



# Main Focus of Biological Psychology

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The study of the physiological bases of behaviour is known as biological psychology, also known as physiological psychology or behavioural neuroscience. Physiological bases for motivated behaviour, emotion, learning, memory, comprehension, and mental disorders have also been studied. The systematic study of the biological mechanisms underlying or affecting mind and actions, as well as the subsequent observation of their influence on behaviour, is referred to as biological psychology. Most behaviour, according to the biological approach, is inherited and serves an adaptive (or evolutionary) function. For example, testosterone levels in fathers drop by more than 30% in the weeks following the birth of a child. Biological psychology, also known as biopsychology or psychobiology, is the study of mental processes and behaviour using biological concepts. Biological psychology encompasses the areas of behavioural neuroscience, cognitive neuroscience, and neuropsychology. Biological psychologists study human behaviour, concentrating on the psychological factors that influence human and animal behaviour. The aim of these researchers is to figure out how different thought processes, as well as factors like genetics and brain chemistry, interact. All human (and animal) activity is the product of highly integrated biological systems and processes on many interconnected levels. The nervous system's structure is highly specialised and hierarchical, but neuroplasticity allows the brain to change its structure and function. Physiological, functional, ontogenetic, and evolutionary theories of behaviour can fall into one of four groups.

As the research used to study the brain and nervous system has improved in recent years, this viewpoint has shifted significantly. Today, scientists use PET and MRI scans to investigate how brain growth, medications, illness, and brain damage affect behaviour and cognition. The physical functions of a person are referred to as physiological characteristics. Children who have not reached the critical age are already physically and biologically immature, according to the critical hypothesis theory, and have neurological problems. Physiology in a nutshell. The study of normal function in living things is known as physiology. Organs, anatomy, cells, biological substances, and how they all work to make life possible are all covered under this subsection of biology. Anatomy and physiology is challenging, but not impossible! When it comes to physiology, it becomes more difficult when you have to recall (and I mean really memorise) complicated processes and functions of various human body components in great detail. Anatomy and physiology is considered difficult because there is a lot of information in the curriculum that must be learned and memorised over the course of several weeks. Its primary emphasis is on the role of the brain and the rest of the nervous system in tasks such as thought, learning, feeling, sensing, and perceiving that are common in humans and other animals. Biopsychologists try to figure out how biological mechanisms deal with perception, emotions, and other psychological processes in a scientific way. The study of behaviour biology has a long and illustrious history. Both our genes and the environment form our social networks, personal experiences, and relationships.

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