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| **Course Name:** Reading in Psychology I  | **Course Level:** Undergraduate | **Language:** English |
| **Course Code** | [**Prerequisites**](https://e-campus.isikun.edu.tr/CoursePrerequisites/Index) | **Corequisites** | **(T + P hours)** | **ECTS Credit** | **Type** |
| PSYC2106 | - | - | 3+0 | 4 | Selective |
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**Course objectives:** Basic information about reading academic articles and books in psychology.

**Course description:** Understanding of essential information in reading articles and books in psychological research. Reading, summarizing, and interpretation of essential psychological reading from different fields. Reading and understanding of classical research papers in psychology. Distinction and discussion of various themes in various sections of articles. Descriptions of psychological constructs and terms in journal articles. Writing of various articles sections such as abstract and references.

**Evaluation system (in percentages):**

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| **Midterm** | **Presentation** | **Final** | **Total** |
| %30 | %30 | %40 | 100 |

**Weekly Course Topics**

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| **Week** | **Topic** |
| 1. | Course Introduction |
| 2. | Examining and Discussing Different Article Types |
| 3. | Library Visit |
| 4. | Structure and Content of the Academic Text |
| 5. | Presentation Skills and Tips |
| 6. | Presentation |
| 7. | Presentation |
| 8. | Midterm |
| 9. |  Writing an Article Review Text |
| 10. | Reviewing APA Standards in Academic Writing |
| 11. | Discussion on Various Sample Texts |
| 12. |  Discussion on Various Sample Texts |
| 13. | Discussion on Various Sample Texts |
| 14. | An overview |

**Contribution of the Course to the Program Outcomes**

**Course Outcomes**

 Students will gain the following knowledge and skills at the end of the course:

1.Read classical psychology articles.

2.Find an article or journal on a psychological issue.

3.Distinguish between different sections of an article in psychology.

4.Write abstract and references sections of articles.

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|   |  **Program Outcomes** | **CO1** | **CO2** | **CO3** | **CO4** |
| 1. | To examine and compare different concepts in subfields of psychology and to have basic application skills. |  |  |  |  |
| 2. | To apply analytical and critical thinking skills in various fields of psychology, to be able to solve the problems related to the field with contemporary methods. |  |  |  |  |
| 3. | The student has the skills to interpret facts, events and data, to define and analyze problems, to develop solutions based on research and evidence by using the knowledge and skills they have acquired in the field. |  |  |  |  |
| 4. | Discussing and criticizing professional and ethical issues in program design and professional practice. |  |  |  |  |
| 5. | To explain the procedures and rules in psychological measurement and interview techniques, and to develop the ability to apply them at a basic level. |  |  |  |  |
| 6. | Adopting the rules of the positivist method and designing scientific research, collecting data, analyzing data and scientifically reporting the results. | X | X | X | X |
| 7. | To gain the basic principles of scientific thinking, to be able to separate and / or integrate the knowledge gained by other disciplines with a critical point of view. |  |  |  |  |
| 8. | To develop the competence for using the necessary information and communication technologies used to reach and spread information. |  |  |  |  |
| 9. | To use oral and written communication skills effectively both in Turkish and at least one foreign language. |  |  |  |  |
| 10. | Working effectively in individual and multidisciplinary research teams. |  |  | X | X |
| 11. | To develop respect for interpersonal and cultural diversity and to have social responsibility. |  |  |  |  |
| 12. | To be aware of psychological resilience, personal and professional development. |  |  |  |  |

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|  Course Evaluation and ECTS Workload |
| Types of Work | Number |  |
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|  | ECTS Workload |  |  |
|  |  | Time |  |
| Attendance | 14 | 3 | 42 |
| Final exam | 1 | 20 | 20 |
| Quizzes | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Semester project | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Assignments | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Final project | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Seminar | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Duties | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Presentation | 1 | 10 | 10 |
| Midterm | 1 | 10 | 10 |
| Project | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lab | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Private lesson time | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other (Personal study) | 14 | 1 | 14 |
|  |  | Total workload | 96 |
|  |  | Total workload/25 | 3.84 |
|  |  | ECTS Credit | 4 |

**Teaching Methods and Techniques**: Lecture, Discussion, Homework

**Prepared By:**  **Date:**