

Assignment #1 - Vocabulary

Define the following vocabulary terms and identify the psychologists. These terms will be utilized during the first unit and will be included on the AP Psychology Exam.

1. Psychology
2. Empiricism
3. Structuralism
4. Functionalism
5. Applied Research
6. Psychiatry
7. Natural Selection
8. Basic Research
9. Nature vs. Nurture Issue
10. Biopsychosocial Approach
11. Levels of Analysis

Approaches to Psychology and People:

12. Biological
13. Evolutionary

14. Psychodynamic

15. Behavioral

16. Cognitive

17. Humanistic

18. Sociocultural

19. Sigmund Freud

20. B.F. Skinner

21. John B. Watson

22. Carl Rogers

23. Abraham Maslow

24. Albert Ellis

25. Albert Bandura

Assignment #2 - TED

TED stands for technology, entertainment, and design; the TED talks are ideas discussed in less than 18 minutes. Please watch 3 of the following videos and provide a 4- sentence minimum paragraph summarizing the main ideas and themes of the video. Label each video and discuss your opinions and terms used within the talk.

Dan Ariely: Are We in Control of Our Own Decisions?

Elizabeth Loftus: How Reliable is Your Memory

Susan Cain: Power of Introverts

Amy Cuddy: Body Language Shapes Who You Are

Dan Gilbert: Surprise Science of Happiness

Pamela Meyer: How to Spot a Liar

Ben Ambridge: 10 Myths About Psychology Debunked

Kelly McGonigal: How to Make Stress Your Friend

This will be due the first week we return to school in the Fall.

It will be worth 4 grades.