Year 12 Psychology Transition Tasks

Activity 1

Read the AQA A Level Psychology specification.

AQA | AS and A-level | Psychology | Specification at a glance

Activity 2

Watch and make notes on the following video about the 'History of Psychology'.

Introduction to Psychology

Activity 3

Find the definitions of the following psychological terms

Study Notes | Reference Library | Psychology | tutor2u

- Nature
- Nurture
- Freewill
- Determinism
- Reductionism
- Holism
- Idiographic
- Nomothetic
- Gender bias
- Cultural bias

Activity 4

Research the following psychologists from the list below. Make a note of the topic area they studied and what they found out

- Stanley Milgram
- Philip Zimbardo
- Elizabeth Loftus
- Mary Ainsworth

- Sigmund Freud
- Abraham Maslow

Activity 5

Read the British Psychological Society Code of Ethics and Conduct.

Code of Ethics and Conduct | BPS - British Psychological Society

How can psychologists ensure they uphold the principles of respect, competence, responsibility, and integrity?

Activity 6

Watch the following video about 'Research Methods in Psychology.'

Psychological Research

If you could conduct a research project on anything in Psychology, what would you investigate and why?

How would you investigate your chosen topic? Consider the participants and the steps involved in the procedure.