Internet Assignment

1. Select a topic of interest to you in Psychology: ________________

2. Research a related article for it using the PsychArticles database which can be found on the library’s website.
   - Log into Atlas
   - Click on the Library link, go to Search the Library
   - Click on Research Databases A-Z
   - Check off “Full Text”
   - Enter your keyword(s) into search box
   - Select “PsycArticles”
   - You can also view a related video through the library’s tutorial link. Select the link to “Portfolio Topic Search using PsycArticles”.

3. Print your article and attach it (if you are submitting in BlackBoard, send a .pdf of the article).

4. Summarize your article. It needs to be a minimum of one full page.
   Address the following areas:
   - Do you feel the site is giving you good, reliable, accurate information? Is the information current? Is the author qualified? What credentials are listed? Is the site trying to sell you the information/source? Use your critical thinking skills and analyze why you think you have found a good or bad source. Back yourself up with specific reasons.
   - Identify research methods used
   - What were the characteristics of the sample?
   - Note the pros and cons (such as strengths of the article, areas that you did not understand, what you would do differently if you were the researcher) of the article using scientific principles.

5. You will need to follow APA writing format which can be found in the library’s website and in the libguide prepared for this class.

6. Include a title page and reference page – also to be APA formatted.