

## **PSYC-2220 COGNITIVE PSYCHOLOGY 3 CREDITS**

### **SYLLABUS**

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#### **CATALOG DESCRIPTION**

The course provides an overview of human cognitive processes such as attention, perception, memory, language, categorization, decision making, reasoning, and problem solving. Includes methods, theories, and applications

Formerly: PSYC-286

Prerequisites: PSYC-1110. (RDNG-099 OR RDNG-113) and ENGL-099 or appropriate Reading and English Accuplacer scores.

Semester Offered: On Demand

#### ***COMMON STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES***

*Upon successful completion of San Juan College programs and degrees, the student will demonstrate competency in...*

##### **BROAD AND SPECIALIZED LEARNING**

Students will actively and independently acquire, apply, and adapt skills and knowledge with an awareness of global contexts.

##### **CRITICAL THINKING**

Students will think analytically and creatively to explore ideas, make connections, draw conclusions and solve problems.

##### **CULTURAL AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**

Students will act purposefully, reflectively, and ethically in diverse and complex environments.

##### **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

Students will exchange ideas and information with clarity in multiple contexts.

##### **INFORMATION LITERACY**

Students will be able to recognize when information is needed and have the ability to locate, evaluate, and use it effectively.

##### **INTEGRATING TECHNOLOGIES**

Students will demonstrate fluency in the application and use of technologies in multiple contexts.

Student work from this class may be randomly selected and used anonymously for assessment of course, program, and/or institutional learning outcomes. For more information, please refer to the Dean of the appropriate School.

#### **COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES**

*Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to...*

#### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

A copy of this approved syllabus is on file in the dean's office.  
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1. Demonstrate knowledge of the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in cognitive psychology.
2. Apply your knowledge of cognitive psychology to personal, social and organizational issues.
3. Critically evaluate empirical evidence in cognitive psychology.
4. Demonstrate use of correct terminology in cognitive psychology through written and oral communication.