

Units 1 & 2					
Prologue: What is Psychology?					
Essential Questions:					
· What is psychology?					
· How has the study of psychology developed over the years?					
· What are the different perspectives, approaches, and/or subfields of psychology?					
8-Sep	Prologue		Myers pp. 1-12		
9-Sep	In-class Work		SG pp1-3		
12-Sep	Quiz Prologue				
Chapter 1: Thinking Critically					
Essential Questions:					
· What are the various research methods? How are they the same? How are they different?					
· What are the ethical guidelines when conducting research? What is ethical and what is unethical?					
13-Sep	Psych. Science		Myers 15-25		
14-Sep	Correlations		Myers 25-33		
15-Sep	Stats		Myers 33-38		
16-Sep	FAQs about Psych/In class work		Myers 38-43	SG Crossword	
19-Sep	Quiz Ch 1				
20-Sep	Writing Free Response Essays				
21-Sep	Review Units 1 & 2				
22-Sep	Test 1				

Biological Bases for Behavior(Ch 2)												
Essential Questions:												
· What is neural communication? How does neural communication work?												
· What is the nervous system? How does the nervous system affect our bodies?												
· What are the different parts of the brain? What are their corresponding functions?												
· What is the endocrine system and its function? What are hormones?												
· How do genes influence behavior?												
· How does environment influence behavior?												
· What is the nature vs. nurture argument?												
7-Nov	Neural Communication						Myers pp. 47-54					
8-Nov	The Nervous/Endocrine System						Myers pp. 55-60					
9-Nov	Quiz											
12-Nov	The Brain						Myers pp. 60-67					
13-Nov	more Brain						Myers pp. 68-75					
14-Nov	Brain again						Myers pp.75 -80					
15-Nov	Quiz											

Units 3 & 5							
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26-Sep	Neural Communication				Myers pp. 47-54		
27-Sep	The Nervous/Endocrine System				Myers pp. 55-60		
28-Sep	Quiz/video						
29-Sep	video						
30-Sep	Pep Assembly/Etc						
3-Oct	The Brain				Myers pp. 60-67		
4-Oct	more Brain				Myers pp. 68-75		
5-Oct	Brain again				Myers pp.75 -80		
6-Oct	Quiz						
States of Consciousness (Ch 3)							
Essential Questions:							
· How do psychologists define consciousness?							
· What happens during the sleep cycle? What role does sleep play in our daily lives?							
· What is hypnosis? Is it a real psychological phenomenon?							
· What are the effects of drug states and drugs?							
Schedule Forthcoming							

Unit 14							
CH 16 Social Psychology							
Essential Questions:							
· How do people explain, or attribute, the behaviors of others?							
· How do attitudes develop? What are their effects on human behavior?							
· What is the nature of groups? What impact does it have on individuals, as well as society as a whole?							
· What roles does social influence play in pressure to conform and obedience to authority?							
09/05/12	Intro						
09/06/12	Social Thinking- Attribution/Attitudes/Action						Myers 672-679
09/07/12	Social Thinking – Stanford Prison Exp/Abu Gharib Prison						
09/10/12	Social Influences—Conformity/Obedience						Myers 680-687
09/11/12	Social Influences—Group Influence						Myers 687-691
09/12/12	Quiz 1						
09/13/12	Social Relations-Prejudice						Myers 691-697
09/14/12	Aggression						Myers 698-705
09/17/12	Attraction						Myers 705-712
09/18/12	Altruism						Myers 712-714
09/19/12	Quiz 2						

Development (Ch 5)									
Essential Questions:									
· How do people grow and develop physically, intellectually, and socially throughout the lifespan?									
· How do the different theories regarding physical, cognitive, and social development compare and contrast?									
7-Dec		Intro			Myers 172-177				
10-Dec		Infancy			Myers 177-196				
11-Dec		Adolescence			Myers 196-206				
12-Dec		Adulthood			Myers 206-226				
13-Dec		Take home Quiz Due/Review							
14-Dec		CH 5 QUEST//Winter Project Intro							
17-Dec		WORK ON PROJECT							
18-Dec		WORK ON PROJECT							
19-Dec		PRESENTATIONS							
20-Dec		PRESENTATIONS							
21-Dec		PRESENTATIONS							

Learning (Ch 7)					
Essential Questions:					
· How do psychologists define learning?					
· What are the principles, techniques, and applications of class conditioning? Operant conditioning?					
· What factors are involved in the learning process?					
· How do the principles of learning apply to human behavior?					
12/07/11		Intro to Project			
12/08/11		Intro/Classical Cond.		Myers pp. 291-299	
12/09/11		Classical Cond.		Myers pp.299-303	
12/12/11		Project work			
12/13/11		Operant Cond.		Myers pp. 303-316	
12/14/11		Observational Learning		Myers pp 316-323	
12/15/11		Ch 6 Quest			
12/16/11		Project work			
12/19/11		Presentations			
12/20/11		Presentations			
12/21/11		Presentations			

Sensation and Perception		(Ch 6)			
Essential Questions:					
· What is the rough distinction between sensation and perception?					
· How do the five senses receive and translate signals to the brain for processing?					
· How does the brain process sensory signals accurately? Inaccurately?					
26-Nov					
27-Nov	Overview/Thresholds			Myers pp. 229-235	
28-Nov	Vision			Myers pp. 236-244	
29-Nov	Hearing/Other Senses			Myers pp.245-262	
30-Nov	Perceptual Organization			Myers pp. 264-272	
3-Dec	Perceptual Interpretation			Myers pp. 272-285	
4-Dec	CH 6 Quiz				
5-Dec	Review CH 2 & 6				
6-Dec	TEST CH 2&6				

Units 12 & 13

Ch. 14 Abnormal Psychology

Essential Questions:

- How do psychologists study and define abnormal behavior?
- What are the various psychological disorders?
- What are the problems with classification?

Day 1	17-Mar Disorders	Myers 592-601
Day 2	18-Mar Anxiety/Somatoform	Myers 601-609
Day 3	19-Mar Dissociative/Mood	Myers 609-621
Day 4	22-Mar Schizophrenia/PDs	Myers 621-631
Day 5	23-Mar Concl./Quiz	Myers 631-634

CH 15 Therapies

Treatment of Psychological Disorders

Essential Questions:

- What is psychotherapy?
- What are the different methods of treatment? How do they compare/contrast to one another?

Day 1	24-Mar <i>on your own</i>	Myers 636-650
Day 2	25-Mar Questions/Quiz	Myers 650-670
Day 3	26-Mar TEST	

	Cumulative Test Week	Units 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 12, 13, 14
Day 1	29-Mar Review	
Day 2	30-Mar MC Test (70 ques)	
Day 3	31-Mar Free-Response Essay (2 Ques)	
Day 4	1-Apr	

Units 6&7

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Day 2	18-Mar Classical Cond/Operant	Myers pp.299-311
Day 3	19-Mar Operant Conditioning/Quiz	Myers pp. 311-316
Day 4	22-Mar Observational Learning/Etc.	Myers pp 316-323

Cognition (Ch 8 & 9)

Essential Questions:

- How does the concept of information processing work? What subprocesses are involved?
- What are the different types of memory systems?
- What are the various theories that account for memory and forgetting? How do they apply to techniques involved in increasing retention of learned material?

Day 1	23-Mar Memory/Encoding	Myers 326-337
Day 2	24-Mar Storage/Retrieval	Myers 337-349
Day 3	25-Mar Forgetting Memory Construction/Quiz	Myers 349-356
		Myers 356 -366

Day 1	26-Mar Thinking	Myers 368-382
Day 2	Language	Myers 382-391
Day 3	Thinking & Language	Myers 391-402
Day 4	Quiz	

	Cumulative Test Week	Units 1-6
Day 1	Review	
Day 2	Review	
Day 3	MC Test (70 ques)	
Day 4	Free-Response Essay (2 Ques)	
Day 5	Take the Day OFF!!!!	

Units 5 & 6									
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Week 5									
Day 1	Intro/Sleep			Myers pp. 85-107			Barrons pp.73-78		
Day 2	Hypnosis/Drugs			Myers pp. 108-128			Barrons pp.78-81		
Day 3	Quiz/In class work								
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Week 5									
Day 4	Intro/Classical Cond.			Myers pp. 291-299			Barrons pp.87-90		
Day 5	More Classical Cond./QUIZ			Myers pp.299-303					
Week 6									
Day 1	Operant Conditioning			Myers pp. 304-311			Barrons pp.90-95		
Day 2	More Operant/QUIZ			Myers pp. 311-316					
Day 3	Observational Learning/Etc.			Myers pp 316-323			Barrons pp.95-96		
Day 4	Brain Recharge/Test Prep								
Day 5	Units 5 & 6 Test								
Week 7									
Cumulative Test Week									
Day 1	Review			Units 1-6					
Day 2	Review								
Day 3	MC Test (70 ques)								
Day 4	Free-Response Essay (2 Ques)								
Day 5	Take the Day OFF!!!!								

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01/30/12		Intro							
01/31/12		Memory/Encoding			Myers 326-337				
02/01/12		Storage/Retrieval			Myers 337-349				
02/02/12		Forgetting			Myers 349-356				
02/03/12		Memory Construction/Quiz			Myers 356 -366				
02/06/12		Thinking			Myers 368-382				
02/07/12		Language			Myers 382-391				
02/08/12		Thinking & Language			Myers 391-402				
02/09/12		Quiz							
02/10/12		In-class Work							

Testing and Individual Differences (Ch 10)							
Essential Questions:							
· How do psychologists define and study intelligence?							
· How can a psychologist determine test reliability and validity?							
· What are the theories of intelligence? How do they compare/contrast with one another?							
10/12/12		Intro Ch 10					
10/15/12		Intelligence		Myers 405-415			
10/16/12		Assessing Intelligence		Myers 405-427			
10/17/12		Intelligence Nature/Nurture		Myers 427-440		Take-home Quiz due	
10/18/12		Review					
10/19/12		Test Chapters 1 & 10					
10/22/12		Review					
10/23/12		Review					
10/24/12		Cumulative 1 FRQ					
10/25/12		Cumulative 1 Multiple Choice					
10/26/12		Intro to Project 1					

Ch.13 Personality					
Essential Questions:					
· How do psychologists define and study personality?					
· What are the various perspectives on personality?					
How do the various personality perspectives compare to one another?					
· What role does personality play in human behavior?					
20-Sep		Psychoanalytic		Myers 552-564	
21-Sep		Humanistic & Trait		Myers 564-576	
24-Sep		Social/Cognitive		Myers 576-584	
25-Sep		Self		Myers 584-590	
26-Sep		Quiz Ch 13/Intro to FRQ			
27-Sep		Review			
28-Sep		Test Ch 16 & 13			

Ch. 11,12,13										
Motivation & Emotion (Ch 11 & 12)										
Essential Questions:										
· In what ways are human motivated to behave?										
· How do social motives, particularly the need for achievement and the fear of success, affect one to behave in certain ways?										
· What is Maslow's hierarchy of needs?										
· What role do emotions play in behavior?										
· How does cognition effect emotions?										
02/28/12		Hunger				Myers 442-465				
02/29/12		Sexual Motivation				Myers 465-478				
03/01/12		Need to belong/Work				Myers 478-494				
03/02/12		Quiz Ch 11								
03/05/12		Emotion/Theories				Myers 496-507				
3/7 or 3/8		Emotion Types				Myers 507-527				
03/09/12		Quiz Ch 12				Myers 527-550				
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03/19/12		Review								
03/20/12		Test Ch 11,12,14								
03/21/12		PRESENTATIONS								
03/22/12		PRESENTATIONS								
03/23/12		PRESENTATIONS								
03/26/12		Review								
03/27/12		Review								

03/28/12		CUMULATIVE 3 MC								
03/29/12		CUMULATIVE 3 FRQ								
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23-Apr		Psychological Therapies				Myers 636-650			
24-Apr		Evaluating Psychotherapies				Myers 650-660			
25-Apr		Biomedical Therapies				Myers 660-670			
26-Apr		CH 14 & 15 Test (LAST CHAPTER TEST!)							
27-Apr		REVIEW							
30-Apr		REVIEW							
1-May		CUMULATIVE 4 ESSAY							
2-May		CUMULATIVE 4 MC							
3-May		REVIEW							
4-May		REVIEW							
7-May		AP PSYCHOLOGY EXAM							
		SEE OTHER SIDE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!							

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Day 4	14-Jan	Social Influences				Myers 680-691			
Day 5	15-Jan	Prejudice/Aggression/Attraction				Myers 691-705			
Week 18									
Day 1	No School								
Day 2	19-Jan	Altruism/Peacemaking				Myers 702-720			
Day 3	20-Jan	Units 13 & 14 Test							
Day 4	21-Jan	Review							
Day 5	22-Jan	Cumulative Exam-MC							
Week 19									
Day1	26-Jan	Cumulative Exam--Essay							
Day 2									
Exam	1/27 or 1/29								
Make sure your textbook is ready to be turned in the day of your exam.									
Work books will be collecte at that time also.									
Listen for AP Exam review announcements in late April/early June.									

"Last Month" Schedule/4 th Quarter Project	
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04/02/12	<i>Shawshank Redemption</i>
04/03/12	<i>Shawshank Redemption</i>
04/04/12	<i>Shawshank Redemption</i>
04/05/12	(paper due 4/16)
05/07/12	AP Exam
05/08/12	<i>In Cold Blood</i>
05/09/12	<i>In Cold Blood</i>
05/10/12	<i>In Cold Blood</i>
05/11/12	(paper due 5/15)
05/14/12	
05/15/12	<i>One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest</i>
05/16/12	<i>One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest</i>
05/17/12	<i>One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest</i>
05/18/12	(paper due 5/21) <i>Last Connection Assignment due!!!!</i>
05/21/12	
05/22/12	
05/23/12	5 th hour exam
05/24/12	3 rd hour exam

Write a 1-2 page typed paper on 2 of the 3 movies from class reviewing the basic psychological themes presented.

Each paper is worth 50 points.