

PSYC 1001 M : INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY I

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COURSE DESCRIPTION/INSTRUCTOR'S STATEMENT

This course will run asynchronously with synchronous assessments. The overall purpose of this course is to introduce students to the field of psychology as a social science. Using lectures, class discussions and films, students will have an opportunity to survey psychological research related to biology and the brain, sensation and perception, states of consciousness, learning, memory and more. We will examine research being conducted in psychology and the application of that research in the real world. This course is designed for those students considering careers in the discipline of psychology, as well as those students generally interested in the course content. The course is also geared to provide you with the opportunity to prepare yourselves for material covered in other psychology courses.

EVALUATION

Midterm Exams x 2 – M/C (50%)

Assignments (x 2) (16%)

Research Participation (4%)

Final Exam – M/C (30%)

TEXT

Weiten, W., & McCann, D. (2021). Psychology: Themes and variations (6th Canadian edition). Toronto: Nelson Education. Custom edition. ISBN: 9780176869380.

eBook option only includes online textbook

MindTap Instant Access Code option includes MindTap and eBook access

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NOTE: While MindTap is an excellent student resource, it will not be required for this course