Randolph Township Schools Randolph High School

Human Behavior Curriculum

"The greatest discovery of my generation is that human beings can alter their lives by altering their attitudes of mind."
--William James

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Randolph Township Schools

Mission Statement

We commit to inspiring and empowering all students in Randolph schools to reach their full potential as unique, responsible and educated members of a global society.

Randolph Township Schools Affirmative Action Statement

Equality and Equity in Curriculum

The Randolph Township School district ensures that the district's curriculum and instruction are aligned to the state's standards. The curriculum provides equity in instruction, educational programs and provides all students the opportunity to interact positively with others regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, age, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender, religion, disability or socioeconomic status.

N.J.A.C. 6A:7-1.7(b): Section 504, Rehabilitation Act of 1973; N.J.S.A. 10:5; Title IX, Education Amendments of 1972

RANDOLPH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION EDUCATIONAL GOALS VALUES IN EDUCATION

The statements represent the beliefs and values regarding our educational system. Education is the key to self-actualization, which is realized through achievement and self-respect. We believe our entire system must not only represent these values, but also demonstrate them in all that we do as a school system.

We believe:

- The needs of the child come first
- Mutual respect and trust are the cornerstones of a learning community
- The learning community consists of students, educators, parents, administrators, educational support personnel, the community and Board of Education members
- A successful learning community communicates honestly and openly in a non-threatening environment
- Members of our learning community have different needs at different times. There is openness to the challenge of meeting those needs in professional and supportive ways
- Assessment of professionals (i.e., educators, administrators and educational support personnel) is a dynamic process that requires review and revision based on evolving research, practices and experiences
- Development of desired capabilities comes in stages and is achieved through hard work, reflection and ongoing growth

Randolph Township Schools Department of Social Studies Human Behavior

Introduction

The course in human behavior is a semester elective designed as an enrichment course offering by the Department of Social Studies. It prepares students for further study in psychology. Upon completion of the course, students will earn 2.5 credits toward graduation. This study of human behavior is centered on the following thematic strands: biology and behavior, human growth and development, human learning, psychological function and dysfunction, and how humans adapt to and interact with a variety of environments. The class will engage in an exploration of the background of human behavior, the determinants of human behavior, and the personality characteristics of individuals.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Students will explore the genesis of the field and science of psychology.
- Students will study the core concepts and theories of psychology.
- Students will recognize the difference between hypothetical and theoretical perspectives as they become efficient in the application of the Scientific Method to the study of behavior.
- Students will continually explore the fundamental question embedded in the study of behavioral science known as the "nature versus nurture" controversy.
- Students will gain understanding of four basic theoretical orientations in the study of psychology: Behavioral, Humanistic, Biological, and Psychoanalytical.

Curriculum Pacing Chart Human Behavior

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	UNIT NUMBER	CONTENT - UNIT OF STUDY
2 weeks	Ι	Psychology's Roots, Big Ideas, and Critical Thinking Tools
3 weeks	II	The Biology of Mind and Consciousness
2 weeks	III	Learning
2 weeks	IV	Memory & Thinking
2 weeks	${f V}$	Personality
2 weeks	VI	Human Develpoment Through the Lifespan
3 weeks	VII	Psychological Disorders and Treatment
2 weeks	VIII	Social Psychology

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UNIT I: Psychology's Roots, Big Ideas, and Critical Thinking Tools

TRANSFER: Students will be able to apply their understanding of the foundations of the psychological field to further comprehend why and how psychology is relevant and important to their lives.

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STANDARDS / GOALS:	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the NCSS	Relying on the scientific method, psychological questions are answered using a cycle of observing events, forming	How does inquiry advance psychological science?
IA-1.1 Describe and compare the biological, behavioral, cognitive, sociocultural, humanistic,	theories, and then refining theories in light of new observations.	
and psychodynamic perspectives.	Psychological research must follow certain ethical	 Why are ethics important when
IA-2.1 List and explain the major subfields of psychology.	considerations for research to be valid.	conducting psychological research?
IA-6.1 Discuss psychology's roots in philosophy and natural science.	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
IA-6.2 Describe the emergence of experimental psychology.	Students will know:	Students will be able to:
IA-6.3 Recognize the diversity of psychological theories in the 20th and 21st centuries.	Psychology initially developed as a combination of biology and philosophy.	Describe how philosophical perspectives shaped the development of psychological thought
IA-3.1 Describe the elements of an experiment.	blology and philosophy.	through a series of classroom discussions.
IA-3.2 Explain the importance of sampling and random assignment in psychological research.	Historical figures, such as Wilhelm Wundt and William	Explain in writing the connections between
IA-3.3 Describe and compare quantitative and qualitative research strategies.	James, introduced ideas that led to the scientific study of psychology, such as structuralism and functionalism, and psychologists such as Sigmund Freud, John B. Watson,	historical foundations of psychology and its contemporary practices.
IA-4.1 Define descriptive statistics and explain how they are used by behavioral scientists.	B.F. Skinner, Carl Rogers, and Abraham Maslow developed theories that ultimately led to the contemporary	Describe the major figures in the development of psychology after actively listening to classroom
IA-4.2 Explain and describe measures of central	perspectives of the study of psychology.	instruction.

tendency and variability.

- IA-4.3 Describe the concept of correlation and explain how it is used in psychology.
- IA-4.4 Recognize how inferential statistics are used in psychological research.
- IA-5.1 Identify ethical issues in psychological research.

NJSLS- ELA Companion Standards:

- RH.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough textual evidence, (e.g., via discussion, written response, etc.), to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to develop an understanding of the text as a whole.
- RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.
- RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.
- RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.

Psychology can help avoid common flaws in intuitive thinking, such as hindsight bias, overconfidence, and perceiving patterns in random events.

Contemporary approaches to psychology include contributions from biological psychologists, developmental psychologists, cognitive psychologists, personality psychologists, social psychologists, counseling psychologists, health psychologists, clinical psychologists, industrial-organizational psychologists, community psychologists.

Scientific research contains many components such as variables, groups, and possible confounding variables, all of which influence the outcome of the experiment.

Ethical principles were developed by the American Psychological Association to encourage psychologists to use specific standards in their research.

VOCABULARY & KEY TERMS:

psychology, behaviorism, humanistic psychology, cognitive pyschology, cognitive neuroscience, psychology, critical thinking, biopsychosocial approach, culture, nature-nurture issue, dual processing, positive psychology, hindsight bias, theory, hypothesis, operational definition, replication, case study, naturalistic observation, survey, population, random sample, correlation, experiment, random assignment, experimental group, control group, placebo, double-blind procedure, placebo effect, independent variable, confounding variable, dependent

Assess in a classroom discussion how the study of psychology can be used to avoid flaws in intuitive thinking.

Differentiate between the various contemporary approaches to the study of mental processes and behavior after a close reading of texts on the topic.

Assess how research design drives the reasonable conclusions that can be drawn in a small group discussion in the classroom.

Describe how ethical and legal guidelines protect research participants and promote sound ethical practice through the reading and study of APA guidelines; write using APA format.

RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple
sources of information presented in diverse
formats and media (e.g., visually,
quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in
words) in order to address a question or solve a
problem.

RH.11-12.8. Evaluate an author's claims, reasoning, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other sources.

RH.11-12.9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

WHST.11-12.1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.

WHST.11-12.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

variable, informed consent, debriefing, testing effect, SQ3R

ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Researching and writing about various careers in psychology.
- Applying the fundamental ideas of each psychological perspective to case studies and/or examples in popular media.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to the study of psychology.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

• Students will engage in a lego-building activity in which students will have to identify independent, dependent and confounding variables and operationally define the variable measurements.

• Students will participate in a jigsaw or station activity to learn about the primary research methods and ethical issues in research.

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UNIT I: Psychology's Roots, Big Ideas, and Critical Thinking Tools

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
	Unit I: Psychology's Roots, Big Ideas, and Critical	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org
2 Weeks	Thinking Tools	
	Psychology's Roots	Stanley Milgram: <i>Milgram Experiment Video</i> ,
	 psychological science's birth and 	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wdUu3u9Web4
	development	
	 contemporary psychology 	Genie: The Wild Child PBS documentary,
	How do psychologists ask and answer questions?	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VjZolHCrC8E
	 The Scientific Method 	
	 description 	Crash Course Psychology: Psychological Research,
	o correlation	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hFV71QPvX2I
	 experimentation 	
	 research design 	
	 Pyschology's Research Ethics 	
	 studying and protecting animals 	
	 studying and protecting humans 	
	 values in psychology 	

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Unit II: The Biology of Mind and Consciousness

TRANSFER: Students will be able to apply their learned knowledge about the biological makeup of various body systems to enhance their understanding of their own behavior and the behavior of others.

STANDARDS / GOALS:	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the NCSS	The brain, the nervous system, and the endocrine system all work together to influence our behavior, thoughts, emotions, and personalities.	How do biology and experience interact?
IIA-1.1 Identify the neuron as the basis for neural communication. IIA-1.2 Describe how information is transmitted and integrated in the nervous system.	Depending on their state of consciousness, people may have more or less awareness of themselves and their surroundings.	How does consciousness and awareness direct our perceptions?
IIA-1.3 Analyze how the process of neurotransmission can be modified by heredity and environment.	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
IIA-2.1 Classify the major divisions and subdivisions of the nervous system. IIA-2.2 Differentiate the functions of the various subdivisions of the nervous system. IIA-3.1 Identify the structure and function of the major regions of the brain.	Students will know: A neuron is the basic building block of the nervous system; sensory neurons carry incoming messages from the sensory receptors to the brain and spinal cord and motor neurons carry outgoing messages from the brain and spinal cord to the muscles and glands.	Students will be able to: Identify parts of a neuron; explain the process of transmission of a signal between neurons through listening to classroom instruction.
IIA-3.2 Recognize that specific functions are centered in specific lobes of the cerebral cortex.		

Identify the most common neurotransmitters and their Neurons communicate with one another via IIA-3.3 Describe lateralization of brain functions and malfunctions after the analysis of neurotransmitters. functions. diagrams and charts on the topic. IIA-4.1 Explain how research and technology The central nervous system is made up of the brain Describe the two major divisions of the nervous system, have provided methods to analyze brain and the spinal cord. The peripheral nervous system their subdivisions, and their basic functions. behavior and disease. is made up of the sensory and motor neurons that IIA-5.1 Describe how the endocrine glands are connect the central nervous system to the rest of linked to the nervous system. the body. **NJSLS- ELA Companion Standards:** The endocrine system is a glandular system that Examine in a classroom discussion the effects of the transmits information and interacts with the endocrine system on behavior. RH.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough textual evidence, (e.g., via discussion, nervous system through chemical messengers written response, etc.), to support analysis of called hormones. primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to develop an understanding of the text as a whole. Brain imaging technology has made it possible for Compare and contrast in writing various techniques today's scientists to electrically, chemically, and used to study the brain and identify the benefits and RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central magnetically stimulate various parts of the brain drawbacks of each. ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; and note the effects. provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) The brain is composed of many different structures Construct a model of the major systems and structures develop over the course of the text. each with a unique function. of the brain. RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters Brain plasticity refers to the way our brain adapts Apply the concept of plasticity to real-life examples of uncertain. new situations, including modifying itself after brain damage through a peer discussion activity. brain damage. RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

Discuss the differences between the right and left brains

through the creation of a diagram on the topic.

Our brain's left and right hemispheres serve

RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims,

different functions. This is known as lateralization.

reasoning, and evidence.

RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

RH.11-12.8. Evaluate an author's claims, reasoning, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other sources.

RH.11-12.9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

WHST.11-12.1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant sufficient textual and non- textual evidence.

WHST.11-12.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

Consciousness is our awareness of ourselves and our environment.

Psychologists offer various reasons behind why we sleep: protection, revoerty, restoration, and creative thinking. Sleep deprivation affects our immune system, mood, and reaction-time.

The major sleep disorders are insomnia, narcolepsy, sleep apnea, sleepwalking/talking, and night terrors.

There are three primary theories about why we dream: wish-fulfillment, activation-synthesis, and information processing.

VOCABULARY & KEY TERMS:

plasticity, neuron, dendrites, axon, action potential, synapse, threshold, refractory period, allor-none response, neurotransmitters, reuptake, opiate, endorphins, nervous system, central nervous system, peripheral nervous system, sensory neuron, motor neuron, interneuron, somatic nervous system, autonomic nervous system, sympathetic nervous system, endocrine system, EEG, PET, MRI, fMRI, brainstem, medulla, thalamus, reticular formation, cerebellum, limbic system, amygdala, hypothalamus, hippocampus, cerebral cortex, frontal lobes, parietal lobes, occiptal lobes, temporal lobes, motor cortex, somatosensory

Determine the purpose of conscious awareness after close analysis of text on the topic.

Evaluate in writing the effects of sleep loss.

Identify the major sleep disorders and their effects.

Compare and contrast the major theories of dreaming through classroom discussion with peers; debate the validity of these theories.

cortex, association areas, corpus callosum, split brain, consciousness, selective attention, inattentional blindness, circadian rhythm, REM sleep, insomnia, narcolepsy, sleep apnea, dream manifest content, latent content	
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ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Constructing a model of the human brain that is designed to be used to teach elementary school students the parts of the brain and their functions. For example, students may choose to create a children's book, board game, video, etc.
- Analyzing their own dream based on one (or all three) of the theories of dreaming discussed in class.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to the biology of mind and consciousness.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

- Students will create a neuron out of non-traditional materials and label each structure.
- Students will act out the order of neurotransmission based on assigned roles.

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Unit II: The Biology of Mind and Consciousness

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
3 Weeks	Unit II- The Biology of Mind and Consciousness • Neural Communication	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org
	 A neuron's structure 	Video Discovery: What Happened to Phineas Gage?
	 neuron communication process 	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NFO6ts6vZic
	o how neurotransmitters influence us	
	• The Nervous System	Discovery Channel: Human Body: Pushing the Limits
	o central nervous system	http://www.discoveryeducation.com/video-in-the-
	o peripheral nervous system	classroom/HUMAN-BODY-Pushing-the-Limits.cfm
	The Endocrine System	
	The Brain	
	 yools of discovery 	
	o structures	
	Brain States and Consciousness	
	o attention	
	 sleep and dreams 	

Human Behavior Unit III: Learning

TRANSFER: Students will be able to analyze the ways in which people learn and apply their knowledge to how they themselves learn information and specific behaviors. Students will lean how to best address the learning styles of others.

	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ECCENTIAL OLIECTIONS
STANDARDS / GOALS:	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the NCSS IVA-1.1 Discuss learning from a	While people may have differing ways of how they learn best, all learning is categorized as relatively permanent behavior change due to experience that helps humans adapt to enviornments.	How do people learn?
psychological viewpoint. IVA-1.2 Recognize learning as a vehicle to promote adaptation through experience.	Our learning is largely influenced by associations we make, rewards and punishments we receive, and behavior we observe.	How do our experiences influence our ability to learn?
IVA-2.1 Describe the classical conditioning paradigm.	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
	KNOWLEDGE Students will know:	SKILLS Students will be able to:
conditioning paradigm. IVA-3.1 Describe the operant		
conditioning paradigm. IVA-3.1 Describe the operant conditioning paradigm. IVA-4.1 Explain how observational	Students will know: In associative learning, we learn to associate two stimuli;	Students will be able to: Explain the process of associative learning through

and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to develop an understanding of the text as a whole.

RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.

RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.

RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.

RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

asscoiate an action (behavior) and its consequences, thus learning to repeat acts followed by good results.

Operant conditioning consists of positive and negative reinforcement and punishment in order to change or create a desired behavior.

Both ratio and interval schedules of reinforcement are carefully utilized to encourage initial learning and lasting behavior.

Children tend to imitate what a model says and does whether the behavior being modeled is prosocial (positive and constructive) or antisocial (destructive).

VOCABULARY & KEY TERMS:

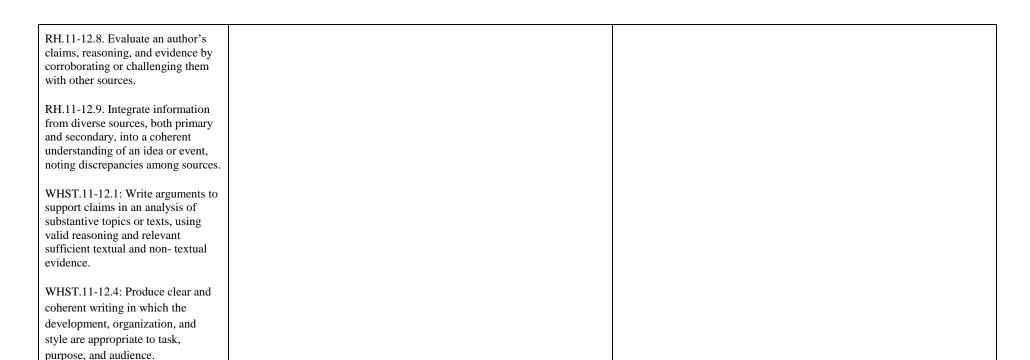
learning, associative learning, stimulus, respondent behavior, operant behavior, cognitive learning, classical conditioning, neutral stimulus, unconditioned response, unconditioned stimulus, conditioned response, conditioned stimulus, acquisition, extinction, spontaneous recovery, generalization, discrimination, operant conditioning, law of effect, operant chamber, reinforcement, shaping, positive reinforcement, negative reinforcement, primary reinforcer, conditioned reinforcer, reinforcement schedule, continuous reinforcement, partial (intermittent) reinforcement, fixed-ratio schedule, variable-ratio schedule, fixed-interval schedule, variableinterval schedule, punishment, biological constraints, behaviorism, cognitive map, latent learning, intrinsic motivation, extrinsic motivation, observational learning, modeling, mirror neuron, prosocial behavior

conditioning to real-life scenarios.

Differentiate between positive and negative reinforcements and punishments after actively listening to classroom discussion.

Assess the importance of reinforcements and punishments to the learning process by engaging in discussion with peers and the instructor.

Describe the impact of proscial and antisocial modeling on the behavior of children after conducting close textual analysis on the subject.



ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Completing a writing assignment that applies their personal experiences with both classical and operant conditioning to the terminology and concepts reviewed in class.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to the study of learning.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

- Students will apply classical and operant conditioning principles to provided case study scenarios.
- Students will write about their personal experiences with behaviors they have learned through social/observational learning.
- Students will take part in small group discussion about their personal experiences with any of the three forms of conditioning.

Human Behavior Unit III: Learning

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
2 Weeks	 Unit III – Learning How do we learn? Classical Conditioning Pavlov's experiments Pavlov's legacy Operant Conditioning Skinner's experiments Skinner's legacy contrasting classical and operant conditioning Learning by Observation mirrors and imitation in the brain applications of observational learning 	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org John Watson: Little Albert Experiment Video, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9hBfnXACsOI Albert Bandura: Bobo Doll Experiment Video, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zerCK0lRjp8 Bandura, A., Ross, D., & Ross, S.A. (1961). Transmission of aggression through imitation of aggressive models. Journal of Abnormal and Social Psychology, 63, 575-582. Crash Course Psychology: How to Train a Brain, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qG2SwE_6uVM

Human Behavior UNIT IV: Memory and Thinking

TRANSFER: Students will be able to apply their understanding of the cognitive and memory processes to the ways in which they process and store information in their everyday lives.

STANDARDS / GOALS:	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the NCSS	Cognition refers to all the mental activities associated with thinking, knowing, remembering, and communicating.	How does understanding our own cognition impact our lives?
IVB-1.1 Characterize the difference	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
between surface and deep (elaborate) processing.	Students will know:	Students will be able to:
IVB-1.2 Identify other factors that influence encoding.	Memory is our storehouse of accumulated learning.	Define memory after engaging in a classroom discussion on the topic with peers.
IVB-2.1 Describe the operation of sensory memory. IVB-2.2 Describe the operation of short- term memory and working	An information-processing model compares human memory to a computer's operation; it assumes that we must <i>encode, store, and retrieve</i> information in three stages: sensory memory, short-term or working memory, and long-	Explain the memory process by carefully reading and analyzing texts on the subject.
memory. IVB-2.3 Describe the operation of long- term memory.	term memory. Automatic processing happens unconsciously and creates implicit memorics offertful processing requires conscious	Differentiate between systems of memory after closely
IVB-3.1 Analyze the importance of retrieval cues in memory.	implicit memories; effortful processing requires conscious attention and deliberate effort and creates explicit or declaritive memories.	listening to instruction on the topic.
IVB-3.2 Explain the role that interference plays in retrieval.	Effortful processing strategies require closer attention and effort and include chunking and mnemonics to help us form	Apply effortful processing strategies to their own learning to improve their memory of information and

INB-3.3 Relate difficulties created by reconstructive memory processes. MEX-4.1 Identify the brain structures most important to memory. INB-5.1 Identify factors that interfere with memory. INB-5.2 Describe strategies for improving memory based on our underestanding of memory. INB-6.1 Describe the processes that lead to inaccuracies in memory INC-1.1 Define thinking as a mental process involved in the manipulation and understanding of information is classified into categories containing similar properties known as concepts. INC-2.2 Explain the use of creative thinking. INC-2.2 Explain the use of creative thinking and decision-making. INC-2.3 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.3 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.3 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.3 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.4 Recognize that information is classified into categories containing similar properties known as concepts. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision-making. INC-2.5 Explain the use of creative dinking and properties known as concepts. INC-2.6 Explain the use of creative dinking and properties known as concepts. INC-2.7 Analyze the obstacles that liabilit poblem solving and decision			
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IVC-3.1 Define language as symbols and sounds that convey meaning and facilitate communication.

IVC-3.2 Recognize that language is organized in a hierarchical structure.

IVC-4.1 Discuss the effects of development on language acquisition.

IVC-4.2 Evaluate the theories of language acquisition.

IVC-5.1 Examine the influence of language on thought and behavior.

NJSLS- ELA Companion Standards:

RH.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough textual evidence, (e.g., via discussion, written response, etc.), to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to develop an understanding of the text as a whole.

RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.

RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various

memory, encoding, storage, retrieval, sensory memory, short-term memory, long-term memory, working memory, implicit memory, explicit memory, effortful processing, automatic processing, chunking, mnemonics, spacing effect, semantic memory, episodic memory, flashbulb memory, recall, recognition, relearing, retrieval cue, priming, mood-congruent memory, serial-position effect, amnesia, proactive interference, retroactive interference, repression, misinformation effect, source amnesia, cognition, algorithm, heuristic, insight, confirmation bias, intuition, availaibilty heuristic, overconfidence, belief perserverence, framing, creativity, convergent thinking, divergent thinking, language

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RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.	
RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.	
RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.	
RH.11-12.8. Evaluate an author's claims, reasoning, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other sources.	
RH.11-12.9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.	
WHST.11-12.1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant	

sufficient textual and non- textual evidence.	
WHST.11-12.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.	

ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Conduct a social experiment for members of the class.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to the study of memory and thinking.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

- Students will research the work of Elizabeth Loftus to evaluate the validity and reliability of memory.
- Students will engage in a series of stations featuring cognitive tasks and will apply their problem solving and decision making to terms and concepts learned in class.

Human Behavior Unit IV: Thinking and Memory

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
	Unit IV- Memory and Thinking • Studying Memory	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org
	 building memory and encoding 	Elizabeth Loftus' TED Talk: "The Fiction of Memory"
	 memory storage 	https://www.ted.com/talks/elizabeth_loftus_the_fiction_of_mem
	 memory retrieval 	ory
	o forgetting	
2 Weeks	 memory construction errors 	"Brain Games", Remember This! (Season 1, Episode 3),
	• Thinking	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=56eJViDtIfg
	 solving problems 	
	 making decisions and judgements 	Garmon, Linda, Boyd Estus, Stacy Keach, and Russ Rymer.
	 thinking creatively 	Secret of the Wild Child. South Burlington, VT: WGBH
	Language Development	Educational Foundation, 2006.

Human Behavior Unit V: Personality

TRANSFER: Students will be able to identify their own individual personality type and understand how best to apply this knowledge to career and life choices.

	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
STANDARDS / GOALS: APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the	Personality is an individual's characteristic pattern of thinking, feeling, and acting.	How does personality affect us?
NCSS IIIB-1.1 Define personality as the individual's unique way of thinking, feeling, and acting.	Personality is largely shaped by traits, however, there are various psychological theories about how personality develops.	How is personality shaped throughout a lifespan?
IIIB-1.2 Explain the role of personality constructs as a framework for organizing behavioral phenomena.	Personality assessment techniques can be useful in making career and life choices.	What is the importance of assessing personality?
IIIB-2.1 Explain the characteristics of the psychodynamic, cognitive-behavioral, humanistic, and trait approaches.	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
IIIB-2.2 Identify important contributions to the understanding of personality.	Students will know:	Students will be able to:
IIIB-3.1 Distinguish between objective and projective techniques of personality assessment.	There are six major theories and approaches to explaining personality: psychoanalytic,	Compare and contrast the major theories and approaches to explaining personality through a series
IIIB-3.2 Describe tests used in personality assessment.	psychodynamic, humanistic, trait, social cognitive, and biological.	of classroom discussions.
NJSLS- ELA Companion Standards: RH.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough textual evidence, (e.g., via discussion, written response, etc.), to support analysis of primary and	Pyschodynamic theories of personality view human behavior as a lively (dynamic) interaction between the conscious and unconscious mind, and they	Describe in writing how pyschodynamic theories of personalities explain human interactions.

secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to develop an understanding of the text as a whole.

RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.

RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.

RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.

RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

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WHST.11-12.1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts,

Freud believed children develop through psychosexual stages, and that failure to resolve conflicts between their id, ego, and superego associated with a particular stage may result in a fixation at that stage.

A Neo-Freudian is a psychodynamic theorist who shares Freud's view that unconscious mental processes, inner conflicts, and childhood experiences are important influences on personality.

Trait theorists attempt to describe our stable and enduring characteristics. There are two types of trait theories, the nomothetic approach and the idiographic approach.

The social-cognitive theory is a combination of the behavioral and cognitive perspective of psychology.

Humanistic psychologists such as Maslow and Rogers believe that our self-concept and self-esteem influence our personality.

Abraham Maslow believed that if basic human needs were fulfilled, people would strive toward self actualization, the actualization of one's true and unique potential.

The Big Five Personality Dimensions,

Identify the five stages of Freud's theory of psychosexual development and apply Freudian defense mechanisms to real-life situations after taking part in classroom discussions on the topic.

Evaluate the contributions of Neo-Freudian psychologists to the development of modern personality theory after reading and analyzing texts on the subject.

Compare and contrast the nomothetic and idiographic approaches to trait theory through writing and discussion.

Apply the social-cognitive theory of personality to various personality traits during a small group discussion with peers in the classroom.

Differentiate between the real-self and the ideal-self; identify problems resulting from incongruence after actively listening and applying concepts from classroom discussion.

Analyze in writing how Maslow's hierarchy serves as an example of the humanistic approach to personality.

Evalulate which of the Big Five Factors provides the

using valid reasoning and relevant sufficient textual and non- textual evidence.

WHST.11-12.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

conscientiousness, agreeableness, neuroticism, emotional stability versus instability, openness and extraversion, offer a reasonable comprehensive picture of personality.

While most personality tests are self-report methods, some are psychological in nature. Major personality assessments include the MMPI, the TAT, and the Inkblot.

VOCABULUARY & KEY TERMS:

personality, psychodynamic theories, psychoanalysis, unconscious, free association, id, ego, superego, psychosexual stages, Oedipus complex, identification, fixation, defense mechanism, repression, collective unconscious, projective test, Thematic Apperception Test, Rorschach inkblot test, hierarchy of needs, self-actualization, self-transcendence, unconditional positive regard, self-concept, trait, factor, Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventor (MMPI), personality inventory, reciprocal determinism, social-cognitive perspective, self-efficacy, self, spotlight effect, self-esteem, narcissism, self-serving bias, individualism, collectivism

most useful information about personality variation.

Apply various personality tests, such as the MMPI and the TAT to one's own personality through collaboration and peer research in the classroom.

ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Applying the main idea of each psychological perspective of personality to explain the behavior of a fictional character in presentation and/or written form.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to the study of personality.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

- Students will work with a partner to match Freudian defense mechanisms to real-life scenarios.
- Students will participate in learning stations to identify the contributions of various psychologists to personality theory.
- Students will take an online version of the Myers-Briggs personality inventory and then work in small groups to compare and contrast how different personality types respond to different situations.

Human Behavior Unit V: Personality

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
2 Weeks	Unit V: Personality What is personality? Psychodynamic Theories Freud's psychoanalytic perspective The Neo-Freudian and later psychodynamic theorists assessing unconscious processes evaluating freud's psychoanalytic perspective and modern views of the unconscious Humanist Theories Abraham Maslow's self-actualizing person Carl Roger's person-centered perspective assessing the self evaluating humanist theories Trait Theories exploring traits assessing traits	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org Crash Course Psychology: Rosharch and Freudians, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mUELAiHbCxc Dr Seuss: Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas (1966) The TypeFinder Personality Test Database: https://www.truity.com/test/type-finder-research-edition The Big Five Project Personality Test Database: http://www.outofservice.com/bigfive/
	Big Five Factorsevaluating trait theories	

•	Social-Cognitive Theories o reciprocal influences o assessing behavior
	 evaluating social-cognitive theories
•	Exploring the Self
	 benefits of self-esteem
	 self-serving bias
	 culture and the self

Human Behavior

Unit VI: Human Development Through the Lifespan

TRANSFER: Students will be able to apply their understanding of human development to their own experiences as children and adolescents.

STANDARDS / GOALS: APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
NCSS IIIA-1.1 Describe physical, social, and	Developmental psychologists study physical, mental and social changes throughout the lifespan.	How and why do people change over time?
cognitive changes from the prenatal period throughout the life span. IIIA-1.2 Examine the nature of change over the life span.	Developmental psychologists focus on three major issues: nature and nurture, continuity and stages, and stability and change.	How does our genetic inheritance interact with our experiences to influence our development?
IIIA-1.3 Identify the complex cognitive structures found in the early development of infants and young children	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
IIIA-1.4 Apply life span principles to personal experience.	Students will know:	Students will be able to:
T T		
IIIA-2.1 Explain the distinguishing characteristics of the longitudinal and cross-sectional methods of study.	Twin and adoption studies help us understand the effects of nature and nurture.	Evaluate the impact of nature and nurture on development through various written assignments in the classroom.
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experiences of men and women.

IIIA-3.4 Explore developmental theories as they relate to cultural bias.

IIIA-4.1 Describe the role of critical periods in development.

IIIA-4.2 Explain the issues of continuity/discontinuity and stability/instability in development.

NJSLS- ELA Companion Standards:

RH.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough textual evidence, (e.g., via discussion, written response, etc.), to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to develop an understanding of the text as a whole.

RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.

RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.

RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing

children construct their understanding of the world as they ineract with it and that their minds go through spurts of change.

Erikson's theory of psychosocial development asserts that our social and personality development is determined by conflicts that unfold at eight separate stages throughout the lifespan.

The four main parenting styles are authoritarian, authoritative, permissive, and negligent.

Infants can show secure or insecure attachments to caregivers in which they are either comfortable in their environnment or experience anxiety and distrust of relationships.

Kohlberg's theory sought to describe the development of moral reasoning or how individuals think about right and wrong.

VOCABULARY & KEY TERMS:

developmental psychology, genes, heredity, environment, interaction, reflex, temperament, monozygotic twins, dizygotic twins, maturation, critical period, cognition, schema, assimilation, accommodation, sensorimotor, object permanence, preoperational, conservation, egocentrism, concrete operational, formal operational, stranger anxiety, attachment, basic trust, adolescence, identity, intimacy, cross-sectional study, longitudinal study

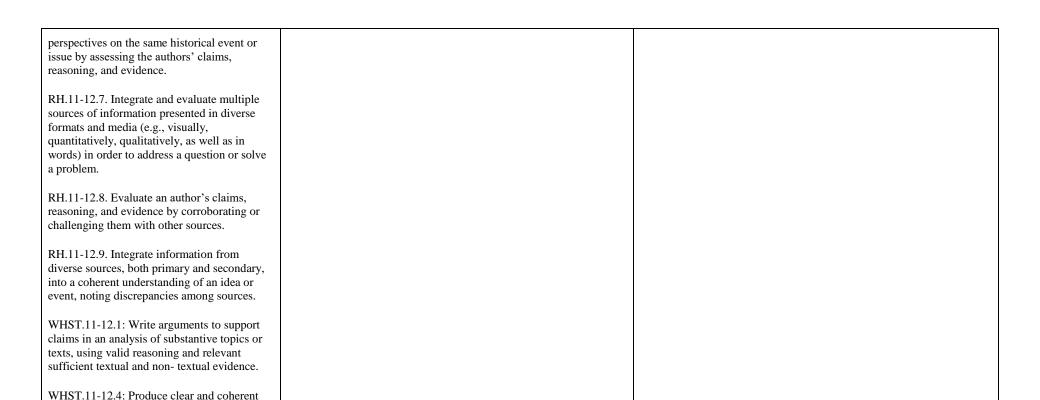
development and apply to real-life scenarios after carefully listening to classroom instruction.

Define the stages of Erikson's theory of psychosocial development, and apply Erikson's identity versus role confusion conflict in adolescence to their own lives.

Evaluate the effects of each parenting style on a person's development by collaborating with peers in classroom discussion.

Explain why secure and insecure attachments as an infant matter in future relationships after analyzing various texts on the subject.

Critique in writing Kohlberg's theory of moral development.



ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Creating a developmental timeline of their own lives using the major theories of development (cognitive, social, moral, etc.).
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to developing through the lifespan.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

writing in which the development,

purpose, and audience.

organization, and style are appropriate to task,

- Students will watch various video clips from popular television shows and movies to identify the different parenting styles.
- Students will engage in a show-and-tell activity with a small group in which they create a toy that fits one of Piaget's stages of cognitive development and then present to the whole class.

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Unit VI: Human Development Through the Lifespan

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
2 Weeks	Unit VI - Developing Through the Lifespan Developmental Psychology's Major Issues nature and nurture continuity and stages stability and change The Newborn the competent newborn twin and adoption studies parenting and attachment Cognitive Development Social Development Moral Development	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org Harry Harlow: Monkey Study Video , https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OrNBEhzjg8I John Hubley: Everybody Rides the Carousel , https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hKt7 yeszw The Heinz Dilemma - Lawrence Kohlberg (Kohlberg, Lawrence (1981). Essays on Moral Development , Vol. I: The Philosophy of Moral Development .)

Human Behavior

Unit VII: Psychological Disorders and Treatment

TRANSFER: Students will be able to recognize feelings, thoughts, and behaviors that resemble a psychological disturbance and apply the theories of treatment to real-life scenarios, including those in their own lives, if applicable.

STANDARDS / GOALS:	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the NCSS	A psychological disorder has a specific set of criteria as outlined by medical professionals.	How should we distinguish between normal behavior and psychological disorder?
VA-1.1 Distinguish the common characteristics of abnormal behavior. VA-1.2 Cite examples of abnormal behavior. VA-1.3 Relate judgments of abnormality to	There are a number of criteria that determine the abnormality of a behavior, but diagnosis can be subjective.	How and why do we classify psychological disorders?
contexts in which those judgments occur. VA-1.4 Describe major explanations for the origins of abnormality.	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
VA-2.2 Characterize the advantages and limitations of different research methods for studying abnormal behavior. VA-3.1 Discuss major categories of abnormal behavior.	Students will know: Abnormal behavior is characterized by thoughts, emotions, or behaviors that are dysfunctional or maladaptive.	Students will be able to: Identify the main criteria of abnormal behavior and discuss various case studies to apply said criteria.
VA-3.2 Explore the challenges associated with accurate diagnosis. VA-4.1 Consider factors that influence vulnerability to abnormal behavior. VA-4.2 Discuss the stigma associated with abnormal behavior.	The American Psychiatric Association's Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fifth Edition is the most commonly used tool for describing and predicting psychological disorders.	Evaluate symptoms of psychological disorders and classify disorders by reading passages from the DSM-V.

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RH.11-12.2. Determine the theme, central ideas, information and/or perspective(s) presented in a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events, ideas and/or author's perspective(s) develop over the course of the text.

RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.

RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.

RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

RH.11-12.8. Evaluate an author's claims, reasoning, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other sources.

Anxiety disorders are marked by distressing, persistent anxiety; there are three main anxiety disorders: generalized anxiety disorder, panic disorder, and specific phobia disorder.

Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder is characterized by persistant, unwanted thoughts and repetitive behaviors as a response to those thoughts.

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder includes haunting memories, nightmares, social withdrawl, jumpy anxiety, numbers of feeling, and sleep issues following a tramautic event.

Major Depressive Disorder and Bipolar Disorder differ.

Schizophrenia is characterized by delusions, hallucinations, disorganized speech, and/or diminished, inappropriate emotional expression.

Dissociative disorders, such as dissociative identity disorder, are controversial and rare disorders in which conscious awareness is separated from previous memories, thoughts, and feelings.

Personality disorders are inflexible and enduring behavior patterns that impair social functioning.

There are five main perspectives that address the treatment of abnormal behavior: humanistic,

Research and present the criteria for primary anxiety disorders.

Identify symptoms of obsessive-compulsive disorder through analysis of case studies.

Identify symptoms of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder through analysis of case studies.

Compare and contrast the primary mood disorders through the analysis of case studies and discussion.

Identify the main biological causes of schizophrenia and distinguish between positive and negative symptoms of the disorder in classroom discussion.

Critique the credibility of a diagnosis of dissociative identity disorder through discussion and debate.

Discuss and role-play the symptoms of the most common personality disorders.

Compare and contrast the effectiveness of each perspective that addresses the treatment of abnormal

RH.11-12.9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

WHST.11-12.1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.

WHST.11-12.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

behavioral, cognitive, and somatic approaches.

VOCABULARY & KEY TERMS:

psychological disorder, attentiondeficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), medical model, epigenetics, DSM-5, anxiety disorders, generlized anxiety disorder, panic disorder, obsessive-compulsive disorder (OCD), posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), psychoactive drug, substance use disorder, tolerance, withdrawal, depressants, alcohol use disorder, barbiturates, opiates, stimulants, nicotine, cocaine, amphetamines, methamphetamine, Ecstacy (MDMA), hallucinogens, near-death experience, LSD, THC, major depressive disorder, bipolar disorder, mania, schizophrenia, psychotic disorders, delusions, acute schizophrenia, chronic schizophrenia, anorexia nervosa, bulimia nervosa, bine-eating disorder, dissociative disorder, dissociate identity disorder (DID), personality disorder, antisocial personality disorder, psychotherapy, biomedial therapy, eclectic approach, psychoanalysis, resistance, interpretation, transference, psychodynamic therapy, insight therapies, person-centered therapy, active listening, unconditional positive regard, behavior therapy, counterconditioning, exposure therapies, systematic desensitization, virtual reality exposure therapy, aversive conditioning, token economy, cognitive therapy, cognitive-behavioral therapy (CBT), group therapy, family thereapy, evidence-based practice, therapeutic alliance,

behavior and the strategies utilized by each perspective.

antipsychotic drugs, antianxiety drugs, antidepressant drugs, electroconvulsive therapy (ECT), repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation (rTMS), psychosurgery, lobotomy, resilience, posttraumatic growth	
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ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Applying criteria of psychological disorders to examples of mental illness in popular culture.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to psychological disorders and treatment.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

- Students will engage in a "speed-dating" or jigsaw activity in which they teach each other about the various personality disorders.
- Students will work in small groups to analyze a case study and use criteria from the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* V to diagnose abnormal behavior and will share their diagnoses with the entire class in a large discussion setting.

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Unit VII: Psychological Disorders and Treament

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
3 Weeks	Unit VII: Psychological Disorders and Treatment • What is a psychological disorder? • Anxiety Disorders, OCD, and PTSD • anxiety disorders • Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder (OCD) • Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) • Substance Use Disorders and Addetive Behaviors • tolerance and addictive behaviors • depressants • stimulants • hallucinogens • understanding substance use disorders • Major Depressive Disorder and Bipolar Disorder • Major Depressive Disorder • Bipolar Disorder • suicide and self-injury • Schizophrenia • Other Disorders • eating disorders	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fifth Edition Rosenhan, D. L. (1973). On being sane in insane places. Science, 179, 250-258. Crash Course Psychology: Depressive and Bipolar Disorders, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZwMlHkWKDwM Crash Course Psychology: Personality Disorders, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4E1JiDFxFGk Crash Course Psychology: Getting Help, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6nEL44QkL9w Psychology in Context by Robin S. Rosenberg and Stephen Kosslyn: I Have Dissociative Identity Disorder, Quiet Storm

 dissociative disorders personality disorders	(1992)
• The Psychological Therapies	
o psychoanalysis and psychodynamic	
therapy	
humanist therapies	
 behavior therapies 	
 cognitive therapies 	
o group and family therapies	
• Evaluating Psychotherapies	
The Biomedial Therapies	
o drug therapies	
o brain stimulation	
 psychosurgery 	
 Preventing Psychological Disorders and 	
Building Resilience	
 preventive mental health 	
 building resilience 	

Human Behavior UNIT VIII: Social Psychology

TRANSFER: Students will be able to recognize and evaluate how the behavior of themselves and their peers is shaped by social influences.

	ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS	
STANDARDS / GOALS:			
APA National Standards for High School Psychology Curricula - Endorsed by the NCSS	Our attitudes are subject to change due to experiences throughout the course of life.	How do attitudes and actions affect each other?	
VC-2.1 Identify basic social and cultural categories.	The fundamental attribution error describes how we tend to explain others' behavior in terms of	How do we explain the behavior of ourselves and others?	
VC-2.2 Discuss how social and cultural categories affect behavior.	internal factors.		
VC-3.1 Describe effects of the presence of others on individual behavior.	The power of the group is very influential and can positively or negatively impact behavior.	 How is behavior influenced by the presence of others? 	
VC-3.2 Describe how social structure can affect intergroup relations.	KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS	
VC-3.3 Explore the nature and effects of bias and discrimination.	RNOWLEDGE	SINELS	
VC-3.4 Describe circumstances under which conformity and obedience are likely to occur.	Students will know:	Students will be able to:	
VC-3.5 Discuss the nature of altruism in society.	The fundamental attribution error has ramifications.	Apply attribution theory to our everyday lives by sharing everyday experiences with peers in classroom discussion.	
VC-3.6 Discuss the significance of aggression.	Attitudes are feelings, often based on our beliefs,	Identify examples of attitudes in a large group	

VC-3.7 Discuss factors influencing attraction.

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RH.11-12.3. Evaluate various perspectives for actions or events; determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.

RH.11-12.5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

RH.11-12.6. Evaluate authors' differing perspectives on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.

RH.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, qualitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

RH.11-12.8. Evaluate an author's claims,

which can influence how we respond to particular objects, people, and events.

Persuasion efforts generally take two forms: peripheral route persuasion and central route persuasion.

People may conform either to gain social approval (normative social influence) or because they welcome the information others provide (informational social influence).

There are a variety of group dynamics, such as social facilitation, social loafing, social impairment, group polarization, groupthink, and deindividuation.

Certain circumstances, such as the presence of an authority figure, make people more likely to be obedient.

There are psychological and cognitive factors that influence prejudice, discrimination, and stereotypes.

There are two types of aggression: instrumental and hostile.

There are three main characteristics that influence our attraction to others: proximity, similarity, and discussion on the topic.

Compare and contrast in writing the peripheral and central routes to persuasion.

Describe conformity after actively listening to instruction on the topic in the classroom.

Identify the influence of famous studies on our understanding of conformity.

Analyze the functions of different types of group behavior through a close reading and analysis of texts on the subject.

Identity the factors that influence obedience through researching and evaluate the ethical implications of famous studies on obedience.

Explain, in a classroom discussion, the difference between prejudice, discrimination, and stereotypes.

Distinguish in writing between the two types of aggression and evaluate the causes of aggression.

Describe the variables that contribute to attraction.

reasoning, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other sources.

RH.11-12.9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

WHST.11-12.1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.

WHST.11-12.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

physical attractiveness.

VOCABULARY & KEY TERMS:

social psychology, fundamental attribution error, attitude, peripheral route persuasion, central route persuasion, foot-in-the-door phenomenon, role, cognitive dissonance theory, conformity, normative social influence, informational social influence, social facilitation, social loafing, deindividuation, group polarization, groupthink, prejudice, stereotype, discrimination, just-world phenomenon, ingroup, outgroup, ingroup bias, scapegoat theory, aggression, frustration-aggression principle, mere exposure effect, passionate love, compassionate love, equity, altruism, bystander effect, reciprocity norm, social-responsibility norm, conflict, self-fulfilling prophecy

ASSESSMENT EVIDENCE: Students will show their learning by:

- Designing their own persuasion campaign to encourage students or staff to meet a school-wide goal.
- Defining and creating an example of a term or terms assigned to them from this unit.
- Taking part in various formal and informal formative assessments meant to evaluate their knowledge and skills related to social psychology.

KEY LEARNING EVENTS AND INSTRUCTION:

- Students will watch clips from social experiments such as Stanley Milgram's obedience study. Then, they will work in groups to analyze the behavior in terms of social influences, as well as ethical principles.
- Students will engage in simulations designed to illustrate ingroup/outgroup bias, just-world phenomenon, love and attraction, as well as other social psychology concepts.

Human Behavior UNIT VIII: Social Psychology

SUGGESTED TIME ALLOTMENT	CONTENT-UNIT OF STUDY	SUPPLEMENTAL UNIT RESOURCES
	Unit VIII: Social Psychology • Social Thinking	American Psychological Association, www.apa.org
	 The fundamental attribution error 	Biography.com: "Kitty Genovese",
	 attitudes and actions 	https://www.biography.com/people/kitty-genovese-120415
	Social Influence	
	 conformity and obedience 	Stanley Milgram: Milgram Experiment Video,
	o group influence	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wdUu3u9Web4&t=37s
	Social Relations	
2 Weeks	prejudiceaggression	Philip Zimbardo: Stanford Prison Experiment Video,
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=760lwYmpXbc
	o attraction	
	o altruism	Soloman Asch: Conformity Experiment Video,
	Conflict and Peacemaking	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TYIh4MkcfJA
		The state of the s
		Brain Games: Peer Pressure (Season 5, Episode 8),
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kcp4MtGWYoA