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Summer Assignment: The History, Ideologies, and Research Methods of Psychology

For your assignment this summer, the plan is for you to build your background knowledge of Psychology so that you are prepared to apply your understanding and be ready to share your perspective once we begin the 2022-23 school year.

You are to read the first two chapters of our text (it is online and already posted in our classroom), then 1) annotate the content on lined paper or a google doc that you can print out at some point. Feel free to use whatever annotation style that works best for you: traditional notes, Cornell style, a hybrid of both, or your own custom style. Annotations should include the main idea(s), supporting ideas, and any content you feel would be helpful and important to understanding the chapter content.

Next, you are to make note cards for each of the bold faced content vocabulary words that you encounter within those first two chapters. Most students use the 3x5 traditional sized note cards, writing the term on one side and its definition on the opposite side. Some students cut the note cards in half, giving them a 2.5"x3" note card and doubling the number of note cards that have to use. Choose whichever you are most comfortable using, even if you end up using printer paper, as long as they are separate cards with the term on one side and definition on the other.

Lastly, you are to construct a visual graphic organizer/ overview of the chapter once you are done with the other two steps. The graphic organizer should be completed on computer paper/printer paper, represent a condensed version of your notes and be a visual overview of the chapter that you will need for review. You will use the graphic organizer as a study guide for your Ch.1 test and also eventually, to review for the AP Psych national exam in May 2023.

You will need do these three steps for BOTH Ch.1 and 2 content, from the online Myers text that I have supplied.

Good Luck!

The due date posted is for the Ch.1 material completion. The Ch.2 material due date will be 9/28.