

Psych Unit 3 Biology and Behavior
Hints for studying
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- Be sure you understand the main points of each video we dealt with during this unit. Focus on cause and effect. Example: Phineas Gage had an issue with memory because his higher order thinking skills in the frontal lobe were severed from the memory center in the hippocampus.
- Vocab, as always, will be a major point of emphasis. Please utilize the web pages I provide at the top of our class web page to understand the terms appropriately.
- You should focus on the structures of the nervous system, from neurons to the brain and spine, to the peripheral nervous system. What does everything do? Everything has a function.
- I provided “text book” material on this unit from “allpsych.com.” Be sure to read that.
- What is nature? What is nurture? What is the epigenetic model and how does that help psychologists do a better job at helping people?
- Understand the difference between hormones and neurotransmitters?