

Match the psychological perspective with the best definition of the perspective. CHOOSE A LETTER (A, B, C, etc.) FROM THE LIST ON THE RIGHT AND PUT THE LETTER ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE PAGE NEXT TO THE CORRECT STATEMENT NUMBER

___ 1. Psychodynamic (Freudian)

___ 2. Behavioral

___ 3. Neuroscience

___ 4. Evolutionary

___ 5. Behavior genetics

___ 6. Cognitive

___ 7. Socio-cultural

___ 8. Humanist

- A)** How behavior is shaped by unconscious drives and conflicts
- B)** How does behavior and thinking change in different situations (different countries, ethnic groups, etc.)?
- C)** How do humans encode, store, and process information?
- D)** Scientific observation and control of how a person acts in response to a particular situation or stimulus.
- E)** How are messages transmitted in the body? How does blood chemistry affect moods / motives?
- F)** How environment can help growth potential of people. Holistic view of behavior
- G)** How much does natural selection of traits result in human genetics?
- H)** How much are individual personalities caused by environment vs. inherited characteristics?

Match these major parts of the brain with the best definition. CHOOSE A LETTER (A, B, C, etc.) FROM THE LIST ON THE RIGHT AND PUT THE LETTER ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE PAGE NEXT TO THE CORRECT STATEMENT NUMBER

___ 1. frontal lobe

___ 2. parietal lobes

___ 3. occipital lobe

___ 4. temporal lobe

___ 5. left hemisphere

___ 6. right hemisphere

- A)** spatial abilities, perception of emotions, thinking in wholes, the "big picture"
- B)** dedicated to vision and contains the primary visual area
- C)** associates / integrates information; includes the primary somatosensory area
- D)** planning, evaluating, speaking; contains primary motor area
- E)** contains the limbic system and the primary auditory area
- F)** verbal abilities, logic, thinking in pieces and details

Match the research term/concept with its correct definition. CHOOSE A LETTER (A, B, C, etc.) FROM THE LIST ON THE RIGHT AND PUT THE LETTER ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE PAGE NEXT TO THE CORRECT STATEMENT NUMBER

___ 1. operational definition

___ 2. population

___ 3. correlation

___ 4. random assignment

___ 5. independent variable

___ 6. dependent variable

___ 7. control group

___ 8. descriptive research method

- A)** participants in a study that experience a standard or normal situation
- B)** the whole group that the research is studying; the research study usually selects only some participants from the population
- C)** a research method that finds the relationship between variables; does NOT prove that one variable causes another
- D)** the measurement of some characteristic or behavior; this result is used to compare groups after the researcher has given each group a different experience
- E)** observing and recording behavior without the experimenter manipulating (changing) anything
- F)** used in putting participants into different groups in a research study
- G)** differences in what each group experiences in a study (Group 1, Group 2, etc.)
- H)** a statement of the way variables are defined and tested in a research study

Answer Key

1. A
2. D
3. E
4. G
5. H
6. C
7. B
8. F
1. D
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8. E