



Course Outcomes Form Northwest Indian College

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Before completing this form, please refer to the *Instructions for Completing the Course Outcomes Form*. Please submit this form electronically to amkarlberg@nwic.edu.

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Course Number (e.g., ENGL 101)	PSYC 101
Course Name (e.g., English Composition I)	Introduction to Psychology
List all instructor(s) who participated in creating and approved these course outcomes (please consult with at least one other person)	Ane Berrett, Katrice Schuler
List the main textbooks, readings or other resources used in this course (including title, year and publisher)	Wood, Samuel E., Wood, Ellen Green, Denise Boyd, MASTERING THE WORLD OF PSYCHOLOGY, 2 nd ed.

A. NWIC outcomes: From the *List of NWIC Outcomes*, in order of priority, select the most important outcomes you assess in this course (at least one NWIC outcome must be chosen).

NWIC outcome # (e.g., “Written communication: 2a. write standard English”)	Instructional Activities: How will students master this outcome? (e.g., solving problems, group activity)	Assessment/Evaluation Strategies: How will you measure this outcome? (e.g., student presentations, essays)
Written communication: 2b Write in a variety of text forms using various credible sources.	Orientation to online and Internet resources to access sociological research and journals	Completion of final research paper
Quantitative skills: 5b Use analytical and critical thinking skills to draw and interpret conclusions.	Class discussion and homework assignments	Use of reliable and credible resources in research paper Written and oral assignments, such as summaries and critiques of articles

B. Course outcomes: List the *most* important other learning outcomes for this course (a maximum of 5).

Other course outcomes: Complete the sentence – As a result of this course, students will be able to...	Instructional Activities: How will students master this outcome? (e.g., solving problems, group activity)	Assessment / Evaluation Strategies: How will you measure this outcome? (e.g., student presentations, essays)
1. Identify the theorists and theories that have influenced the study of psychology	Written and class discussion	Written and oral assignments
2. Describe the relationship between human biology and behavior	Written and class discussion, group activity	Written and oral assignments
3. Apply major psychological theories and perspectives to a case study or other examples	Written and class discussion, group activity	Written and oral assignments Observation of student participation
4. Research a current issue in psychology relating to theory or practice	Research, orientation to online and Internet sources	Completion of written paper and oral presentation

C. Please list the NWIC outcomes and course outcomes from above on your syllabus.