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Cognitive Psychology, Behaviorism, and Social Cognitive Theory

WebQuest Description: WebQuest is designed to inform students of the concepts of Cognitive Psychology, Behaviorism, and the Social Cognitive Theory.
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Introduction

Have you ever wondered why you can study for hours for an exam and still only manage to make a B? Or why you could not understand certain concepts as a child, that you can easily comprehend now? Well this WebQuest is for you! This WebQuest was designed to aid you in accumulating the knowledge presented by the Social cognitive theory, Behaviorism, as well as cognitive psychology.

Tasks

Your assignment will be to thoughtfully answer some questions. You can find the questions on an attached word document. The answers will be found within this WebQuest. I encourage you read all the included information and attentively watch the videos. Remember to consider the ways that we witness cognitive psychology, the social cognitive theory, and behaviorism in our everyday lives.

Process

Follow these links to access informative articles and videos. 1. Article on Cognitive PsychologyVideo demonstrating Piaget's Stages2. Video on BehaviorismVideo Cognitive Psychology vs. Behaviorism3. Article about Social Cognitive (Learning) Theory We witness children implementing SCT every day! some examplesNext, use your knowledge to answer questions on the attached word document!

Evaluation

    You will be graded using the following rubric. As you can see, it is important that you answer all questions thoughtfully and in detail. Show me how much you know.

Category and Score	3 points	2 points	1 points	0 points	Score
Questions attempted	7/7	6/7	5/7	Less than 5 attempted	
Questions correct	7/7	6/7	5/7	Less than 5	
Thoughtfulness and detail of questions	7/7	6/7	5/7	Less than 5	
N/A	_	_	_	_	
				Total Score	___ / 9 points

Conclusion

I hope you have learned something valuable from this WebQuest. We encounter situations daily where these theories are at play. How can you use your knowledge and understanding of them to manage a classroom, or people around you?

Teacher Page

This WebQuest demonstrates ways that people encounter difficult concepts like the Social Cognitive Theory, Behaviorism, and Cognitive Psychology in an easy-to-understand way. Students will click through articles that explain these concepts in a simple way, view videos demonstrating the real thought processes of real children, and even observe the ways that favorite movie characters exhibit SCT!Â

Standards

Student Learning Outcomes: Students will exhibit knowledge of adolescent learning and development (INTASC Standard 1); incorporate knowledge of individual differences ad diversity in the classroom (INTASC Standard 2); demonstrate the interconnectedness of the central concepts of Education Psychology to engage learners in critical thinking and creativity (INTASC Standard 5); plan and create developmentally appropriate, sequential, and challenging learning opportunities (INTASC Standard 7); and understand a variety of instructional tools to meet build skills and apply knowledge in meaningful ways (INTASC Standard 8).

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