Read an article from any issue of ***Psychological Reports*** or ***Socioeconomic Review*** published in **2015** and answer the questions below. Be sure to follow the instructions.

***Failure to follow all instructions will result in 0 credits for this assignment.***

For this assignment, you will select an article from a psychological journal entitled ***Psychological Reports*** or a sociology journal entitled ***Socioeconomic Review***. You can access these journals from any on-campus computer, or via the VPN server from off-campus computers.

**Instructions:**

1. Go to the York College Library webpage and click on "E-Resources by Title." Type ***Psychological Reports*** or ***Socioeconomic Review*** in the search bar. You may select any article from the **2015** issues of either of these journals to complete this assignment. Please note that assignments completed using articles published in years other than **2015** are not eligible for credit.
2. Download the full text of the article as a .pdf file and save it to your computer. You will have to email the article along with this worksheet. Please note that articles are multiple pages.
3. Read the article and answer all the questions in this worksheet in the space provided below each. Your answers must relate to the article you read. Please do not make changes to the document except to fill your answers in under each question.
4. Save your worksheet and rename the file so that it begins with your 5-digit SONA ID code, your last name, and ends with “Summary of Peer-Reviewed Report Worksheet.” If you are using an application other than Microsoft Word to complete this worksheet, please save your worksheet as a PDF file prior to sending it.
5. Email the worksheet and the article by the deadline listed on the SONA time slot you signed up for to researchpool@york.cuny.edu. If you do not submit your work by the deadline, you will be withdrawn from the activity.
6. Note that the rules of academic integrity apply. Your answers must be complete, legible, and written in clear and grammatically-correct English. They must pertain to the article you read. There must be clear evidence that you read the full article for you to get full credit for completion. Answers will be checked for plagiarism. Answers that are not original will not be eligible for Research Pool credit.

**Place your answer to the following questions below each one:**

1. What is your full name?
2. What is your 5-digit SONA ID code?
3. What is the title of the article you read?
4. List **all** the author’s last names in the order in which they appear in the article.
5. In which year was the article published?
6. What was the name of the **journal** in which the article was published (*Psychological Reports* or *Socioeconomic Review)*?
7. In which issue of the journal was the article published? Example: Volume 19 (3).
8. List all the major and minor subheadings within the article below, in the order in which they appear in the article. Subheadings are titles within the article (example: The first section is often entitled Abstract or Introduction).
9. What does the main purpose of the Abstract appear to be?
10. What does the main purpose of the Introduction appear to be?
11. Summarize the main purpose of the study.
12. In general, what does the main purpose of the Methods section appear to be?
13. What does the article tell you about the participants in the study? Describe them. How many were there?
14. In your opinion, were there enough participants in this study to be able to trust the conclusions that were made?
15. If you could have done this study yourself, who would you have included in your participant sample to broaden the sample?
16. What did the researchers try to measure in this study? What were the constructs they were trying to measure (for example happiness, well-being, depression, etc.)?
17. How did the researchers try to measure what they were trying to study? What tools did they use?
18. What does the main purpose of the Results section appear to be?
19. What do the tables in the article show?
20. What do the figures in the article show?
21. What is the main purpose of the Conclusions section?
22. What are the main conclusions drawn by this study?
23. Were there any problems with the study? Describe one of them.
24. What does the reference section list? Why do you think this section is important?
25. See if you can read the minds of the Research Pool Management Staff for a moment. What do you think we intended the purpose of this assignment to be?
26. What, if anything, did you learn from this assignment?
27. What, in your opinion, was most interesting about this article?
28. Estimate how long it took you to complete this assignment (the number of credits you will receive is not dependent upon your answer to this question).