PSY113 Learning Theories and Processes

(2 unit)

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1.1. PSY113 Learning Theories and Processes

This is an introduction to the experimental analyses of simple learning processes of both animal and man. Motivation and learning theories; The process of Classical Conditioning; The process of Operant Conditioning, the S-R paradigm, Thorndike Laws of Learning, Tolmans Cognitive Theory of learning; David Ausbels meaningful learning, Gestalt Theory of learning, Reinforcement and Schedules of Reinforcement; Concept of Punishment and Negative reinforcement.