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Psychology 360: Social Psychology Spring 2014 Syllabus

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GENERAL INFORMATION

A. Accommodation of Students with Disabilities: In accordance with the University of Montana's mission to provide equal educational opportunities for all students, I am willing to provide necessary accommodations for students with disabilities. If you require any accommodations, please make these known to me, and I will work with the office of Disability Services in adapting this course.

B. Academic Misconduct: You are expected to adhere to the university's student conduct code with regard to academic integrity. Academic misconduct in this course will result in an academic penalty commensurate with the offense as well as possible disciplinary action by the university.

C. Incompletes: Departmental and university policies regarding incompletes do not allow changing "incomplete" grades after one year has passed since the "I" was granted.

D. Pre-requisite: Psych 100 or consent of instructor.

E. *All students must practice academic honesty. Academic misconduct is subject to an academic penalty by the course instructor and/or a disciplinary sanction by the University. All students need to be familiar with the Student Conduct Code. The Code is available for review online at <http://www.umt.edu/SA/VPSA/index.cfm/page/1321>.*

F. Announcements: Students are responsible for any announcements made in class. These may include changes in policy, due dates, assignment requirements, etc.

CLASS NOTES

An abridged outline of material covered in class will be posted to Moodle. Beyond those notes, no further information regarding specifics of what was covered in class will be made available.

SOURCES OF POINTS

Exams:

There will be four exams, each worth 40 points.

In-Class Activities:

Throughout the term there will be several unannounced in-class activities. These activities will be worth between 2 and 10 points, depending on the activity.

Extra Credit:

Research participation. Details will be announced soon.

GRADING SCALE

Exam 1: 40 Points

Exam 2: 40 Points

Exam 3: 40 Points

Exam 4: 40 Points

In-Class Activities: 75 Points

Total: 235 Points Possible

A:	90% or higher
B+:	86-89%
B:	83-85%
B-:	80-82%
C+:	76-79%
C:	73-75%
C-:	70-72%
D+:	66-69%
D:	63-65%
D-:	60-62%
F:	59% and below

*Decimal places equal to or greater than ".5" up (so a total of 89.5% will be an "A"); beyond this, the grade you receive will be whatever the numbers say, **NO EXCEPTIONS** (so an 89.4% will be a "B+").

DATE	READINGS AND EXAMS
Tuesday, Jan 28	Syllabus, Introductions
Thursday, Jan 30	Chapters 1 & 2
Tuesday, Feb 4	Chapter 3
Thursday, Feb 6	Chapters 4 & 5
Tuesday, Feb 11	Chapters 4 & 5
Thursday, Feb 13	NO CLASS
Tuesday, Feb 18	Exam 1 (Chapters 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
Thursday, Feb 20	Chapter 6
Tuesday, Feb 25	Chapter 6 & 7
Thursday, Feb 27	Chapter 7
Tuesday, Mar 4	Chapter 7 & 8
Thursday, Mar 6	Chapters 8
Tuesday, Mar 11	Exam 2 (Chapters 6, 7, 8)
Thursday, Mar 13	Chapter 9
Tuesday, Mar 18	Chapter 9
Thursday, Mar 20	Chapter 10
Tuesday, Mar 25	Chapter 10
Thursday, Mar 27	Chapter 11
Tuesday, April 1	NO CLASS
Thursday, April 3	NO CLASS
Tuesday, April 8	Chapter 11
Thursday, April 10	Exam 3 (Chapters 9, 10, 11)
Tuesday, April 15	Chapter 12
Thursday, April 17	Chapter 12
Tuesday, April 22	Chapter 13
Thursday, April 24	Chapter 13
Tuesday, April 29	Chapter 14
Thursday, May 1	Chapters 14
Tuesday, May 6	Review
Thursday, May 8	Exam 4 (Chapters 12, 13, 14)