

Brief Course Outline

Course Title: **Method in General Psychology**

Course Number and Section:

PSYCHOL

1100E 550

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Course Description:

An introduction to method and content in psychology. The content areas covered include physiological psychology, perception, learning and motivation, memory and cognition, developmental psychology, individual differences, personality, social psychology, and applied psychology. Method is studied through direct experience with research design and the collection, statistical treatment, and reporting of data.

Antirequisite(s): Psychology 1000, Psychology 1200 and the former Psychology 100.

Extra Information: 2 lecture hours, 1 laboratory hour, 1.0 course.

Note 1: A grade of at least 60% in this course is a prerequisite for most senior psychology courses taught at Huron University College and for all senior psychology courses required for all psychology modules. Moreover, it is a prerequisite for admission to all psychology modules at Huron University College.

Note 2: Psychology 1000 is not a substitute for Psychology 1100E course and without supplementation will not provide entry to most of our senior courses. For details of the necessary supplementation, students should consult the FASS Course Outline Appendix posted on OWL Brightspace.

Learning Outcomes:

Identify and describe theories and concepts from the most important content areas in psychology.

Think critically about empirical research.

Analyze data and report the results of simple empirical research.

Textbooks and Course Materials:

McCann, D., Weiten, W., & Matheson, D. (2022). Psychology: Themes and Variations. (Sixth Canadian Edition). Cengage. (MindTap Required)

Cole, M. R., Erdle, S., Heapy, N., & Tsang, C.D. (2017). Introduction to Method in Psychology. (Revised Seventh Edition). McGraw-Hill. (See course webpage)

Methods Of Evaluation:

Assignment	Due Date mm/dd/yy	Weight - %
Fall lecture quizzes	See course webpage	7
Winter lecture quizzes	See course webpage	7
December Exam	During December exam period	20
April Exam	During April exam period	20
Fall lab activities	See course webpage	6
Winter lab activities	See course webpage	4
Research Participation	See course webpage	4
Fall Term Report	Dec 6	12
Winter Term Report	Apr 4	20

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