

AP® Psychology is a one-semester course that provides an overview of current psychological research methods and theories. Students will explore the therapies used by professional counselors and clinical psychologists and examine the reasons for normal human reactions: how people learn and think, the process of human development, and human aggression, altruism, intimacy, and self-reflection. They will study core psychological concepts, such as the brain and sense functions, and learn to gauge human reactions, gather information, and form meaningful syntheses. Along the way, students will also investigate relevant concepts like study skills and information retention. The equivalent of an introductory college-level survey course, AP® Psychology prepares students for the AP® exam and for further studies in psychology or life sciences.

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Length: One Semester

**Unit 1: History and Perspectives of Psychology**

**Unit 2: Perception and Consciousness**

**Unit 3: Thinking and Feeling**

**Unit 4: Development Testing and Individual Differences**

**Unit 5: Abnormal Psychology and Social Psychology**

**Unit 6: Course Review and Exam**