnosis

Learn what hypnosis is and how it's used.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of sleep and hypnosis.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Study: Psychoactive Drugs

Learn the major classes of drugs and what they do.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of consciousness.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 5: PERCEPTION AND CONSCIOUSNESS WRAP-UP

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Test (CS): Perception and Consciousness

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 40 points

Test (TS): Perception and Consciousness

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 20 points

LESSON 6: DIAGNOSTIC

Diagnostic: Perception and Consciousness

Test your understanding of the key concepts.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 53 points

UNIT 3: THINKING AND FEELING

LESSON 1: CLASSICAL AND OPERANT CONDITIONING

Study: Classical Conditioning

Learn about the famous experiments with salivating dogs and how a stimulus can become paired with a response.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Little Albert and the Classical Conditioning of a Phobia

Explore a classic and controversial experiment about classical conditioning in human babies.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Study: Operant Conditioning

Learn how rewards and punishments can be used to shape behavior.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of operant conditioning.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Discuss: Conditioning

Using your knowledge of classical and operant conditioning, discuss how phobias develop and how they can be treated.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of classical and operant conditioning

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 2: COGNITIVE AND SOCIAL APPROACHES TO LEARNING

Study: Cognitive and Social Approaches to Learning

Explore some modern theories about how humans learn through problem-solving and working in groups.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: How Do We Teach Our Children?

Use personal examples and supporting content to explain how your parents have used classical conditioning, operant conditioning, and social learning to shape your behavior.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of cognitive and social approaches to learning.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 3: MEMORY

Study: Memory

Learn about the mechanisms behind memory.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Testing Memory

Try some activities to test your memory and learn some things you can try to improve it.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Forgetting

Identify examples of retroactive and proactive interference, and retrograde and anterograde amnesia.

Duration: 1 hr

Explore: Mnemonic Devices

Learn how to use mnemonic devices to improve your recall of content.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Mnemonic Devices

Use what you have learned in this lesson to explain how mnemonic devices can be used to improve study time and rate of retention. Give an example of a mnemonic device you created for this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Memory Practice

Review the "Encoding," "Storage," and "Memory Construction" sections in chapter 9 of your textbook.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of memory.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 4: COGNITION PROBLEM SOLVING AND CREATIVITY

Study: Cognition

Learn some theories about how we think.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Problem Solving and Creativity

Learn how problem-solving and creativity have been defined and studied.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of cognition problem solving and creativity.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Practice: Making Decisions and Forming Judgments

Students will distinguish between availability and representative heuristics, framing, and schemas.

Duration: 1 hr

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of cognition, problem solving, and creativity.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 5: LANGUAGE

Study: Language Development

Learn how people acquire and use language.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Case Study: Genie the Wild Child

Examine a historical case study of a child raised in isolation.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Do Animals Think?

Use concrete examples to support your opinion about whether you believe animals are self-aware and whether they use language.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of language.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 6: MOTIVATION AND EMOTIONS

Study: Overview of Motivation

Learn some important theories about motivation including how it can be driven by biological needs.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Motivation of Hunger and Sex

Learn about two basic human drives.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Overview of Emotions

Learn some important theories about how emotions are triggered and created.

Duration: n/a

Explore: Facial Expressions

Explore the role of facial expressions in emotion.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Discuss: Achievement

Using your knowledge of achievement, discuss what you would do as a coach or boss to motivate players or employees to achieve more.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Theories of Emotion

Student will read a series of scenarios and determine the matching theory of emotion.

Duration: 1 hr

Practice: Comprehension Check

Check your understanding of motivation and emotion.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of motivation and emotion.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 7: STRESS HEALTH AND COPING**Study: Stress Health and Coping**

Learn theories about how people respond to stress and how to better cope with it.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Measuring Your Stress Level

Take an on-line evaluation of your current stress level.

Duration: 0 hrs 15 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of health, stress, and coping.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of stress, health, and coping.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 8: THINKING AND FEELING WRAP-UP**Review: Thinking and Feeling**

Review material to prepare for the test.

Duration: 3 hrs

Test (CS): Thinking and Feeling

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 40 points

Test (TS): Thinking and Feeling

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 20 points

LESSON 9: DIAGNOSTIC**Diagnostic: Thinking and Feeling**

Test your understanding of the key concepts.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 52 points

UNIT 4: DEVELOPMENT TESTING AND INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES

LESSON 1: STUDYING CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Study: Dimensions of Development

Learn the main dimensions of development including physical cognitive and moral.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Developmental Research

Learn the complex problems and ingenious solutions for studying how people change over time.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Developmental Timeline

Create a timeline that outlines key cognitive, social, and moral developmental stages.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of child development.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 2: MAJOR THEORIES OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Study: A Survey of Perspectives and Theories of Development

Learn about some of the most important theories about how people develop.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Parenting Styles

Explore different styles of parenting.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Discuss: Attachment

Discuss how attachment and different parenting styles affect human development.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of theories of development.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of the theories of human development.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 3: PERSONALITY

Study: Psychodynamic Theories of Development

Learn theories about the role of unconscious conflicts in development.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Psychoanalytic Perspectives on Personality

Learn about perspectives on personality that stem from ideas about the unconscious.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: The Id, Ego and Superego

Use the on-line activity to develop a mastery of key terms and ideas about psychoanalytic personality theory.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Other Perspectives on Personality

Learn personality from cognitive, humanist, and social perspectives.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Theories of Personality

Explain how the various theories of personality account for an introverted or extroverted personality.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Explore: Personality Testing

Visit designated website to take an on-line personality assessment (Myers-Briggs).

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of personality.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Discuss: Personality

Discuss two theories of personality that you feel best explain the development of your personality.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of personality.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 4: TESTING AND INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES

Study: How Tests Are Created and Used

Learn about how tests can be used and how they're designed to be as accurate and valid as possible.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Common Types of Psychometric Tests

Learn about tests for intelligence personality and other traits.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Howard Gardner: The World of Multiple Intelligences

Discover your multiple intelligences profile.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Discuss: Intelligence

Apply what you have learned about intelligence to answer one of these questions using examples to support your opinion. Is there a difference between men and woman? Is intelligence a measure of innate ability or simply hard intellectual work? Is intelligence determined at birth or is it something in our lives that we can improve or change?

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Theories of Intelligence

Match descriptions to their corresponding theories of intelligence.

Duration: 1 hr

Practice: Looking at Cultural Bias in I.Q. Testing

Are some students really "smarter" than others, or does culture give some students an unfair advantage in testing?

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of testing and individual differences.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 5: DEVELOPMENT TESTING AND INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES WRAP-UP

Review: Development Testing and Individual Differences

Review the material to prepare for the test.

Duration: 3 hrs

Test (CS): Development Testing and Individual Differences

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 25 mins Scoring: 50 points

Test (TS): Development Testing and Individual Differences

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 25 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 6: DIAGNOSTIC

Diagnostic: Development Testing and Individual Differences

Test your understanding of the key concepts.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 50 points

UNIT 5: ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

LESSON 1: ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY

Study: Overview of Abnormal Psychology

Learn how labels such as 'mentally' ill are applied and misapplied.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Major Categories of Disorders

Learn how the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual categorizes disorders.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Psychological Disorders

Select a psychological disorder that you find intriguing. Discuss the symptoms of the disorder and explain why and how you find it interesting.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Study: Diagnosing Disorders

Practice diagnosing disorders according to how they're defined in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: The Puzzle of Diagnosis

Examine several cases and diagnose the psychological disorder.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Diagnosing Psychological Disorders

Examine a set of five case studies and give a diagnosis and explanation of the possible psychological disorder based on the symptoms described.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of psychological disorders.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of abnormal psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 2: TREATMENTS

Study: Types of Therapies and Therapists

Learn about different approaches taken by therapists.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Pharmacological Approaches to Treatment

Learn how prescription medications are used to treat mental illness.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Explore: Rogerian Therapy

Experience a short Rogerian therapy session.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Practice: Therapy and Treatment

Explain the differences between various treatment and therapy techniques.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 30 points

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of treatments.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of treatments and therapies.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 3: ATTITUDES AND SOCIAL-COGNITIVE THEORIES

Study: Attitudes and Social-Cognitive Theories

Learn how people's attitudes and thoughts affect their social behavior.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Examine the Zimbardo Prison Study on the Power of Roles

Examine Zimbardo's historical case study to discover the power of roles and whether it explains the Iraqi prisoner abuse.

Duration: 1 hr

Explore: Famous Studies in Social Psychology

Explore famous studies about group influence on individual behavior.

Duration: 1 hr 30 mins

Discuss: Social Psychology

Provide a real life example you have witnessed to support or refute the findings of one of the studies of the prominent researchers in Social Psychology.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

Practice: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of attitudes and social-cognitive theories.

Duration: 0 hrs 10 mins

Study: Friendliness Friendship and Love

Learn more about what brings people together and prompts them to help each other.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of attitudes and Social-Cognitive theories.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 4: GROUPS AND INTERGROUP RELATIONS

Study: Concepts in Groups and Intergroup Relations

Learn about a basic concept in social psychology: the group. Learn important ideas and theories about how groups behave and interact.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Study: Contact Theory

Learn how contact between individuals in different groups can increase understanding and cooperation.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Prisoner Dilemma: A Problem of Cooperation vs. Competition

Explore the effect of cooperation and competition on individual decision making.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Explore: Dissonance Theory Persuasion and Consumer Behavior

Use commercials or print advertisement to examine how advertisers entice you to purchase their products.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins

Discuss: Television and Aggression

Discuss whether violence shown on TV and/or video games creates or releases aggression in teens.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 10 points

Quiz: Comprehension Check

Answer questions to assess your understanding of groups and intergroup relations.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 5: ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY WRAP-UP

Review: Abnormal Psychology and Social Psychology

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Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

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Test (TS): Abnormal Psychology and Social Psychology

Take a test to assess your understanding of the content.

Duration: 0 hrs 25 mins Scoring: 10 points

LESSON 6: DIAGNOSTIC

Diagnostic: Abnormal Psychology and Social Psychology

Test your understanding of the key concepts.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 53 points

UNIT 6: COURSE REVIEW AND EXAM

LESSON 1: COURSE REVIEW

Review: Myers Review Materials

Review the material you studied in this course and get a refresher on how to write a good exam essay.

Duration: 6 hrs

LESSON 2: FINAL COURSE EXAM

Exam: Final Course Exam

Take the Test

Duration: 1 hr 15 mins Scoring: 150 points

Final Exam: Final Course Exam

Take the Test

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 40 points