**Cognitive Psychology- Memory Flipped homework 8**

These activities will prepare you for the next topic of study. I will expect you to know all the material that you cover in this homework. It is absolutely vital that you learn the information as you go. Don’t just complete it for the sake of doing the homework.

Doing this preparation allows you to come to class with a knowledge of all the concepts we will discuss. If you do not understand something then doing the homework in advance will give you time to look over the work a number of times before the lesson so you are completely prepared and can ask me specific questions about what you have not understood.

**Improving the accuracy of EWT: The use of the cognitive interview**

**Task 1:**

Please watch this video upto 4 min 20 secs: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DHIxD_FMdCA>

Answer the following questions:

1. How do police traditionally interview witnesses?
2. What can cause false memories in witnesses?
3. What are the key ideas behind the development of the cognitive interview?
4. Summarise the research he describes (conducted by Geiselman and Fisher)
5. What results did they find?

**Task 2:**

Draw out this table in your notes and fill it in referring to the 4 techniques in the cognitive interview:

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| **Name of technique** | **What happens in this stage?** |
| Recreate the context of the original incident |  |
| Report every detail |  |
| Recall the event in a different order |  |
| Change perspectives |  |

Test yourself on these stages to check you know them- I will expect you to know them in the lesson!

**Task 3:**

What elements were added to the cognitive interview in 1987 by Fisher et al?