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Frequently Asked Questions

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What will the exam primarily focus on? Should I focus only on the slides? What about the readings?

Any assigned class materials is fair game for the exam. That being said, review the slides and your notes, and make sure you are familiar with main findings and topics of the supplemental readings.

Do I need to memorize all the names of scientists? Of every part of the brain or every neuron?

The level of depth of topics covered in the lectures is the depth you should expect for the exams. Focus more on understanding content as opposed to memorizing names.

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Do I need to memorize all the details of all the studies?

Try your best to understand the main findings and implications of all studies discussed in class.

What type of questions should we expect on the exam? Are there any practice questions?

As Prof. Firestone mentioned, the exam will consist of 50 multiple choice questions. These will include Scenarios, True/False, and Fill in the Blanks. There will also be questions where multiple answers may be correct. To demonstrate this, we've prepared some practice questions.....

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Some Practice Questions

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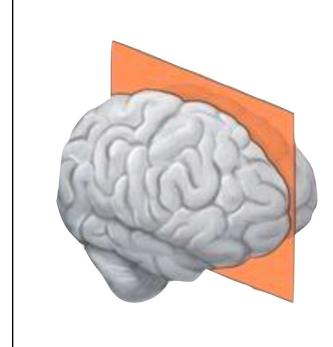
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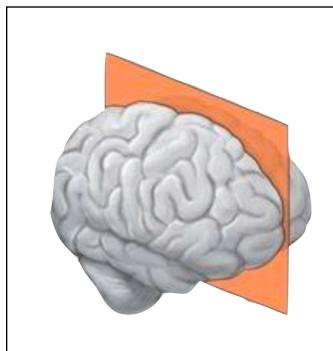
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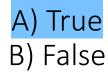
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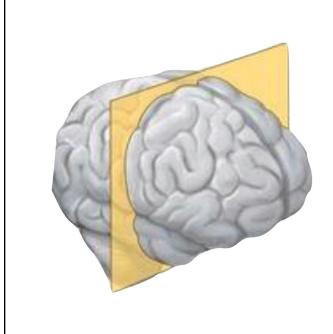
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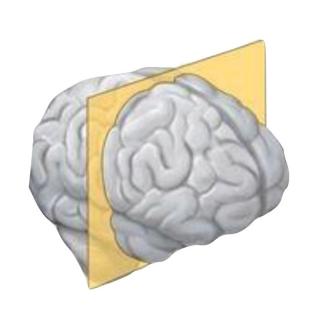
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