

Paper Topics

Name: _____

Directions: For this course, you will need to write 2 papers; one is due by **March 17th** and the other is due by **May 12th**. However, you can turn both in prior to their due dates if you would like. There are four possible topics that a student can write about:

- *Nature vs. Nurture*

- Write Summary
- Identify which perspective (nature or nurture) you relate to when it comes to the idea of killing and human nature. Remember to explain your reasoning. Then list a situation where an individual would use the opposite perspective than the one you relate to (nature vs. nurture).

- *Egocentrism*

- Write Summary
- Why do you believe they have a difficult time seeing others' perspectives? Please provide a sound, reasonable explanation with details.

- *Parenting Styles*

- Write Summary
- Please explain the emotional state of children in the 3 parenting styles discussed in the article and how the style could affect the child's development? Use the three processes to explain the development portion.

- *Resilience*

- Write Summary
- Why do you believe the results for conversation orientation and conformity orientation turned out the way they did? How would they encourage resilience in an individual? Please use examples to illustrate your reasoning.

In each paper, you will need to SUMMARIZE the article read, and then answer the questions presented by Ms. Taylor. Any questions, ask.

Please get your journal article on your selected topic from Ms. Taylor when you are ready.

Paper Parameters:

- Style: Times New Roman, size 12 font, margins all are 1”, double spaced, title page, reference page
- Length: 1 page minimum, 2 page maximum (total of 4 pages with title and reference pages).
- Citation Method: APA style
- Grading Breakdown:

Paper Grading Scale

_____ / 5

Proper APA Citation

- Reference page done correctly
- In-text citation

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Style/Grammar

- Apa Style (Double spaced, Times New Roman, Size 12 Font)
- Grammar (Capitalization, punctuation)

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Content

- Answer questions
- Thesis statement
- Critical Thinking/Analysis

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Subtotal

Yes / No

Plagiarism (Plagiarism=F)

Paper grade:

****If you DO NOT know how to do APA, ASK ME ABOUT IT! Don't assume you know,**

because I am a stickler when it comes to papers.**