

INTRODUCTORY PSYCHOLOGY SECTION 006

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:00-11:15am, 4M31

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TENTATIVE LIST OF LECTURE TOPICS

This list of lecture topics is not “set in stone”, but is quite close to the final schedule for the course. The instructor reserves the right to modify this list slightly (e.g., altering the number of lectures for a given topic).

<u>Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Module</u>
Tues., Sept. 5	Course Introduction	1.1
Thurs., Sept. 7	History of Psychology	1.2
Tues., Sept. 12	Research Methods	2.1 and 2.2
Thurs., Sept. 14	Research Methods	2.3 and 2.4
Tues., Sept. 19	Genes and Evolution	3.1
Thurs., Sept. 21	Biological Psychology	3.2
Tues., Sept. 26	Biological Psychology	3.2 and 3.3
Thurs., Sept. 28	Biological Psychology	3.3 and 3.4
Tues., Oct. 3	Biological Psychology / Review	3.4
Thurs., Oct. 5	EXAM 1 (Chapters 1-3)	
<i>Tues., Oct. 10</i>	<i>FALL READING WEEK</i>	
<i>Thurs., Oct. 12</i>	<i>FALL READING WEEK</i>	
Tues., Oct. 17	Consciousness	5.1
Thurs., Oct. 19	Consciousness	5.2
Tues., Oct. 24	Consciousness	5.3
Thurs., Oct. 26	Sensation and Perception	4.1
Tues., Oct. 31	Sensation and Perception	4.2
Thurs., Nov. 2	Sensation and Perception	4.3 and 4.4
Tues., Nov. 7	EXAM 2 (chapters 4-5)	
Thurs., Nov. 9	Learning and Conditioning	6.1
Tues., Nov. 14	Learning and Conditioning	6.2
Thurs., Nov. 16	Learning and Conditioning	6.3
Tues., Nov. 21	Memory	7.1
Thurs., Nov. 23	Memory	7.2
Tues., Nov. 28	Memory and Language	7.3 and 8.3
Thurs., Nov. 30	Decision Making	8.2
TBA	EXAM 3 (chapters 6-8, excluding module 8.1)	

NOTE: You do not have to read Module 8.1 (just in case you're worried that something is missing from the above list).

TENTATIVE LIST OF LECTURE TOPICS (Continued)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Module</u>
Tues., Jan. 9	Intelligence	9.1 and 9.2
Thurs., Jan. 11	Intelligence	9.3
Tues., Jan. 16	Lifespan Development	10.1 and 10.2
Thurs., Jan. 18	Lifespan Development	10.3 and 10.4
Tues., Jan. 23	Social Psychology	13.1
Thurs., Jan. 25	Social Psychology	13.2
Tues., Jan. 30	Social Psychology	13.3
Thurs., Feb. 1	Social Psychology	13.3
Tues., Feb. 6	EXAM 4 (Chapters 9, 10, and 13)	
Thurs., Feb. 8	Motivation	11.1 and 11.2
Tues., Feb. 13	Motivation	11.2 and 11.3
Thurs., Feb. 15	Emotion	11.4
<i>Tues., Feb. 20</i>	<i>NO CLASS - READING WEEK</i>	
<i>Thurs., Feb. 22</i>	<i>NO CLASS - READING WEEK</i>	
Tues., Feb. 27	Emotion	11.4
Thurs., Feb. 29	Personality	12.1
Tues., Mar. 5	Personality	12.2
Thurs., Mar. 7	Personality	12.3
Tues., Mar. 12	EXAM 5 (Chapters 11 and 12)	
Thurs., Mar. 14	Health, Stress, & Coping	14.1 and 14.2
Tues., Mar. 19	Health, Stress, & Coping	14.3
Thurs., Mar. 21	Psychological Disorders	15.1 and 16.1
Tues., Mar. 26	Psychological Disorders	16.2, 16.3, and 15.2
Thurs., Mar. 28	Psychological Disorders	15.2 and 15.3
Tues., Apr. 2	Psychological Disorders	15.3 and 15.4
Thurs., Apr. 4	Psychological Disorders	15.4
TBA	EXAM 6 (chapters 14-16)	

IMPORTANT DATE: February 16th is the final day to withdraw without penalty

NOTE: Exams 3 and 6 will be written during the final-exam periods, as per university regulations. However, *all exams in this course are weighted equally* and will be of the same length (approximately 50 multiple-choice questions).