Big Daddy…A Study in Learning…..

As you watch this movie I want you to think about how Julian learns and what he learns. Be able to use examples from the video to explain concepts of Social Learning Theory and Conditioning.

What are three negative things Julian learns from Sonny?

What does Julian learn in the “Kangaroo Song” scene?

What makes Sonny realize he is not teaching Julian the right things?

How does “Scuba Steve” use positive reinforcement?

Explain how Julian’s own thinking, the environment and Sonny’s modeling affect Julian’s behavior.

At the trial, what does Julian say he learned from Sonny?

In this space, explain each of these concepts and how they are demonstrated in the video.

Observational Learning Conditioning Modeling

Negative Reinforcement Punishment Reward