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Guided Reading Activity 1-3

Do not major in Psychology!

Psychology as a Profession

For use with textbook pages 24-28

Directions: Recalling the Facts Use the information in your textbook to answer the questions.

1. What is a psychologist? people trained to observe, analyze, evaluate, and treat behavior

2. What are the two most popular subfields of psychology? clinical, counseling

3. What is the difference between a psychologist and a psychiatrist? psychiatrist is a medical professional, psychologist is not

4. Which type of psychologist studies physical, emotional, cognitive, and social changes that occur throughout life? developmental psychologist

5. Which type of psychologist studies the behavior of employees in businesses? organizational psychologist

6. Which type of psychologist assists the police in creating profiles of criminal offenders? forensic psychologist
- personality profiles (serial killers)

7. What do experimental psychologists provide? information and research used in psychology
(Ex. - Milgram, Pavlov, etc.) Skinner

8. What is the APA? American Psychological Association
- professional organization of psychologists
- founded in 1892

9. How is the APA organized? 52 divisions, each representing a specific area, type of work, research setting, or activity

10. What types of questions do psychologists seek to answer? What happens during sleep?
Can memory be improved? What causes psychological breakdowns?
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Clinical = 1/2 of all psychologist
Clinical - diagnoses + treats
Counsel - helps people with life
Education Psychologist - helps with learning, motivation, problem solving

- boost moral
- increase productivity (The Natural)

Jack The Ripper

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