

PSYC 2600 - Social Psychology

Fall 2026 Syllabus, Section 02, CRN 42802,

Credit hours: 3

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Course Description

2600. Social Psychology. Examination of the influence of social interactions on the thoughts, feelings, and behaviors of the individual and the group. 3 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
Required	Connect access for Social Psychology Evergreen Release.	Myers, D.G. & Twenge, J.M. (2025)	9781264765560

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

Schedule of Topics and Assignments

Day	Date	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
Mon	8/24	Syllabus	Syllabus	
Wed	8/26	Ch.1	Introducing Social Psychology	Video Annotation: Social Psychology
Fri	8/28	Ch.1	Introducing Social Psychology	SmartBook Ch1



Mon	8/31	Ch.1	Introducing Social Psychology	Ch.1 Connect
Wed	9/2	Ch.2	The Self	Video Annotation: Science of Happiness
Fri	9/4	Ch.2	The Self	SmartBook Ch2
Mon	9/7	Legal holiday	University closed	
Wed	9/9	Ch.2	The Self	Unit 1 Podcast
Fri	9/11	Ch.2	The Self	Ch.2 Connect
Mon	9/14	Ch.3	Social Beliefs & Judgments	Video Annotation: Paradox of Choice
Wed	9/16	Ch.3	Social Beliefs & Judgments	SmartBook Ch3
Fri	9/18	Ch.3	Social Beliefs & Judgments	Ch.3 Connect Unit 1 Exam Opens
Mon	9/21	Ch.4	Behavior & Attitudes	Video Annotation: Stanford Prison Study
Wed	9/23	Ch.4	Behavior & Attitudes	SmartBook Ch4
Fri	9/25	Ch.4	Behavior & Attitudes	Ch.4 Connect Unit 1 Exam Due
Mon	9/28	Ch.6	Conformity & Obedience	Video Annotation: Authority
Wed	9/30	Ch.6	Conformity & Obedience	SmartBook Ch6
Fri	10/2	Ch.6	Conformity & Obedience	Unit 2 Podcast
Mon	10/5	Ch.6	Conformity & Obedience	Ch.6 Connect
Wed	10/7	Ch.7	Persuasion	Video Annotation: Science of Persuasion
Fri	10/9	Ch.7	Persuasion	SmartBook Ch7
Mon	10/12	Ch.7	Persuasion	
Wed	10/14	Ch.7	Persuasion	Ch.7 Connect Unit 2 Exam Opens
Fri	10/16	Ch.8	Persuasion	Video Annotation: Filter Bubbles
Mon	10/19	Ch.8	Persuasion	SmartBook Ch8
Wed	10/21	Ch.8	Persuasion	Ch.8 Connect Unit 2 Exam Due
Fri	10/23	Ch.9	Prejudice	Video Annotation: Racial Bias
Mon	10/26	Ch.9	Prejudice	SmartBook Ch9
Wed	10/28	Ch.9	Prejudice	Unit 3 Podcast
Fri	10/30	Ch.9	Prejudice	Ch.9 Connect
Mon	11/2	Ch.10	Aggression	Video Annotation: Brain Games
Wed	11/4	Ch.10	Aggression	SmartBook Ch10
Fri	11/6	Ch.10	Aggression	Ch.10 Connect Unit 3 Exam Opens
Mon	11/9	Ch.11	Attraction & Intimacy	Video Annotation: Loneliness
Wed	11/11	Legal Holiday	University closed	
Fri	11/13	Ch.11	Attraction & Intimacy	SmartBook Ch11 Unit 3 Exam Due
Mon	11/16	Ch.11	Attraction & Intimacy	
Wed	11/18	Ch.11	Attraction & Intimacy	Ch.11 Connect
Fri	11/20	Ch.12	Helping	Unit 4 Podcast
Mon	11/23	Ch.12	Helping	SmartBook Ch12
Wed	11/25	Ch.12	Helping	Video Annotation: Helping others Ch.12 Connect
Fri	11/27	Legal Holiday	University closed	
Mon	11/30	Ch.13	Conflict	Video Annotation: Moral Behavior in animals
Wed	12/2	Ch.13	Conflict	SmartBook Ch13
Fri	12/4	Ch.13	Conflict	Ch.13 Connect Unit 4 Exam Opens
Mon	12/7	Finals Week		

Wed	12/9	Finals Week	
Fri	12/11	Finals Week	Unit 4 Exam Due

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