

A2 Psychology Summer Homework



Using your course text book and / or the websites below research the following debates in psychology:

Free will vs determinism

Nature vs nurture

Holism vs reductionism

Idiographic vs nomothetic

Apply each of these debates to the key approaches in the form of a poster / mind map / flash cards / linear notes. Key approaches you need to cover are Behaviourist, cognitive, and biological.

You should spend at least 2 hours researching the debates and a further 2 hours applying these to the approaches. Try to use as much evaluation (strengths and limitations) as you can in your finished piece of work.

<https://www.simplypsychology.org/psychology-debates.html>

<https://www.tutor2u.net/psychology/reference/test8-aqa-alevel-psychology-issues-debates>

<https://www.psychologistworld.com/issues/approaches-in-psychology>

<https://www.simplypsychology.org/perspective.html>