

Psychology Course Outline (Period 7)

Fall 2026

McGee

Week 1:

Aug. 19: Texts, copies and intro comments

20: Intro to Big 5 Questions of Psychology

21: Big 5

Week 2:

Aug. 24: Finish with Big 5 Questions and Intro Plato

25: Republic Intro: Why we study Plato

Republic 1-2

27: Republic 3-4

R/W Assessment Packet #1: 3 Things you hope to learn in this class

Week 3:

Aug. 31: Republic 5

September 1: Republic 6-7

3: Republic 8-9

R/W Assessment Packet #2: Where are you regarding Plato's Cave Allegory?

Week 4: (No School Monday, Sep. 7)

Sep. 8: Republic 10

10: Aristotle's Poetics: Intro to Greek Drama and why we study it

Sophocles' Oedipus and Antigone

R/W Assessment Packet #3: A Platonic Critique of your education

Week 5:

Sep. 14: Euripides' Bacchantes

15: Marcus Aurelius' Meditations

17: The Psychology Textbook: pages 1-8: Why Study Psychology? (You are expected to have your notes already done and brought to class!)

R/W Assessment Packet #4: 3 favorite passages from Meditations

Week 6:

Sep. 21: 8-13

22: 13-19

24: 19-29

R/W Assessment Packet #5: Respond to one idea from Module 1-2

Week 7: (No School, Friday, Oct. 2)

Sep. 28: 30-41

29: Chapter 1 Assessment

October 1: R/W Assessment Packet #6: Essay Question on Page 38 (Be prepared to present your essay to the class)

Week 8:

October 5 42-48

6: 48-56

8: 57-66

R/W Assessment Packet #7: Respond to one idea from Module 3-4

Week 9: (End of Qr. 1)

Oct. 12: 66-69

13: 70-79

15: Chapter 2 Assessment

R/W Assessment Packet #8: Essay Question on Page 76 (Be prepared to present your essay to the class)

Week 10: (No School, Friday, Oct. 23)

Oct. 19: 80-85

20: 85-95

22: 95-103

R/W Assessment Packet #9: Respond to one idea from Module 5-7

Week 11:

Oct. 26: 104-110

27: 110-120

29: Chapter 3 Assessment

R/W Assessment Packet #10: Essay Question on Page 117 (Be prepared to present your essay to the class)

Week 12:

November 2: 121-125

3: 125-135

5: 136-145

R/W Assessment Packet #11: Respond to one idea from Module 8-9

Week 13:

Nov. 9: 145-153

10: Chapter 4 Assessment

12: R/W Assessment Packet #12: Essay Question on Page 150 (Be prepared to present your essay to the class)

Week 14:

Nov. 16: 154-160

17: 161-167

19: 167-175

R/W Assessment Packet #13: Respond to one idea from Module 10-11

Week 15: (Thanksgiving Week)

Nov. 23: 175-178

24: 179-186

25: 186-196

R/W Assessment Packet #14: Essay Question on Page 193 (Be prepared to present your essay to the class)

Week 16:

Nov. 30: Outline final project

December 1: Working on final project

3: Working on final paper

Week 17:

Dec. 7: Working on final project

8: Working on final project

10: Working on final project

Week 18: (Finals Week)

Dec. 14: Present final project

15: Present final project

16-18: Finals