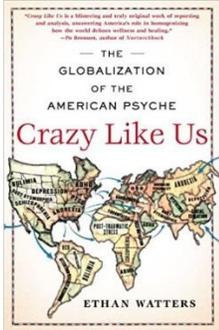


International Baccalaureate Psychology HL/SL DP 12 Summer Homework ~ Mrs. Hoffmann

Required Material



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Watters, E. (2011). *Crazy like us: The globalization of the American psyche*.
New York: Free Press.

You may purchase this book from a bookstore, online, or check it out at your local library. There is also a digital version available.

Purpose of this assignment

The purpose of this assignment is to give you a more complete understanding of the concept of globalization and how it impacts behavior throughout the world. In addition, this will allow you to make the connection to gender and cultural differences in diagnosis and treatment of disorders. **It is important to be able to critically analyze these concepts for your IB Psychology exams.** You will find a copy of this summer assignment in our Google Classroom and in Managebac.

Instructions

1. Read the book in its entirety.
2. Answer the questions on following pages in complete sentences.
3. Be sure to use APA style and include a reference page. If you use other sources to help you answer these questions, you must cite them. (The citation for the book is written above for you.) You can use Purdue Owl to assist you with any in-text citations you may have.
4. Plagiarism is taken very seriously. **You should be answering the questions in your own words.** If you choose to include a quotation from the book to support your answer, you must cite it using APA format. There should not be quotes for every answer.
5. Bring a printed copy of the summer homework assignment to turn in on the second day of class (which will be either 08/14/18 or 08/15/18).

The Rise of Anorexia in Hong Kong

1. Describe Jiao. In what ways is she “dysfunctional?”
 2. How do we know that anorexia in Hong Kong is different from anorexia in the Western world?
 3. How did the death of Charlene Hsu Chi-Ying change anorexia in Hong Kong?
 4. What is Ethan Watter’s basic argument about the role of culture on mental illness?
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The Wave that Brought PTSD to Sri Lanka

1. According to the text, what role does meaning play in PTSD? How does this affect one’s ability to diagnose PTSD?
 2. What were the problems with the Western care workers’ approach to the treatment of Sri Lankans after the tsunami?
 3. Outline the emic process that Gaithri Fernando used in order to better diagnose mental health concerns.
 4. What role can community play in the recovery from trauma?
 5. How effective is post-event debriefing in helping people to avoid PTSD? Why do you think that this is true?
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The Mega-Marketing of Depression in Japan

1. Discuss Kirmayer’s concept of explanatory models with regard to depression in Japan.
2. Discuss how a cholera epidemic changed the Japanese outlook on health from yojo to eisei. What did this have to do with the changing attitude toward depression?

3. What is the Japanese attitude toward sadness (yuutsu)?
4. Discuss how attitudes toward suicide have changed in Japan with regard to karoshi – or death by overwork.
5. How did the market for SSRIs finally take root in Japan?
6. Discuss Healy's concerns about SSRIs.