

THE USE OF COMPUTERS IN SELECTED PSYCHOLOGY CLASSES

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The use of computers in introductory and major level courses will be discussed.

Increased sophistication in student use of selected software packages allows students to get a good appreciation of the benefits of computers in the discipline. Introductory Psychology students use the computer to "analyze their personality" on a pseudo-personality inventory. On a junior level course in the Psychology of Learning students perform and discuss two cognitive psychology demonstrations. Finally, in the Experimental Psychology courses, data is gathered, and statistically analyzed on an Apple II computer.

Recommendations for people interested in using computers as aids to the Psychology classroom will be briefly mentioned.