**Study guide Exam 3 COGS 5**

Signed languages

What are sign languages?

How many sign languages are there in the world, more or less?

Is a signed language a natural language or an artificial language?

How quickly do signed languages evolve?

In what ways is a signed language like a spoken language?

What is ASL, and is it a dialect or closely related to BSL?

What is finger spelling?

How many deaf people are in the US?

How many people worldwide are estimated to use a signed language as their native tongue?

Who was Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet, and what impact did he have on deaf communication?

Old view of sign language versus new view of signed languages

Who is Ursula Bellugi?

Know about hand shape in signing? Why is it important, and what does it express?

Assimilation in signed language

Know about non-manual signs, especially facial expression in signing

Sentence structure in ASL

Who is Koko, and how good is she at signing?

Language acquisition

First language acquisition

Babies and sounds in the first few months of life

Stages of learning a language (as an infant, not an adult)

Cooing

Babbling

One-word stage

Two-word stage

Know a bit about methods for studying child language

Naturalistic studies

Experimental studies

Closed-class words versus open-class words

Caregiver speech

Know the main consonants that kids tend to use in early speech

Second language acquisition

L1, L2

Second language learner

Interlanguage

Fossilization/Fossilized errors

Multilingualism

Bilinguals

Balanced bilingual (versus L1 dominant)

Code-switching

Language and culture

Linguistics relativity / Whorfian hypothesis

Who were Sapir and Whorf?

What is a basic color term?

Hopi and time

Aymara and time

Korean honorific

Gesture

What are gestures?

How do gestures differ from signs?

Co-speech gestures

Types of gestures

Manual gestures

Body gestures

Facial gestures

Emblematic gesture

Iconic gestures

Beat gestures

Deictic gestures

Phases of a gesture

Preparation, stroke, retraction

Susan Goldin Meadow, Adam Kendon, David McNeill, Sherman Wilcox

Pointing gestures, including lip pointing

Psycholinguistics

Psycholinguistics

Psycholinguist

Language comprehension

Language production

Wilhelm Wundt

Implicit knowledge and explicit knowledge in language processing

Some basic experiment terms and concepts involved in running psycholinguistic experiments

Experimenter

Participant

Reaction time experiments

Practice trial

Stimulus/stimuli

Lexical decision task

Frequency effect

Dependent variables and independent variables

Response latency and response accuracy

Eye tracking

Saccades, fixations

Semantic priming