

Psy 103 General Psychology – Spring 2017 – Video Report

Your last short assignment consists of writing a brief video report. Go to <http://clipsforclass.com>: This site includes links to many psychology-related videos organized by topic (the different tabs at the top). Pick any video from this page, watch it, and then write your video report about it. The following needs to be included:

- Your name
- Topic area (e.g. “motivation,” “personality,” etc.)
- Title of video
- Description: a brief summary of the video (approximately a 4-5-sentence paragraph)
- Questions: respond to all the questions that are listed on <http://clipsforclass.com> next to the video
- Reflection: What is your reaction to the video? Use critical thinking – not just “I liked it” or “I didn’t like it.” Was the material helpful to you? Why or why not? What is the piece’s point of view? What could the author have done better?
- Analysis: Use concepts, terms, and ideas from class to assess the video. How does it tie into the readings, lecture, or class discussion? **Talk about psychology and concepts from the course!**
- At least 250 words; typed

Video Report – Grading Rubric

	Exemplary	Pts.	Acceptable	Pts.	Unacceptable	Pts.
Description	Concise but complete description of video content that can be understood by someone who has not watched it.	4	Decent but slightly incomplete description of video content.	2-3	Description of video content does not extend further than what is in the video description on the website.	0-1
Responses to Questions	All questions are answered thoughtfully	4	Most questions are answered	2-3	Less than half of the questions are answered	0-1
Reflection	Deep reflection on the video is demonstrated	4	Deep reflection is attempted	2-3	No or only superficial reflection	0-1
Analysis	Student clearly comprehends the material and links it to course topics.	4	Student mostly understands the material, but does not sufficiently link it to the course topics	2-3	Student does not show understanding of the material.	0-1
Length	250 words or longer	Full pts.	Less than 250 words	Grade reduced by % of length not included	Significantly less than 250 words	Grade reduced by % of length not included
On-Time Submission	On-time	-	Up to 1 week late	-10%	More than 1 week late	-30%

TOTAL: 16points; 3% of final grade AND extra credit