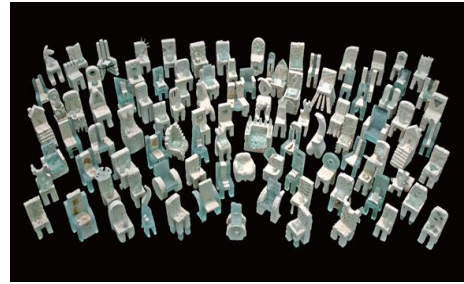


Brain, Behaviour, and Cognition (M5X00908) Cognitive Psychology:
Seminar – How do we categorise objects? Discussion of papers.

1. Describe the Prototype theory of Categorisation.



2. Describe the Exemplar theory of Categorisation.



3. Provide details of the Experimental Paradigms that have been used in order to examine the Prototype and Exemplar theories of Categorisation. In your answer you should provide details of any specific studies and relevant references.

4. Provide an evaluation of the studies that have been put forward in an attempt to support the two theories.

5. Based on both theories, explain what the implications are for understanding categorisation.

6. Which theory best explains categorisation and why?