

AP PSYCHOLOGY

*Study Mind & Behavior
Earn College Credit*

FOUNDATIONS OF PSYCHOLOGY

Introducing Psychology. Research methods, statistical analysis, ethical guidelines.

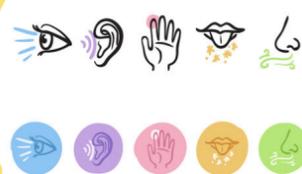


BIOLOGICAL BASES OF BEHAVIOR

Nature vs Nurture. Nervous and endocrine system. Brain structure and function. Sleep and dreaming.

SENSATION AND PERCEPTION

Principles of Sensation and Perception. Optical illusions. Ear and eye anatomy. Chemical, auditory, and body senses.



LEARNING

Classical, operant, social and observational learning. Famous research - Pavlov dogs

COGNITIVE PSYCHOLOGY

How we think and forget. Encoding, storing, retrieving memories. Intelligence. Language acquisition.



DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

The lifespan and development of humans - Physical, social, cognitive and moral development.

MOTIVATION, EMOTION, STRESS & PERSONALITY

Theories of motivation. Stress and coping strategies. Theories of personality. Measuring personality.



CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY

Introduction to psychological disorders and treatment.

SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

How society influences thoughts, feelings and behaviors.

