



# Research Methods in Psychology: Evaluating a World of Information (Third Edition)

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Research Methods in Psychology: Evaluating a World of Information acknowledges that many psychology majors pursue careers in which they need to read and understand research rather than actually conduct research. Therefore, while students still learn the skills necessary to design research, the book emphasizes the quantitative reasoning skills students need to become systematic and critical consumers of information. Examples from a variety of sources capture students interest, and the innovative pedagogical framework ensures that students will retain and be able to apply what they learn."

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## **Sidong says**

Learned a lot about how to read research results critically.

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## **Marissa says**

For not having the most exciting subject matter, this text did a great job of explaining concepts in interesting ways. I really appreciated the way that the authors used examples to illustrate their points, and carried those examples throughout each chapter. It definitely made the text more engaging.

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## **Amanda Sailors says**

For a textbook, this was incredibly well written. Morling does a wonderful job of explaining complex material very clearly and the book is remarkably interesting considering how dense the subject is. Would definitely recommend for classrooms and for anyone interested in conducting psychological research.

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## **Lisa says**

I was surprised at how easy this textbook was to read. It does a pretty good job at making a confusing and complex topic easy to comprehend.

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## **Nicole says**

Given the subject, I think the authors do a decent job of making this book as interesting as is possible.

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## **Christopher Allen says**

Just fine for what it was intended for.

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## **Teri Temme says**

Great textbook!

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### **Siobhan says**

One of the best books on the market for research methods in psychology.

Thoroughly well written, it's an easily accessible book that works well to make complicated aspects of the subject much easier to understand. If you're someone who struggles with the methodology section of psychology I would recommend giving this book a read as it works well to help you understand the topic.

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### **Joanna says**

Had to read this for class. It was okay, reader-friendly, but really bland at explaining some concepts. It could be better and could be worse.

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### **Justin says**

This was without a doubt the best textbook I've ever read. Morling thoroughly and clearly describes the many methods involved in psychology, painting the pictures of psychology methods in a way that anyone can understand. I highly recommend this book to anyone who is pursuing a degree in psychology, or just is interested in psychology in general.

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### **Chloe Bright says**

This was a pretty good textbook. The thing I probably utilized most and found the most helpful were the diagrams throughout the chapters that differentiated the similar concepts to make them more understandable and separate instead of confusing them as the same things. The writing itself was fairly easy to comprehend and it was jam-packed with examples of real studies to support every concept it was explaining.

The only minor complaint I have about this textbook was that sometimes instead of giving an actual definition for hard-to-define concepts, it would just give an example of it happening. Examples are useful, but I, personally, need those foundational definitions for things so it's easier for me to generalize them to other studies besides just the ones it would use in the example. For those things that it didn't provide definitions for, it's a little harder for me to comprehend them and know when to identify them in any other research.

Other than that, this was a great textbook. If you ever have to read it for your Research Methods in Psychology class, you will be well off.

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### **Joey says**

For having a dull subject matter, the textbook did a good job of making the material somewhat easy to understand and palatable. The examples were relevant and the text itself was pretty basic.

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**Indira says**

Ya know...I actually liked this book, for the most part, considering it was an assigned reading for a class. Despite being forced to learn the information within, I kind of liked some aspects to this book. For example, the author used interesting examples to get her point across. I also just liked learning more about the research aspect in Psychology. Sue me for that, oh wait, please dont. XD

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**Whitney says**

It's really useful to be able to properly read and interrogate scientific studies. Everyone should know how to do this (then maybe people could stop believing that vaccines cause autism).

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