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Psychology 100(901)
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FAB-B110
MTWR 9:30am-11:35am

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SYLLABUS

The purpose of this introductory course is to survey the major fields, issues, theories, concepts and data of psychology from both an historical and current status perspective.

- 7/6 Introduction; history of psychology (Ch.1;Appendix)
- 7/7 Biological bases of behavior (Ch.2)
- 7/8 Sensation (Ch.3)
- 7/9 Perception (Ch.3)
- 7/13 Consciousness; psychoactive drugs (Ch.4); review
- 7/14 Exam I; introduction to learning (Ch.5)
- 7/15 Learning continued
- 7/16 Memory (Ch.6)
- 7/20 Thinking, language, intelligence (Ch.7)
- 7/21 Motivation (Ch.8)
- 7/22 Emotion (Ch.8); development (Ch.9); review
- 7/23 Exam II; personality (Ch.10)
- 7/27 Personality continued
- 7/28 Stress, health and coping (Ch.12)
- 7/29 Psychological disorders (Ch.13)
- 7/30 Therapy (Ch.14)
- 8/3 Social psychology (Ch.11); review
- 8/4 Final Exam - 10:30am

The textbook is Discovering Psychology by Hockenbury and Hockenbury, 1998. There will be three exams, all objective and each counting one-third of your grade. Grades will be assigned as follows: 90-100=A, 80-89=B, 70-79=C, 60-69=D, <59=F.

If there are any questions or problems, please see me during office hours (Monday 8:30-930am, DK 2051) before or after class, or call me at the phone number at the top of this syllabus.