## **PSY 445 Personal Statement Assignment**

## Fall 2023

For this assignment, you will create a personal statement. Read the Bottoms and Nysse article that is posted on the website. Use the article and my lectures as guidelines to create your personal statement. Especially focus on the outline provided in class. The following are the directions for this assignment:

- 1. The personal statement must be between 1,000 and 2,000 words
  - a. Indicate the number of words in the personal statement at the end of the statement like this: (1255 words)
- 2. Write the personal statement as though you were applying to a graduate program here at WKU. This can be any of the applied graduate programs.
- 3. Use APA style, including double spacing and using 1" margins
- 4. Use a professional font and use either 10 or 12 point font.

Remember, this is a professional document, so you should strive to have it appear as such. This assignment will be due on Monday, September 25, 2023. It is worth **30 points**.