Eastern WV Community & Technical College Master Course Record

Course Prefix and Number: PSY 200
Course Title: General Psychology

Recommended Transcript Title: General Psychology

Date Approved/Revised: June 30, 2005; October 5, 2007; 8-3-17; 8-21-17

Credit Hours: 3

Contact hours per week (Based on 15 week term)

Lecture: 3 Lab:

Prerequisite: None Corequisite: None Pre/Corequisite: None

Grading Mode: Letter Grade

Catalog Description: This course introduces students to the principles and methods of the scientific study of human behavior.

Course Outcomes:

Students will be able to:

- 1. Summarize basic psychological theories, concepts and principles and how they are influenced by various factors such as biological, cognitive, developmental, environmental and social processes
- 2. Describe the empirical nature of scientific inquiry and employ basic research procedures used within the field of psychology
- 3. Summarize key ethical issues encountered in conducting research and making use of research findings
- 4. Recognize the key components of critical thinking and apply critical thinking skills to scholarly and popular media
- 5. Assess the historical and cultural influences on basic psychological processes, research findings and psychological theories
- 6. Evaluate the relevance and practical application of psychological knowledge to their everyday lives

Implementation Cycle: Fall/Spring

Role in College Curriculum: (Check all that apply)

Ξ General Education Core (Specify category) - Social Science

Technical Core (Specify Program) Restricted Elective (Specify program)

General Elective Workforce Education Other (Please specify)

Course Fee: None

Instructor's Qualifications: Master's Degree plus 18 graduate level psychology

credits.

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Expanded Course Description:

This class is designed to provide a basic overview of methodologies, theories and application of the science of animal and human behavior. Students will learn and discuss basic psychological principles and examine current thinking about: development, personality, sensation and perception, thinking and intelligence, learning, psychological disorders, treatment and motivation.

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