

48. Solomon Asch's findings on conformity might best be used to explain why
- (A) members of a family all like the taste of bananas
  - (B) adolescents follow fads in dress and hairstyle
  - (C) people are less likely to accept blame for their failures than to accept credit for their successes
  - (D) bystander intervention is more likely to occur when few, rather than many, bystanders are present
  - (E) performance is enhanced in the presence of others
49. The humanistic perspective in psychology suggests that
- (A) most behavior can be explained by operant conditioning principles
  - (B) all humans have peak experiences
  - (C) all humans are by nature good
  - (D) humans are doomed to a life of neurosis and suffering
  - (E) self-actualization can happen only through therapy
50. The human brain differs from the brains of most other animals by the relative amount of brain mass devoted to which of the following?
- (A) The occipital lobe
  - (B) The cerebellum
  - (C) The cerebral cortex
  - (D) The homunculus
  - (E) The pituitary gland
51. Which of the following is an example of retrograde amnesia?
- (A) Ty cannot recall the face of the thief he saw running from the scene of the crime.
  - (B) Cassie's vivid memory of the explosion of the space shuttle Challenger is not corroborated by those she was with at the time.
  - (C) Alberto is unable to remember anything since the accident that destroyed portions of his hippocampus.
  - (D) Katie attributes her poor performance on a standardized test to the fact that she took the exam in a room other than the one in which she learned the material.
  - (E) Alyse cannot remember any details of what happened right before her car accident.
52. An individual who sees and feels imaginary spiders crawling on his arms and legs is experiencing
- (A) a fixation
  - (B) a hallucination
  - (C) an illusion
  - (D) an eidetic image
  - (E) a phobia
53. Research indicates that many animals are more likely to associate sickness with a taste they experienced in conjunction with the illness than with a tone or light. This finding supports which of the following claims?
- (A) The tone or light must not have been appropriately paired with the onset of illness.
  - (B) Illness is not necessarily punishing to subjects.
  - (C) Animals may be biologically prepared to learn some things over other things.
  - (D) Extrinsic reinforcers may be more effective than intrinsic reinforcers.
  - (E) Positive reinforcers are more effective than punishers.