

Summer work ...

(this psychologist is one of the first you will be learning about in September).



Elizabeth Loftus

- You can complete the following activities on a sheet of paper or on a word document.
- Literally follow each slide and answer the questions on your sheet as you go along.
- Enjoy!



Loftus' Life facts

<https://www.verywellmind.com/elizabeth-loftus-biography-2795496#:~:text=Elizabeth%20Loftus%20was%20born%20on,degree%20in%20mathematics%20and%20psychology.>

- Her full name is:
- Where was she born and the date:
- What is she known for:

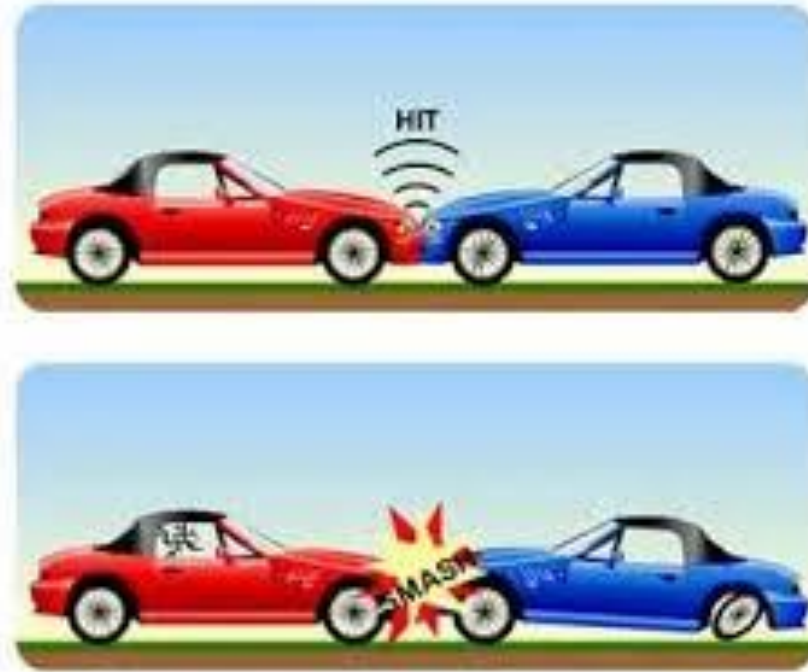
Loftus and the cognitive approach

- Loftus is a cognitive psychologist.
- She is interested in how memories can be distorted.
- She believed that our memories are not always accurate.
- Write a definition of what a cognitive psychologist believes in.

Loftus' Professional life

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CSo_esEgljc

Loftus classic experiment



Watch the video clip on Loftus experiment:

<https://youtu.be/-hha1bAtV5c>

Car crash experiment

- Write a brief overview of what happened during the car crash experiment. (A max of two paragraphs will do).

Reflection

- <https://youtu.be/u-SBTRLoPuo>

- What has the Car crash experiment by Loftus taught us about how people's memories?

E.g. If someone is a victim of crime and they were asked to recall the criminal, should this be used as evidence in court.