

## INFORMATION SHEET FOR STUDENTS IN COURSES EARNING STUDY POOL CREDIT

AY 23 – SPRING 2023

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The purpose of the Psychology Study Pool is to help you learn about how research is conducted, different approaches, and what it's like to be the person being studied. By being a participant, you contribute to the advancement of the scientific understanding of human thought and behavior.

[On the Study Pool website](#) you will find in-person studies, online surveys and zoom sessions – all with a unique purpose for conducting research. You may be asked to fill out a questionnaire, view a video, play a game, interact with others in a group, make a judgment call, or have your brain scanned while doing a simple task. You, the participant, gets to choose which studies you want to participate in. All studies are low-risk and are approved by the Committee on the Use of Human Subjects ([CUHS](#)).

**If you are under 18 years old**, you may find fewer studies to participate in. Let your instructor know and they will give you an alternative assignment in lieu of participating in the Study Pool. Minors (under 18) who choose to participate must complete the [Parental /Guardian Permission form](#). Fill out the form and email it to [the Study Pool office](#). Additional consent forms are required for each study and the researcher conducting the study will provide the forms to you.

For complete information see course syllabi. The following courses are participating in the Spring 2023 **Study Pool for Students**.

ALL COURSES	INSTRUCTOR	STUDY POOL CREDIT HRS.
PSY 1	STEVE PINKER	3
PSY 15	FIERY CUSHMAN	3
PSY 16	JESSE SNEDEKER	3
PSYC E-1023	SHELLEY CARSON	2

### Attendance:

Be aware that you must contact the researcher if you need to cancel your session. A 24–48-hour notice is appreciated. If you are late to the study, you may or may not be able to complete the study. It is at the researcher's discretion. Their contact information is listed on the study.

### Compensation:

Study Pool credits are based on two things – time and difficulty. We try to estimate how long an average participant takes to complete the task(s). You may be done early, or it may take you longer – that's okay too!

½ hour = 30 minutes = 0.5 credits

1 hour = 60 minutes = 1 credit

If you start a study and decide you want to stop, you may do so. Contact the researcher and they will assign some or all credit for the study. **If you are enrolled in more than one course, the credits you earn will be issued to both courses at the end of the semester.**

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**Example:** You are in PSY 15 (3 credits) and PSY 16 (3 credits). If you earn Study Pool 3 credits you will be given 3 credits to PSY 15 and 3 credits to PSY 16.

If you are in **two courses and one being PSY 1 (Pinker)** please be sure you review the course syllabi for specific dates for earning course credits.

**Always read the syllabi for specific instructions from your instructor.**