

Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: EDUC-131 General Psychology

Department: Education

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
EDUC-131	General Psychology	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Fall	42	None
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Education	Lower Division	Greek

Course Description

What is psychology. Branches of psychology. Psychological methods. The cognitive aspect of psychological life: senses, perception, cognition, memory, imagination, thinking and intelligence. The emotional aspect: emotions. The biological aspect: instincts, needs, drives, desires, habits, will. Attention and interest. Conscience and the subconscious. The main psychological theories.

Instructor

Dr Agni Stylianou

Course Aims and Objectives

The aim of the course is to help students develop understanding and critical thinking of the main concepts and ideas of the basic approaches to Psychology and their application in their work and in their relationship with children.

Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures and practical exercises and assignments.

Course Teaching Hours

42 hours. The course is delivered during the Fall semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

Evaluation and Grading

Homework: 20%
Mid-Term: 30%
Final Exam: 40%
Participation: 10%

Readings and Resources

Required Textbook

Vosniadou, St. (1991). Introduction to psychology. Athens: Gutenberg.