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General Psychology

Writing Assignment
Topic: Psychoanalytic Conflict

One of the key concepts in Freud's psychoanalytic theory is intrapersonal conflict. The most important conflicts occur between the Ego, Superego and Id. Discuss two conflicts that you have had, (or a person you know very well has had). (Don't discuss anything that you feel is too private.) Discuss the characteristics of a conflict between *your Id and your Ego*, and a second conflict between *your Id and your Superego*. Explain which of the two conflicts was the most difficult to deal with and why.

In your answer, you must make it clear that you understand the definitions of Ego, Id and Superego, and provide reasons to support your opinions.

Format: Type, double space: 2 pages between 450 and 550 words.