

Dear AP Psychology Student,

We are excited and pleased that you have decided to enroll in Advanced Placement Psychology for the upcoming school year. Your summer assignment for this year includes taking notes on Chapters 1 and 12 from your AP textbook, *Psychology: Concepts and Applications (handout provided)*. The notes can be typed or hand written, your choice! <u>A test on both chapters will be given during the first full week of school in September.</u>

You must also complete the <u>mandatory summer assignments</u>. The assignments are on the following website. <u>The website will NOT be active until after JUNE 27<sup>th</sup></u>, but after that time you will be able to access the information.

- Go to wtps.learning.powerschool.com
- Sign in using your Microsoft Office 365
  - (You CANNOT use the PowerSchool Learning Account)
- Find the AP Psychology Folder
  - The letter you received today and the assignments will be there!

The summer assignments <u>must be typed and are individual assignments.</u> <u>This means you</u> <u>CANNOT share and copy information with other students or plagiarize off of internet resources</u>. All work that is copied will result in an automatic zero for all assignments in accordance to the school district's academic integrity policy found on page 9 of your handbook. <u>No written work</u> <u>will be accepted.</u> Please read all directions on the charts carefully!

## Grading:

This summer assignment will be graded using a set rubric and will count as 3 separate homework grades. Once the content from this assignment is reviewed in class a major assessment in the form of a test will be given.

## Due Date:

Summer work is due Monday, September 9th

## **Purpose**:

The purpose of this summer assignment is to emphasize the requisite skills and depth of knowledge for students to ensure that all students begin the year prepared for the challenges of the individual course

## Good luck and we look forward to teaching you about the science of psychology next school year!

Please feel free to email us at any time over the summer if you have questions or concerns! Sincerely,

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