

Chaminade University of Honolulu
Fall 2002
Kaneohe Marine Corp Base

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Psychology 101 - ²⁰General Psychology
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Text: Psychology, sixth edition
by David G. Myers
Worth Publishers

Course Description:

This course is a survey of the major theories and concepts in the study of behavior. General psychology is an introduction to the psychological aspects of sensory processes, normal and abnormal development, learning, drives, emotions and social behavior.

Students are responsible for:

- Keeping up with the text readings,
- Being active participants in class discussions,
- Attend class regularly,
- Take tests on scheduled dates, and
- Obtain a copy of the class notes from another student when absent.

Course Requirements:

There will be four (4) essay tests throughout the course. The test will be taken from the reading assignments, lectures, and/or any class activity. Each test will be worth a hundred (100) points and graded according to the attached grading rubrics.

Grading Scale:

The total number of possible points you can earn for this class is four hundred (400).

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| 360 - 400 | 90% | A |
| 320 - 359 | 80% | B |
| 280 - 319 | 70% | C |
| 240 - 279 | 60% | D |
| < 240 | | F |

Extra Credit will be assigned on an individual basis as needed and at the discretion of the instructor.

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Calendar*

- Oct. 9 Introduction
 Chapter 1 Thinking Critically with Psychological Science
- Oct. 16 Chapter 3 The Nature and Nurture of Behavior
 Chapter 4 The Developing Person
- Oct. 23 Chapter 2 Neuroscience and Behavior
 Test 1 (Chapters 1-4)
- Oct. 30 Chapter 5 Sensation
 Chapter 6 Perception
- Nov. 6 Chapter 7 States of Consciousness
 Chapter 8 Learning
 Test 2 (Chapters 5-8)
- Nov. 13 Chapter 9 Memory
 Chapter 10 Thinking and Language
- Nov. 20 Chapter 11 Intelligence
 Chapter 12 Motivation
 Test 3 (Chapters 10-12)
- Nov. 27 Chapter 13 Emotion
 Chapter 14 Personality
- Dec. 4 Chapter 15 Psychological Disorders
 Chapter 16 Therapy
- Dec. 11 Test 4 (Chapters 13-17)

*Subject to change