Psychology in Communist China.
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AB Outlines the theory and development of psychology in Communist China emphasizing the differences between Western and Communist Chinese psychology. Mainland Chinese psychologists are described as seeking a psychological basis for communism. Psychology is defined as the brain's reflection of reality, determined by the contradictions that exist in objective reality and the ideology of the social class to which the individual belongs. Western psychology is blamed for helping the capitalists to suppress the workers' class struggle. Research on the development of brain function in children is being conducted with the EEG instead of intelligence tests, while Piaget's theory is being used to study cognitive development. Research is also described as emphasizing the traditional Chinese interest in moral development. Research and professional organizations and publications are noted.