

Psychology Class Expectations

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Daily Materials

1. Planner
2. Spiral notebook for Psychology class
3. Pen and/or pencils
4. Three ring binder or folder for handouts
5. Loose leaf paper

Daily Procedures

1. Students will come to class prepared to participate and learn.
2. Students will not bring food or drinks into the classroom other than water.
3. Students will turn off their cell phone before class, and will not use it in any way during class.

Attendance

1. Students who have an excused absence (parents must call the attendance office to excuse an absence) are responsible for turning in or completing assignments on the day they return to school. Mr. Wright **will not** seek out the student and tell the student what he/she missed. Mr. Wright **will** explain or clarify any assignment listed on the webpage/calendar for which the student does not understand how to complete. (Mr. Wright may modify for extended excused absences)

2. Students who have an **unexcused** absence will receive **no credit** for any work (class activities, tests, homework, class projects, quizzes) they missed on the day(s) that they were absent. Students are responsible for this information in the future even if they choose not to complete the missed assignments. Students will be referred to their grade level principal.

Tardy Policy

Students are expected to be in their seat when the bell rings. Students who are not will be marked tardy.

- * 1st tardy = verbal warning (*one per semester*).
- * 2nd tardy = conference with Mr. Wright and detention.
- * 3rd tardy = conference with Mr. Wright, lowering of citizenship grade, and detention.
- * 4th tardy = detention and referral to grade level principal.

Classroom Behavior

Students will conduct themselves in a respectful manner.

- * 1st offense = verbal warning.
- * 2nd offense = conference with Mr. Wright.
- * 3rd offense = conference with Mr. Wright, detention, lowering of citizenship grade, phone call home, and referral to grade level principal.

Components of Student's Grade

1. Homework quizzes
2. Class projects
3. Seminar discussions/writing
4. Participation
5. Unit tests

Grading Scale

At the end of each grading period all points will be calculated and the appropriate grade will be assigned.

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| 90% - 100% | A |
| 80% - 89% | B |
| 70% - 79% | C |
| 60% - 69% | D |
| 59% or lower | F |

Late Work Policy

1. Students **will not** receive full credit for late assignments. Assignments are due at the beginning of the class period and are considered late thereafter. Special circumstances will be considered.

Expectations for Academic Integrity

In keeping with the traditions and mission statement of Parkway West High School, all students are expected to respect the academic integrity of this course and its participants. Students are to complete all assignments and assessments according to the guidelines the teacher has deemed appropriate for the task (i.e. individually, with a partner, or within a larger group). Academic dishonesty, including (but not limited to) copying other students' work or allowing other students to copy your work; previewing, sharing, or receiving information from a test or quiz without the teacher's authorization; using prepared materials without approval, and plagiarism (intentionally or unintentionally using another person's work without giving credit to that person) are unacceptable behaviors. Any of these actions, or any other that subverts the academic integrity of this course, may result in a grade of zero (0); a conference with the teacher, parents, and / or administration; a "U" in citizenship; and / or other consequences deemed appropriate by the teacher.