

**Anatomy and Physiology - Final Exam Assignment/Rubric- Due May 22nd - Late papers will be penalized 5 points each day - Total 100 points**

**APA Format Research Paper: 10 - 15 pages  
Topic: Nervous System**

**Getting Started:**

- ✳ **APA Format** can be found at the class website - **15 points**
- ✳ Citation Machine/OWL Perdue **links** can be found at the class website
- ✳ Information can come from your textbook; websites from **.edu or .gov**
- ✳ **Use the local library for access to websites with videos, if you need them**
- ✳ **Use The Main State Library Online (you will have access at the library and/or on your home internet)**

**Topics:**

- ✳ **Nervous System**
- ✳ **Introduction:** What is the nervous system? What are its functions and structures? - **10 points**
- ✳ Main body: Paper needs to include **anatomy, diseases, testing, treatment, and prevention of the system. Expound on each section. -25 points**
- ✳ Include **one chart and one graph -10 points**
- ✳ **NO paragraph-long direct quotes!**
- ✳ List and describe all parts of the anatomy. - **5 points**
- ✳ What are **three diseases** of the nervous system? - **25 points**
- ✳ What diagnostic testing is available for these diseases?

- ✳ Describe the treatments available for all stages of each disease.
- ✳ Lastly, define preventions and general good health practices.

### ***Conclusion: 10 points***

- ✳ A good conclusion is a summary of your entire paper without repeating your work word-for-word. Don't introduce anything new in your conclusion, but you can state a relation to other work, such as a quote from the same author you have already mentioned in the body of your paper.

### ***Don't Forget: (part of APA format points)***

- ✳ Parenthetical citations
- ✳ Reference page citations
- ✳ For every parenthetical citation, there must be a reference citation and vice versa

### ***Videos and Notes:***

- ✳ Crash Course Biology: Nervous System - video
- ✳ Nervous System: Structure and Function by Khan Academy - Video and notes
- ✳ Nervous System: Bozeman Science
- ✳ ***Check our class website: I will update postings daily***

