

1. Describe what occurs in the rarest form of **retrograde amnesia**.
2. What were the contents of Doug's backpack that offered the only clues to who he was?
3. What did Doug find out about his life? What had he done as a career?
4. When his ex-girlfriend Magda presses Doug to specifically describe his confusion, how does he respond?
5. What is **Psychogenic amnesia**? What is the assumed cause of this type of amnesia?
6. What does it mean that psychologists worry about the "**malingering**" affect of psychogenic amnesia?
7. How did his sister and father react to "meeting" Doug?

15. What is meant by philosopher Mary Warnock's claim that "Doug is definitely the same man but questionably the same person"?
16. What does Doug's friend Jim mean when he says that as Doug gets to know his past, "he gets to make the decision which bits to re-embrace and which bits to discard and in some ways he is quite lucky that he is in a position to make that decision"?
17. Doug's friend Jim explains that all his old friends want him to regain his memory but that Doug doesn't, "so there is a bit a conflict". To what extent do you believe Jim when he says, "as long as he's happy, that's cool"?
18. Where in the brain are memories located?

HOMEWORK DUE TUESDAY, 10/21

Rupert, the narrator of the film, explains that “*the true nature of Doug’s condition extends beyond the bounds of current medical technology*”. To what extent do you believe that Doug’s amnesia is a medical mystery or simply a charade orchestrated by Doug to start a new life? Use evidence from the film to support your claim. Write below. **MINIMUM 8 SENTENCE RESPONSE FOR FULL CREDIT.**