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**MIND**

Class 1 (9/15)

**INTRODUCTION : Why study neuroscience?**


(9/22, 9/29)

**FREUD’S BRAIN: Under Construction** (Power Point presentation)

_Hallucinatory Wish Fulfillment & Primary and Secondary Process_


* Dreams as Wishes  

Class 5  DANGER  
* Freud’s Second Theory of Anxiety  
Commentaries p 142-170 *(to be individually assigned)*

Class 6  ADAPTATION  
* Defense Mechanisms  

Class 7  ATTACHMENT  
* Narcissism  
Mirror Neurons & Autism (Power Point presentation)  

BODY

Class 8  DRIVES: What’s Love Got To Do With It?  
* The demand the body makes on the mind?  

Class 9  THE PSYCHOBIOLOGY OF THE INCEST TABOO  
* Incest fantasies as an inevitable consequence of infant caretaking  
LIBIDO THEORY

*Dissociation of aim and object & Bisexuality*
