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REVIEW FROM PRE-IB PSYCHOLOGY COURSE

Psychology as a science

- What did the word *psychology* mean? *Psyche* and *Logos*?
- What was the *definition* of psychology?
- What were the common *criteria for scientific knowledge* and what did they mean?
- What was meant by *scientific theory*?
- What was meant by *hypothesis*?
- What was meant by *empirical data* and *empirical study*?
- What were the *stages in psychological research*?
- What was meant by research design?
- What were the four types research designs and their characteristics?
- What did the following terms mean?
 - o Variable?
 - o Independent variable?
 - o Dependent variable?
 - o Confounding variable?
 - Operationalization?
 - o Participant?
 - o Sample?
 - o Experimental group?
 - o Control group?
 - o Placebo-effect?
 - o Blind test?
 - o Double-blind test?
 - o Correlation?
- What was meant by research setting and what were the two main settings?
- What was meant by *data-collecting methods*?
- What was meant by *quantitate research* and *qualitative research*?