

PSY101: GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY

Course Overview: This is an introductory survey course acquainting the student with the procedures, principles, theories and vocabulary of psychology as a science. | 3 credits

Topics are examined from a variety of perspectives: psychodynamic, biological, cognitive, behavioral, social-cultural and Christian. Students will develop critical and insightful thinking skills through reading, writing and discussions.

Grading:

Discussions & Journals	25%
Quizzes & learning inventories	25%
Written assignments	25%
Project	25%

Is this a Christian Psychology course? We encourage the student to think and respond from a biblical

COURSE SCHEDULE

Week	Course readings and videos	Assignments
Week 1: Introduction to Psychology	What is Psychology? History of Psychology Careers in Psychology	Background knowledge probe Discussion – pray & chat intros Learning inventory
Week 2: Psychological research	Why is research important? Analyzing research	Journal post Learning inventory/quiz

Week 3: Biopsychology

This is a sample course schedule and the actual course layout could change each term.