

Brain Structures**Brain Unit**
A.P. Psychology

Name _____

Date _____

Period _____

By the end of the Brain Unit you should know the following “brain parts”:

Neurons	
Dendrite	Soma
Axon	Myelin Sheath
Axon Terminal Branches	Synapse
Glial Cells	Vesicle
Sensory Neurons	Motor Neurons
Interneurons	

Neurotransmitters	
Acetylcholine (ACH)	Dopamine
Norepinephrine	Serotonin
GABA	Glutamate
Endorphins	

Nervous System	
Central	Peripheral
Autonomic	Somatic
Sympathetic	Parasympathetic
Spinal Cord	

Endocrine System	
Hormones	Pituitary Gland
Adrenal Glands	

Lobes (x4)	Cortex & Areas (x8)
Parietal Lobe	Cerebral Cortex
Occipital Lobe	Motor Cortex
Frontal Lobe	Sensory Cortex
Temporal Lobe	Visual Cortex
	Auditory Cortex
	Broca's Area
	Wernicke's Area
	Angular Gyrus
	Association Areas

Limbic System (x4)	Brainstem (x4)
Hippocampus	Thalamus
Hypothalamus	Pons
Pituitary Gland	Medulla oblongata
Amygdala	Reticular Formation

Other Brain Structures (x3)
Corpus Callosum
Cerebellum
Skull