

Factors that distort how an independent variable affects a dependent variable in an experiment are referred to as

experimental bias.

placebo effects.

participant bias.

double-blinds.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

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Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.3: Identify threats to experimental validity.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Validity

Topic : Experimental Bias

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Factors that distort how an independent variable a...

Which of the following approaches to psychology proposed that "the whole is different than the sum of the parts"?

structuralism

gestalt psychology

functionalism

forensic psychology

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme E. Our perceptions and biases filter our experiences of the world through an im

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Approaches to Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following approaches to psychology pr...

Correlational research is research in which

people chosen to represent a larger population are asked a series of questions about their behavior, thoughts, or attitudes.

an investigator simply observes some naturally occurring behavior and does not make a change in the situation.

the relationship between two sets of variables is examined to determine whether they are associated.

existing data, such as census documents, college records, and newspaper clippings, are examined to test a hypothesis.

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Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Variables

Topic : Correlational Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Correlational research is research in which

What is the central area of study for Diversity science?

investigating how biological factors influence behavior across various ethnic groups

focusing on the differences between individual and group intelligence levels in society

examining how society's diversity impacts individual and group behavior

studying the effect of socio-economic status on educational achievement

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Evolutionary Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is the central area of study for Diver...

In the context of the scientific method, the development of a hypothesis occurs when

carrying out research designed to support or refute an explanation.

formulating an explanation.

communicating the findings.

identifying questions of interest.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Scientific Method

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In the context of the scientific method, the devel...

In Enterprise City, which is experiencing an economic downturn, local psychologists are conducting a public workshop. Dr. Kalo is offering strategies to help adults who have been laid off avoid issues like overeating and substance abuse. Dr. Kalo's expertise is most likely in which subfield of psychology?

counseling

cross-cultural

health

developmental

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme F. Applying psychological principles can change our lives, organizations, and c

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In Enterprise City, which is experiencing an econo...

Associated with William James, _____ focused on what the mind does.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Functionalism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Associated with William James, _____ focused on...

The purpose of random assignment to conditions is to

determine whether the dependent variable and the independent variable have a positive correlation with each other.

determine how likely it is that the results of a treatment were due to chance.

ensure there is an equal chance that participant characteristics will be distributed across the various groups.

combine the results of a number of similar studies.

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APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Topic : Random Assignment

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The purpose of random assignment to conditions is ...

Dr. Hart investigates how depressive disorders are related to the levels of serotonin in the brain.

Dr. Hart's research falls within the field of

health psychology.

climate and environmental psychology.

clinical neuropsychology.

cognitive psychology.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

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APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Hart investigates how depressive disorders are...

In a trial for a new antianxiety medication, participants are given either the medication or a placebo; moreover, the personnel administering the study do not know which participants receive the medication and which receive the placebo. This experiment may be described as a(n) _____ procedure.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

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APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.3: Identify threats to experimental validity.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Validity

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In a trial for a new antianxiety medication, parti...

Describe a current event or topic of public interest. Suggest how at least two of the major perspectives in contemporary psychology might shed light on the topic.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

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APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

Learning Objective : 2.3: Apply psychology to your life.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Approaches to Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Describe a current event or topic of public intere...

What is the correct order of steps in the scientific method, from the first step to the last?

identify question of interest → formulate explanation → carry out research → communicate findings

carry out research → formulate explanation → identify question of interest → communicate findings

carry out research → identify question of interest → formulate explanation → communicate findings

identify question of interest → carry out research → formulate explanation → communicate findings

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Scientific Method

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is the correct order of steps in the scie...

In an experiment, the _____ variable is the one that is manipulated by the experimenter to observe its effects on other variables.

dependent

experimental

independent

control

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Topic : Variables

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In an experiment, the _____ variable is the o...

In a study, Dr. Strait is utilizing federal crime statistics from a public database. What type of descriptive research method is Dr. Strait employing?

naturalistic observation

experimental manipulation

archival research

survey research

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Archival Research

Topic : Descriptive Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In a study, Dr. Strait is utilizing federal crim...

What term refers to the procedure in which individuals are asked to provide detailed descriptions of their experiences when exposed to a stimulus, as a means to study the structure of the mind?

intervention

internal observation

inner perception

introspection

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Structuralism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What term refers to the procedure in which individ...

When asked to define "popularity," Student A offers, "It's when everyone likes you." Student B suggests, "It's basically the number of friends you have." In the context of the descriptions provided, which of the following is a true statement?

Student B's description of popularity is an operational definition.

Student A's description of popularity is an introspection.

Student A's description of popularity exemplifies a hypothesis.

Student B's description of popularity exemplifies a theory.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Scientific Method

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > When asked to define "popularity," Student A offer...

The formal beginning of psychology is associated with

Wilhelm Wundt.

Hermann Ebbinghaus.

Franz Josef Gall.

René Descartes.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : History of Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The formal beginning of psychology is associated w...

Experimental research requires that the responses of _____ group(s) be compared.

at least two

at least three

at least five

at least one

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Experimental research requires that the responses ...

_____ is defined as a systematic inquiry aimed at the discovery of new knowledge.

Critical thinking

Coherent observation

Research

Introspection

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.2: Describe how psychologists use research to answer questions of interest.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Scientific Method

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > _____ is defined as a systematic inquiry aimed ...

Which of the following scenarios illustrates the application of the scientific method to answer a question?

When asked if addiction is a disease or a choice, Smith replies that he knows many addicts and he feels that they have a disease.

When asked if violent video games have any impact on a gamer, Dr. Farnworth replies that there is substantial empirical evidence to suggest a change in the gamer's physiology.

When asked if an old dog can be taught new tricks, Rick replies, "I taught my 10-year-old shepherd to fetch a ball, so yes, you can teach an old dog new tricks."

When asked if mood influences prosocial behavior, Dr. Hotchner replies that he believes it does.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.4. Examine how psychological science can be used to counter unsubstantiated stateme

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Outcome : 2.1 Exercise scientific reasoning to investigate psychological phenomena

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.1: Define the science of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Scientific Method

Topic : Definition of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following scenarios illustrates the ap...

Dr. Greenway argues that psychology should focus on individual actions and conduct that can be observed and measured. Dr. Cech is a strong proponent of the idea that psychology should study how people think about and understand the world. Which of the following options correctly identifies their respective perspectives?

Dr. Greenway adheres to the behavioral perspective, and Dr. Cech adheres to the cognitive perspective.

Dr. Greenway adheres to the psychodynamic perspective, and Dr. Cech adheres to the humanistic perspective.

Dr. Greenway adheres to the behavioral perspective, and Dr. Cech adheres to the humanistic perspective.

Dr. Greenway adheres to the cognitive perspective, and Dr. Cech adheres to the behavioral perspective.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Cognitive Approach

Topic : Behavioral Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Greenway argues that psychology should focus o...

_____ is an early approach to psychology that concentrated on what the mind does and the role of behavior in allowing people to adapt to their environments.

Structuralism

Gestalt psychology

Introspection

Functionalism

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Functionalism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > _____ is an early approach to psychology that c...

How is it that the experimental method allows researchers to draw cause-and-effect conclusions? Identify the critical elements of the experimental method, and explain how each helps enable the development of valid causal conclusions.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > How is it that the experimental method allows rese...

Identify the statement that correctly describes social psychology.

It focuses primarily on educational, social, and career adjustment problems.

It investigates the similarities and differences in psychological functioning in and across various cultures and ethnic groups.

It studies how people's thoughts, feelings, and actions are affected by others.

It deals with the study, diagnosis, and treatment of psychological disorders.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Identify the statement that correctly describes so...

Dr. Gigliotti is conducting an in-depth, intensive investigation of a patient with dissociative identity disorder (DID). He uses psychological tests and interviews to better understand the patient. Dr. Gigliotti is conducting

archival research.

survey research.

naturalistic observation.

a case study.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Case Studies

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Gigliotti is conducting an in-depth, intensive...

What is the primary focus of personality psychology?

It focuses primarily on educational, social, and career adjustment problems.

It deals with the study, diagnosis, and treatment of psychological disorders.

It focuses on higher mental processes, including thinking, memory, reasoning, problem solving, judging, decision making, and language.

It focuses on the consistency in people's behavior over time and the traits that differentiate one person from another.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme B. Psychology explains general principles that govern behavior while recognizing

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is the primary focus of personality psych...

What research approach is specifically aimed at systematically studying an individual, a group, or patterns of behavior?

conceptual research

empirical research

applied research

descriptive research

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Descriptive Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What research approach is specifically aimed a...

Dr. Petrovic tries to help his clients see how their behavior reflects the choices they make. He is most likely a _____ psychologist.

behavioral

humanistic

psychodynamic

gestalt

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme B. Psychology explains general principles that govern behavior while recognizing

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Humanistic Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Petrovic tries to help his clients see how the...

Which of the following best describes a concern about using college students as research participants in psychological studies?

College students tend to represent a group described by the acronym “WEIRD,” which may not be representative of the general population.

College students are usually not willing to participate in experiments.

College students are generally from diverse backgrounds, making them ideal participants for any psychological study.

College students usually produce unreliable data because they are not interested in the outcomes of the research.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.3: Identify threats to experimental validity.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Validity

Topic : Research Samples

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following best describes a concern ab...

In this scenario, Dr. Weigel focuses on how the trait of neuroticism correlates with obesity rates, while Dr. Christianson examines the impact of different social settings on the frequency of obesity. Which of the following statements is most likely to be accurate?

Dr. Christianson is a social psychologist.

Dr. Weigel is a social psychologist.

Dr. Christianson is a personality psychologist.

Dr. Weigel is a behavioral psychologist.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In this scenario, Dr. Weigel focuses on how the trai...

Which field of psychology investigates the connection between psychological variables and physical illnesses or conditions?

developmental psychology

health psychology

clinical neuropsychology

forensic psychology

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which field of psychology investigates the connecti...

Which of the following branches of psychology studies the processes of sensing, perceiving, learning, and thinking about the world?

developmental psychology

health psychology

experimental psychology

behavioral neuroscience

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following branches of psychology stud...

Which of the following statements defines developmental psychology?

It studies how people grow and change from the moment of conception through death.

It focuses on higher mental processes, including thinking, memory, reasoning, problem solving, judging, decision making, and language.

It focuses primarily on educational, social, and career adjustment problems.

It deals with the study, diagnosis, and treatment of psychological disorders.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following statements defines developm...

Which of the following perspectives is correctly matched with its description?

humanism: emphasizes the unconscious determinants of behavior

structuralism: emphasizes what the mind does

functionalism: emphasizes the elements of mental experience

gestalt psychology: emphasizes the organization of perception

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Intro SLO : Theme E. Our perceptions and biases filter our experiences of the world through an im

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Humanistic Approach

Topic : Functionalism

Topic : Structuralism

Topic : Approaches to Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following perspectives is correctly m...

Noreen asserts that human behavior is motivated by inner forces about which individuals have little awareness or control. This viewpoint is most consistent with the _____ perspective of psychology.

neuroscience

structuralist

humanistic

psychodynamic

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Psychodynamic Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Noreen asserts that human behavior is motivated by...

Which procedure is used to control both experimenter and participant expectations in a study involving a treatment and a placebo?

double-blind procedure

single-blind procedure

cross-over trial

open-label trial

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.3: Identify threats to experimental validity.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Validity

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which procedure is used to control both experimen...

Which of the following led psychologists to challenge the structuralism perspective?

Introspection was confirmed by an outside observer.

Structuralism did not focus on the fundamental components of the mind.

Introspection was not a truly scientific technique.

Structuralists made use of unethical forms of measurements during experiments.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Structuralism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following led psychologists to challe...

The humanistic perspective is explicit in its rejection of _____, the notion that behavior is caused by factors outside an individual's control.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme B. Psychology explains general principles that govern behavior while recognizing

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

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Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Humanistic Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The humanistic perspective is explicit in its rejection...

Identify a true statement about cognitive psychology.

Cognitive psychologists focus on the origin of psychological disorders in biological factors.

Cognitive psychology includes experimental psychology as a subfield.

Cognitive psychologists may be asked to examine people accused of crimes.

Cognitive psychology is a subspecialty under experimental psychology.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Identify a true statement about cognitive psychology...

A pharmaceutical company has developed a new ADHD medication and wishes to test its effectiveness. Identify the threats that validity researchers might face in an experimental test of the medication's efficacy and suggest how these threats may be overcome.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 4.3: Identify threats to experimental validity.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Validity

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > A pharmaceutical company has developed a ne...

Research that is conducted, sometimes using other procedures, settings, and groups of participants, to increase confidence in prior findings is known as

replication.

correlation.

archival research.

naturalistic observation.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Replicated Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Research that is conducted, sometimes using other ...

Experimental research is to correlational research what _____ is to _____.

description; prediction

description; association

cause; association

association; cause

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Experimental Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Experimental research is to correlational research...

Psychology is defined as

the scientific study of behavior and mental processes.

a system of ideas that may be used to justify behavior.

the study of mental disorders and their treatment.

an intuition-based approach to study human behavior.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.1: Define the science of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Definition of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Psychology is defined as

In the context of key issues within the field of psychology, which idea does Dr. Smith, who researches the achievement motivation of middle school students and believes it's largely influenced by their upbringing and educational experiences, support?

the idea that nature influences individual behavior

the idea that nurture influence individual behavior

the idea that unconscious factors determine observable behavior

the idea that internal mental processes shape observable behavior

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.4: Summarize psychology's key issues and controversies.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Key issues and controversies

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In the context of key issues within the field of ps...

Within the field of emotion psychology, what would most likely be the focus of William James' interest?

the organization of perception and thinking into meaningful wholes

how unconscious memories contribute to an individual's emotional experience

how behavior aids an individual's adaptation to the environment

the basic nature of an emotional feeling or experience

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

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Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Functionalism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Within the field of emotion psychology, what wo...

Which of the following subfields of psychology is correctly matched with its sample topic?

developmental psychology: the effectiveness of drug therapy for obsessive-compulsive disorder

health psychology: the role that frustration plays in producing aggression

cognitive psychology: the influence of an event on people's thinking

behavioral neuroscience: the influence of chronic stress on physical health

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following subfields of psychology is ...

You have been invited to participate in a program aimed at encouraging high school girls to pursue scientific careers. You wish to tell the girls that despite formidable obstacles, women made many important contributions to the science of psychology in its earliest days. Outline several points you might make in support of your argument.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme D. Psychology values diversity, promotes equity, and fosters inclusion in pursu

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : History of Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > You have been invited to participate in a program ...

The relatively new field of _____ unites the areas of neuroscience and clinical psychology.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The relatively new field of _____ unites the ar...

Which of the following subfields of psychology is correctly described?

Evolutionary psychology focuses on the biological mechanisms that enable inherited behavior to unfold.

Behavioral genetics considers how our behavior is influenced by our genetic inheritance from our ancestors.

Cross-cultural psychology examines the genetic basis of behavioral disorders.

Clinical neuropsychology focuses on the origin of psychological disorders in biological factors.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

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Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following subfields of psychology is ...

What is one method researchers use to minimize the impact of participant expectations on the results of an experiment?

disguise the true purpose of the experiment

provide incentives for specific behaviors

reveal the true purpose of the experiment at the beginning

limit the sample size to a smaller group

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.3: Identify threats to experimental validity.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Validity

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is one method researchers use to mini...

In the context of correlational research involving two variables, a positive correlation indicates that

as the value of one variable increases, one can predict that the value of the other will decrease.

as the value of one variable increases, one can predict that the value of the other will also increase.

little or no relationship exists between the two variables of interest.

of the two variables being studied, one causes the other.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Variables

Topic : Correlation

Topic : Correlational Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In the context of correlational research involving...

What term is used to describe behaviors, events, or other characteristics that have the potential to change or vary?

beliefs

hypotheses

variables

constants

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

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Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Variables

Topic : Correlational Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What term is used to describe behaviors, ev...

Most psychologists have a doctorate, either a PhD (doctor of philosophy) or a(n)_____.

Question Details

APA Outcome : 5.3 Display effective judgment in professional interactions

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.3: List the major specialties for working in the field of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Most psychologists have a doctorate, either a PhD ...

Dr. Leleux asserts that psychologists should attempt to identify the fundamental attributes of mental experience. Dr. Leleux is most likely following a perspective in psychology known as

determinism.

structuralism.

functionalism.

gestalt psychology.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Structuralism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Leleux asserts that psychologists should attem...

Which of the following descriptive research methods is correctly matched with its respective advantage?

case study: the ability to make valid generalizations to a larger population

archival research: the ability to infer with great accuracy how a larger group would respond, even with a small sample

naturalistic observation: examines behavior in the real world

survey: inexpensive

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Medium

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Archival Research

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Naturalistic Observation

Topic : Case Studies

Topic : Survey Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following descriptive research method...

Identify a true statement about functionalism.

It was derived from the notion of survival of the fittest.

It was first suggested by William Wundt in 1879.

It involved the use of introspection to understand the structure of the mind.

It focused on the role of behavior in allowing people to adapt to their environments.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Functionalism

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Identify a true statement about functionalism.

Which of the following psychologists conducted significant and influential research during the 1950s that influenced the U.S. Supreme Court ruling in *Brown vs. Board of Education*?

Karen Horney

Mamie Phipps Clark

Margaret Floy Washburn

Anna Freud

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

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Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : History of Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following psychologists conducte...

Why are control groups included in experiments?

to show that when two variables in an experiment are strongly correlated, they have a cause-and-effect relationship

to ensure that participants are properly assigned to the groups in an experiment

to rule out the idea that something other than experimental manipulation produced the observed results in an experiment

to determine whether two variables being investigated in an experiment are correlated

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Topic : Experimental and Control Groups

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Why are control groups included in experiments?

Briefly discuss the underrepresentation of racial and ethnic minorities among psychologists in the United States and the significance this may have on the field. Provide one possible example that illustrates the effects this may have.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme D. Psychology values diversity, promotes equity, and fosters inclusion in pursu

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.3: List the major specialties for working in the field of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Briefly discuss the underrepresentation of racial ...

In an experiment, the dependent variable is

applied to the control group.

manipulated by the researcher.

measured by the researcher and is expected to change.

randomized across groups.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Topic : Variables

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In an experiment, the dependent variable is

Psychologists_____ to describe, predict, and explain human behavior and mental processes, as well as help to change and improve the lives of people and the world in which they live.

use their intuition

rely on historical linguistics

use scientific methods

study the flow of matter

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.4. Examine how psychological science can be used to counter unsubstantiated stateme

APA Outcome : 2.1 Exercise scientific reasoning to investigate psychological phenomena

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.1: Define the science of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Scientific Method

Topic : Definition of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Psychologists _____ to describe, predict, and e...

Dr. O'Connor is telling his participants before he begins an experiment that their participation is completely voluntary and that they can stop participating in the experiment at any time. Dr. O'Connor is

assuring confidentiality.

obtaining informed consent.

using introspection.

debriefing his participants.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme G. Ethical principles guide psychology research and practice.

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 3.1 Employ ethical standards in research, practice, and academic contexts

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.1: Explain the major ethical issues that confront psychologists conducting res

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Ethics

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. O'Connor is telling his participants before he b...

Dr. Chen studies how people grow and change during late adolescence and young adulthood. Dr. Doherty focuses on several traits that distinguish one person from another. Which of the following is likely to be true in the context of this scenario?

Dr. Chen is a clinical psychologist, whereas Dr. Doherty is a counseling psychologist.

Dr. Chen is likely to be a developmental psychologist, whereas Dr. Doherty is likely to be a personality psychologist.

Dr. Chen is likely to be a behavioral geneticist, whereas Dr. Doherty is likely to be an evolutionary psychologist.

Dr. Chen is a personality psychologist, whereas Dr. Doherty is a developmental psychologist.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Intro SLO : Theme B. Psychology explains general principles that govern behavior while recognizin

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Chen studies how people grow and change during...

When a researcher debriefs her participants, she

reveals the outcome of her study.

provides a detailed explanation of her study.

tells them they can stop taking part at any time.

assures the participants of confidentiality.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme G. Ethical principles guide psychology research and practice.

APA Outcome : 3.1 Employ ethical standards in research, practice, and academic contexts

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 4.1: Explain the major ethical issues that confront psychologists conducting res

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Ethics

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > When a researcher debriefs her participants, she

In the context of theories, which of the following is a true statement?

Theories provide a framework to understand the relationships among a set of otherwise unorganized facts.

Theories help test the underlying soundness of hypotheses.

Theories are translations of hypotheses into specific, testable procedures that can be measured and observed in an experiment.

Theories are predictions stated in a way that allow them to be tested.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Theories

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In the context of theories, which of the following...

In the context of survey research, identify a true statement about a sample.

It comprises people chosen to represent a larger group of interest.

It is usually not representative of a broader population.

It should necessarily include less than 500 members.

It should not involve a random selection of participants.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Survey Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In the context of survey research, identify a true...

The approach through which psychologists systematically acquire knowledge and understanding about behavior and other phenomena of interest is called the

informed speculation method.

educated guessing method.

scientific method.

trial-and-error method.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

Page : 24

Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Scientific Method

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The approach through which psychologists systemati...

_____ focuses on higher mental processes, including thinking, memory, reasoning, problem solving, judging, decision making, and language.

Developmental psychology

Cognitive psychology

Clinical psychology

Personality psychology

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > _____ focuses on higher mental processes, inclu...

The approach that views behavior from the perspective of the brain, the nervous system, and other biological functions is known as the _____ perspective.

psychodynamic

neuroscience

cognitive

nature-nurture

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Approaches to Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The approach that views behavior from the perspect...

What ethical principle in research is upheld when participants sign a document acknowledging they are aware of the study's outline, its risks, and their right to voluntarily withdraw at any time?

debriefing

informed consent

introspection

significant outcome

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme G. Ethical principles guide psychology research and practice.

APA Outcome : 3.1 Employ ethical standards in research, practice, and academic contexts

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.1: Explain the major ethical issues that confront psychologists conducting res

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Ethics

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What ethical principle in research is upheld wh...

What is the primary focus of climate and environmental psychology?

Investigating the effect of outdoor recreational activities on mental health.

Exploring how climate change impacts behavior and the relationship between people and their physical environment.

Examining the relationship between individual personalities and environmental conservation efforts.

Studying how climate change affects agricultural practices and human migration.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is the primary focus of climate and environme...

Gestalt psychologists made substantial contributions to the understanding of

emotion.

memory.

motivation.

perception.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme E. Our perceptions and biases filter our experiences of the world through an im

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Approaches to Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Gestalt psychologists made substantial contributio...

Which of the following sequences best reflects the order of events in an experiment?

informed consent → debriefing → experiment

experiment → informed consent → debriefing

debriefing → informed consent → experiment

informed consent → experiment → debriefing

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme G. Ethical principles guide psychology research and practice.

APA Outcome : 3.1 Employ ethical standards in research, practice, and academic contexts

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.1: Explain the major ethical issues that confront psychologists conducting res

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Ethics

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following sequences best reflects the...

Which of the following subfields of psychology is correctly defined?

Cognitive psychology examines how people grow and change from conception through death.

Clinical psychology studies the processes of sensing, perceiving, learning, and thinking about the world.

Experimental psychology studies the inheritance of traits related to behavior.

Behavioral neuroscience examines the relationship between the nervous system and behavior.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following subfields of psychology is ...

Ursula is interested in helping students develop effective study practices and manage test anxiety. Her advisor suggests that she consider a career in _____ psychology.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme F. Applying psychological principles can change our lives, organizations, and c

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Medium

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Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Ursula is interested in helping students develop e...

What is a key characteristic of ethnographic research in psychology?

Researchers conduct controlled experiments to test hypotheses across cultures.

Researchers use machine learning to analyze large datasets from different cultures.

Researchers embed themselves in a culture to conduct in-depth interviews and observations.

Researchers focus only on studying behaviors that are common across all cultures.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Archival Research

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Naturalistic Observation

Topic : Case Studies

Topic : Survey Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is a key characteristic of ethnographic resea...

In comparison with a PsyD (doctor of psychology), a PhD (doctor of philosophy)

is earned by fewer people.

requires a medical degree.

requires a dissertation based on an original investigation.

is obtained by psychologists focusing exclusively on treating psychological disorders.

Question Details

APA Outcome : 5.3 Display effective judgment in professional interactions

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.3: List the major specialties for working in the field of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > In comparison with a PsyD (doctor of psychology), ...

A hypothesis is best defined as a

prediction, stemming from a theory, stated in a way that allows it to be tested.

variable that is specified on the basis of the procedures that will be used to measure it.

procedure in which subjects are asked to describe in detail what they are experiencing when exposed to a stimulus.

broad and general explanation of a phenomenon of interest.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Hypotheses

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > A hypothesis is best defined as a

Which of the following female psychologists is correctly matched with her achievement?

Margaret Floy Washburn: the first woman to receive a doctorate in psychology

June Etta: the first female president of the American Psychological Association

Leta Stetter Hollingworth: the founder of the *American Journal of Psychoanalysis*

Mary Calkins: the first woman to head a psychology department at a state university

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.1: Explain the roots of psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : History of Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following female psychologists is cor...

The_____ perspective of psychology, which evolved in part from structuralism and in part as a reaction to behaviorism, focuses on how people think, understand, and know about the world.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Cognitive Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The _____ perspective of psychology, which evol...

_____ is the idea that people's behavior is produced primarily by factors outside of their willful control.

Factualism

Determinism

Naturism

Vigilantism

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.4: Summarize psychology's key issues and controversies.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Key issues and controversies

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > _____ is the idea that people's behavior is pro...

What is the primary purpose of conducting a meta-analysis in psychological research?

to combine the results of many separate studies into one overall conclusion

to examine the effectiveness of a single, groundbreaking experiment

to identify which study among many has the most credible findings

to generate new hypotheses for future studies

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.4: Summarize the experimental research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Experimental Research

Topic : Replicated Research

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What is the primary purpose of conducting a me...

Which of the following scenarios describes the last step in the scientific method?

Anaya is developing a hypothesis to test a theory for her thesis.

Ashley is conducting a literature survey to identify credible sources of information.

Colt is trying to find a topic for his research paper.

Federico is publishing his research findings in a peer-reviewed journal.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Scientific Method

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following scenarios describes the las...

Dr. Alvarez is researching the role of nerve cell degeneration in the brain and its potential link to multiple sclerosis. Which subfield of psychology best describes Dr. Alvarez's focus?

program evaluation

cognitive

developmental

behavioral neuroscience

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Alvarez is researching the role of nerve ce...

Dr. MacGyvers is a developmental psychologist, Dr. Cooper is a cross-cultural psychologist, and Dr. Breaux is a cognitive psychologist. For each of these psychologists, briefly define the subfield in which he or she specializes and suggest one issue or question in which he or she might be especially interested.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

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Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. MacGyvers is a developmental psychologist, Dr....

Mily is in a recovery program for substance abuse that focuses on how environmental factors like social circle and locations influence drug use. This approach aligns with which perspective in psychology?

neuroscience

psychodynamic

behavioral

cognitive

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

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Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Behavioral Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Mily is in a recovery program for substance abus...

The psychological perspective that B. F. Skinner is most associated with has influenced diverse fields, from treating mental disorders to addressing drug addiction. This perspective is known as the _____.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Behavioral Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The psychological perspective that B. F. Skinner is m...

Why is the term "experimental psychologist" considered somewhat misleading?

Experimental methods are only appropriate for the study of the biological bases of behavior.

Most psychological topics are not suited to experimental study.

Psychologists in every subfield use experimental methods.

The term is no longer in existence.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Why is the term "experimental psychologist consid...

What distinguishes clinical psychologists from counseling psychologists?

Clinical psychologists have a PhD or an MD degree, whereas counseling psychologists have a PsyD degree.

Counseling psychologists may specialize in forensic psychology, whereas clinical psychologists do not have the opportunity to specialize.

Counseling psychologists deal with problems that are more specific than the problems with which clinical psychologists deal.

Clinical psychologists can only diagnose psychological disorders, as opposed to counseling psychologists who can diagnose and treat psychological disorders.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme F. Applying psychological principles can change our lives, organizations, and c

APA Outcome : 5.3 Display effective judgment in professional interactions

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > What distinguishes clinical psychologists from cou...

The emphasis of the humanistic perspective is on

unconscious motives.

environmental determinism.

natural selection.

free will.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme B. Psychology explains general principles that govern behavior while recognizin

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Humanistic Approach

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > The emphasis of the humanistic perspective is on

Based on the current trends and challenges in the field of psychology, which of the following statements is NOT accurate?

In the United States, only about 16 percent of all professionally active psychologists belong to racial minority groups.

The research contributions of psychologists in the United States make up the majority of the world's psychology research.

In the United States, women make up 70 percent of the psychology workforce, and about 75 percent of psychology graduate students are female.

Female psychologists in the United States have surpassed their male counterparts in terms of salaries, career advancement, and high-status positions.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme D. Psychology values diversity, promotes equity, and fosters inclusion in pursu

APA Outcome : 2.3 Incorporate sociocultural factors in scientific research practices

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.3: List the major specialties for working in the field of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Based on the current trends and challeng...

Dr. Ebrahim studies the changes in peer relationships among children through the elementary and middle-school years. Dr. Ebrahim is a(n)_____ psychologist.

evolutionary

counseling

developmental

forensic

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.

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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work

Topic : Profession of Psychology

Topic : Subfields of Psychology

Module: 1: Psychologists at Work

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Ebrahim studies the changes in peer relationsh...

Individual differences are to universal principles as the _____ perspective is to the _____ perspective.

humanistic; neuroscience

cognitive; behavioral

behavioral; cognitive

neuroscience; humanistic

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Intro SLO : Theme B. Psychology explains general principles that govern behavior while recognizin

APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Remember

Difficulty : Easy

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.4: Summarize psychology's key issues and controversies.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Key issues and controversies

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Individual differences are to universal principles...

Which of the following accurately describes the neuroscience perspective in psychology?

The neuroscience perspective includes the study of heredity and evolution, which considers how heredity may influence behavior.

Proponents of the neuroscience perspective rejected psychology's early emphasis on the internal workings of the mind.

The neuroscience perspective has little appeal because every behavior ultimately can be broken down into its biological components.

The origins of the neuroscience perspective are linked to Sigmund Freud.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.

APA Intro SLO : Theme C. Psychological, biological, social, and cultural factors influence mental pro

APA Outcome : 1.1 Describe key concepts, principles, and theories in psychological science

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 2.2: Discuss today's perspectives on psychology.

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Section : 2: A Science Evolves

Topic : Approaches to Psychology

Module: 2: A Science Evolves

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following accurately describes the neur...

Evelyn, a psychology graduate, watches parent-child interactions in a park. She simply records what she sees and does not introduce any change in the scenario. The research method she uses is known as

archival research.

naturalistic observation.

survey research.

experimentation.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Naturalistic Observation

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Evelyn, a psychology graduate, watches parent-chil...

Research in which existing data, such as census documents, college records, and newspaper clippings, are examined to test a hypothesis is known as

experimental research.

archival research.

naturalistic research.

a case study.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.
APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.
APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research
Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC
Bloom's : Remember
Difficulty : Easy
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Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.
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Section : 3: Research in Psychology
Topic : Archival Research
Topic : Descriptive Research
Module: 3: Research in Psychology
Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Research in which existing data, such as census do...

Dr. Thibodeaux examines the processes of sensing, perceiving, learning, and thinking about the world. She is a(n)_____ psychologist.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.1. Define and explain basic psychological concepts.
APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de
APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems
APA Outcome : 1.2 Develop a working knowledge of psychology's major subfields
Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC
Bloom's : Apply
Difficulty : Medium
Evergreen Release : Updated 2024
Learning Objective : 1.2: Describe the subfields of psychology.
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Section : 1: Psychologists at Work
Topic : Subfields of Psychology
Module: 1: Psychologists at Work
Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Dr. Thibodeaux examines the processes of sensing, ...

Which of the following guidelines is true of the use of nonhuman animals in experiments?

Researchers must only choose nonhuman subjects that have a short life span.

Researchers may avoid exerting any experimental control over the research animals.

Researchers may use procedures that subject animals to distress even if alternative procedures are available.

Researchers must minimize discomfort, illness, and pain for the animals.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme G. Ethical principles guide psychology research and practice.

APA Outcome : 3.1 Employ ethical standards in research, practice, and academic contexts

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Understand

Difficulty : Medium

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 4.2: Discuss the issues related to testing on animals.

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Section : 4: Research Challenges

Topic : Animals in Research

Module: 4: Research Challenges

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following guidelines is true of the u...

Which of the following is NOT a potential pitfall of survey research?

Unrepresentative samples may skew the results.

Respondents may not admit to socially undesirable attitudes.

Respondents may not be consciously aware of their true attitudes.

Surveys are unable to provide accurate predictions even with a small but representative sample.

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : 1.3. Apply psychological principles to personal growth and other aspects of everyday

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Intro SLO : 2.1. Describe the advantages and limitations of various research strategies.

APA Outcome : 1.4 Apply psychological content to solve practical problems

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

Accessibility : Screen Reader/Keyboard/CC

Bloom's : Apply

Difficulty : Hard

Evergreen Release : Updated 2024

Learning Objective : 3.3: Summarize the descriptive research method used by psychologists.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

Topic : Descriptive Research

Topic : Case Studies

Module: 3: Research in Psychology

Source : Chapter 01: Test Bank > Which of the following is NOT a potential pitfa...

_____ are broad explanations and predictions concerning observations of interest.

Theories

Suppositions

Hypotheses

Introspections

Question Details

APA Intro SLO : Theme A. Psychological science relies on empirical evidence and adapts as new data de

APA Intro SLO : 2.2. Evaluate, design, or conduct, psychological research.

APA Outcome : 2.2 Interpret, design, and evaluate psychological research

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Learning Objective : 3.1: Define the scientific method, and list the steps involved.

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Section : 3: Research in Psychology

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Answer Key

Test name: Ch1_Psychology and Your Life with_4e

A

B

C

C

B

C

functionalism

C

C

double-blind

Short Answer

Students' examples may vary.

The answer should include the following information:

Any event or topic can be mentioned as long as it is plausibly connected to two of the perspectives as they are defined in the text. For instance, consider school violence as a suggested topic of public interest. A behavioral approach might focus on a history of being reinforced for aggressive behavior, or on having witnessed media models being reinforced for aggressive behavior. A humanistic approach might suggest that violent students are often loners, of relatively low status, or powerless in their peer group and thus resort to drastic measures to gain power or control, or respect.

A

C

C

D

A

A

A

C

B

A

D

Short Answer

The answer should include the following information:

The answer should mention both(a) the manipulation of an independent variable and(b) the random assignment of participants to groups. The effects on the dependent variable of the treatment—the manipulation of the independent variable—are compared to the effects of no manipulation, in the control group. If a difference is observed, the independent variable may have an effect.

Random assignment to groups minimizes the likelihood that the participants in the control group differ systematically from the participants in the experimental group, and therefore it helps rule out such differences as potential causes of any difference observed between groups in the dependent variable.

C

D

D

D

B

A

A

B

C

A

D

D

A

C

determinism

D

Short Answer

The answer should include the following information:

Validity researchers might face the following threats:(a) Participant expectations:

Participants should not know whether they receive the medication or not, so that the apparent effects of the drug do not reflect the participants' belief in its efficacy. A placebo should be given in the no-medication group.(b) Experimenter expectations: The experimenter should not know which participants receive the medication so that the apparent effects of the drug do not reflect the experimenter's belief in its efficacy. A double-blind procedure should be used.

Psychologists typically use a procedure in which all the participants receive a treatment, but those in the control group receive only a placebo, a false treatment, such as a pill, "drug," or other substance, that has no significant chemical properties or active ingredient. Because members of both groups are kept in the dark about whether they are getting a real or a false treatment, any differences in outcome can be attributed to the quality of the drug and not to the possible psychological effects of being administered a pill or other substance. However, there is one more safeguard that a careful researcher must apply in an experiment such as this one. To overcome the possibility that experimenter expectations will affect the participant, the person who administers the drug should not know whether it is actually the true drug or a placebo. By keeping both the participant and the experimenter who interacts with the participant "blind" to the nature of the drug that is being administered, researchers can more accurately assess the effects of the drug. This method is known as the double-blind procedure.

A

C

A

B

C

C

Short Answer

Students' examples may vary.

The answer should include the following information: As in many scientific fields, social prejudices hindered women's participation in the early development of psychology. For example, many universities would not even admit women to their graduate psychology programs in the early 1900s. Despite the hurdles they faced, women made notable contributions to psychology, although their impact on the field was largely overlooked until recently. For example, Margaret Floy Washburn (1871–1939) was the first woman to receive a doctorate in psychology, and she did important work on animal behavior. Leta Stetter Hollingworth (1886–1939) was one of the first psychologists to focus on child development and on women's issues. She collected data to refute the view, popular in the early 1900s, that women's abilities periodically declined during parts of the menstrual cycle. Mary Calkins (1863–1930), who studied memory in the early part of the twentieth century, became the first female president of the American Psychological Association. Karen Horney (1885–1952) focused on the social and cultural factors behind personality. She was also the founder of the *American Journal of Psychoanalysis*. June Etta Downey (1875–1932) spearheaded the study of personality traits and became the first woman to head a psychology department at a state university. Anna Freud (1895–1982), the daughter of Sigmund Freud, also made notable contributions to the treatment of abnormal behavior, and Mamie Phipps Clark (1917–1983) carried out pioneering work on how children of color grew to recognize racial differences. Her research, conducted with her husband Kenneth Clark, influenced several school-desegregation court cases, including the famous Supreme Court ruling in *Brown vs. Board of Education* in 1954.

clinical neuropsychology

D

A

B

C

PsyD (doctor of psychology)

B

C

D

B

C

Short Answer

Students' examples may vary.

The answer should include the following information:

The vast majority of psychologists in the United States are white, which indicates the field's lack of diversity. Only around 16 percent of all professionally active psychologists are members of racial minority groups. The underrepresentation of racial and ethnic minorities among psychologists is troubling for several reasons. First, the field of psychology is diminished by a lack of the diverse perspectives and talents that minority-group members can provide. Furthermore, minority-group psychologists serve as role models for members of minority communities, and their underrepresentation in the profession might deter other minority-group members from entering the field. Finally, because members of minority groups often prefer to receive psychological therapy from treatment providers of their own race or ethnic group, the rarity of minority psychologists can discourage some members of minority groups from seeking treatment.

C

C

B

B

B

A

A

C

B

B

B

B

D

D

D

counseling

C

C

A

A

cognitive

B

A

D

D

Short Answer

Students' examples may vary.

The answer should include the following information:

Developmental psychology: The field of developmental psychology examines how people grow and change throughout the life span. An issue or question that Dr. MacGyvers may be interested in as a developmental psychologist is how children's problem-solving abilities change through the elementary and middle-school years.

Cross-cultural psychology: The field of cross-cultural psychology examines the similarities and differences in psychological functioning among various cultures. An issue or question that Dr. Cooper may be interested in as a cross-cultural psychologist is whether depression is experienced and expressed differently in Asian cultures than in Western cultures. Cognitive psychology: The field of cognitive psychology studies higher mental processes, such as memory, thinking, problem solving, decision making, and language. An issue or question that Dr. Breaux may be interested in as a cognitive psychologist is how the memory of an event is influenced by subsequent experiences.

C

behavioral

C

C

D

D

C

A

A

B

B

experimental

D

D

A