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7. The statement "Females will report greater incidences of sexual harassment than will males" is an example of a _____, while the statement "Reported incidences of sexual harassment will vary according to gender" is an example of a _____.

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8. If the prediction "participants who consume alcohol will score lower on a reaction time test than participants who do not consume alcohol" is confirmed, we can say the hypothesis is _____.

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10. Which one of the following is a source of ideas for research projects?

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- A. essentially the same as a hypothesis.
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19. When the results of an experiment are consistent with a prediction developed from a theory, we conclude that the theory is
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20. Which of the following is NOT true of theories?
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 - B. Theories help generate new knowledge.
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21. As Joan becomes familiar with the literature examining the influence of physical attractiveness on judgments of criminal behavior, she notes inconsistencies in the results. She concludes that this area of study needs to be further investigated. This example best represents _____ as a source of ideas for research.
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22. An advantage of using past research as a source of ideas for research is that
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 - B. should use standard psychological terms.
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54. Google Scholar is a specialized search engine that lets you _____.

- A. search for psychology related articles only
- B. search biographies of authors
- C. purchase a research paper for your own use
- D. locate articles on a particular research topic from psychology and non-psychology related disciplines

55. When you read information on the internet, you should be especially critically when _____.

- A. the website is sponsored by a single individual
- B. the information is current
- C. there are reputable credentials listed for the authors
- D. the site is associated with a major educational institution

56. Observation of the world around us, is a good place to get ideas for research. Which of the following best illustrates a research idea that comes from the world around us?
- A. the relationship of sexually degrading music lyrics and early sexual behaviors
 - B. using the theory of evolution to investigate a new problem
 - C. advancing work done by authors in 1988
 - D. Birds of a feather flock together
57. A good place to get new research ideas, is to look to findings of past research. Which one of the following research questions could be generated from the study on cell phone use by Cramer et. al., (2007)?
- A. why alcohol increases cellphone use
 - B. what accounts for cell phone use while on a bicycle
 - C. why students use cellphones in class
 - D. what accounts for gender differences in cell phone use
58. Research on the technique of facilitated communication by Montee et. al., (1995) was designed to _____?
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 - B. correct a methodological flaw in past research
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 - D. demonstrate the effectiveness of facilitated communication

2 Key

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #9

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #16

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #21

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #24

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #25

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #26

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #27

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #28

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #29

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #30

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #31

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #32

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #33

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #34

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #35

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 - B. Annual Review of Psychology
 - C. Psychological Abstracts
 - D. PsychINFO

Cozby - Chapter 02 #36

37. A major problem with using Internet search engines such as Google as a method of obtaining research information is
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Cozby - Chapter 02 #37

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #39

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B. Method

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #40

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #41

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A. Introduction

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #42

43. In which section of a research article would a reader find a description of the findings using statistical language?

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #43

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #44

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 - D. A description of how participants were selected and assigned to groups

Cozby - Chapter 02 #46

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #47

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #48

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Cozby - Chapter 02 #49

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 - B. For men, the average time talking was 10.7 minutes while for women the average was 7.4 minutes.
 - C. While the three men and three women discussed the issue, the experimenter measured time spent talking by starting and stopping stopwatches.
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Cozby - Chapter 02 #50

51. Which one of the following statements would be appropriate for the results section of a research report?
- A. The difference between social desirability ratings of attractive versus unattractive individuals may be explained by the Cognitive Consistency Theory.
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 - C. The average social desirability rating for attractive individuals was 6.4; however, the average rating for unattractive individuals was 3.2.
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Cozby - Chapter 02 #51

52. Which one of the following statements would be appropriate for the discussion section of a research report?

- A. The present findings suggest that evaluation of the seriousness of an alcohol-related crash may be influenced by the severity of the injuries received by the victim.
- B. The participants read an account of an alcohol-related crash in which a victim received mild or severe injuries.
- C. Drivers who had consumed alcohol had their license suspended an average of six months compared to one month for those who had consumed coffee.
- D. The average age of participants was 18.7 years.

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53. In which section of the research report would you describe the practical application of the experiment's results?

- A. Introduction
- B. Method
- C. Results
- D. Discussion

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54. Google Scholar is a specialized search engine that lets you _____.
- A. search for psychology related articles only
 - B. search biographies of authors
 - C. purchase a research paper for your own use
 - D. locate articles on a particular research topic from psychology and non-psychology related disciplines

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55. When you read information on the internet, you should be especially critically when _____.

- A. the website is sponsored by a single individual
- B. the information is current
- C. there are reputable credentials listed for the authors
- D. the site is associated with a major educational institution

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56. Observation of the world around us, is a good place to get ideas for research. Which of the following best illustrates a research idea that comes from the world around us?

- A. the relationship of sexually degrading music lyrics and early sexual behaviors
- B. using the theory of evolution to investigate a new problem
- C. advancing work done by authors in 1988
- D. Birds of a feather flock together

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57. A good place to get new research ideas, is to look to findings of past research. Which one of the following research questions could be generated from the study on cell phone use by Cramer et. al., (2007)?

- A. why alcohol increases cellphone use
- B. what accounts for cell phone use while on a bicycle
- C. why students use cellphones in class
- D. what accounts for gender differences in cell phone use

Cozby - Chapter 02 #57

58. Research on the technique of facilitated communication by Montee et. al., (1995) was designed to _____?

- A. further past research
- B. correct a methodological flaw in past research
- C. investigate a new research question
- D. demonstrate the effectiveness of facilitated communication

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