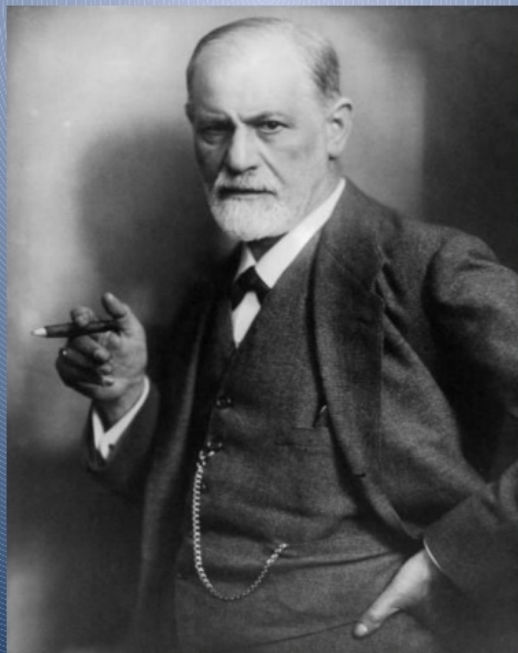
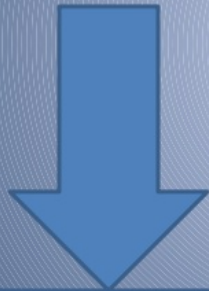


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## TOPOGRAPHIC MODEL

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## PSYCHIC MODEL

- Id(Pleasure principle)
- Ego(Reality principle)
- Super ego(Morality principle)

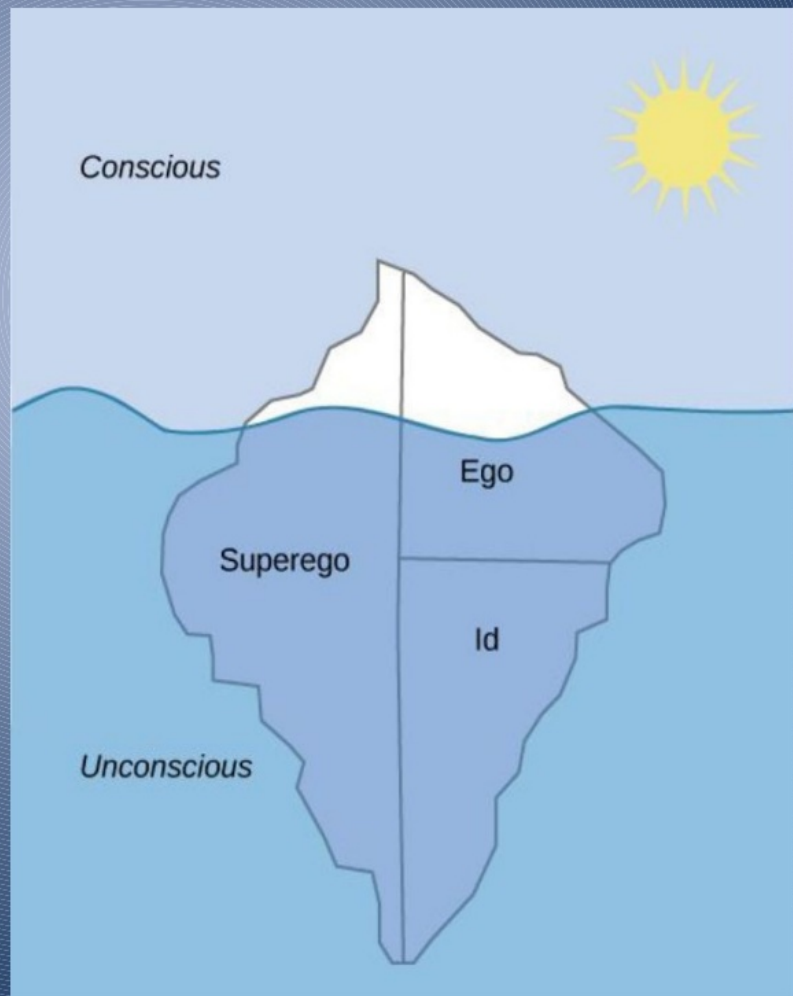


# TOPOGRAPHIC MODEL

**Conscious mind**-As the tip of the iceberg the conscious mind is characterised by sensory awareness and is limited to what people are capable of hearing, touching, sensing, tasting, smelling at any particular time.

**Pre-conscious mind**-It is located below the level of conscious awareness. It contains pieces of information that can be brought into conscious awareness, when needed.

**Unconscious mind**-The largest and most influential region of mind postulated by Freud is the unconscious mind. This holds unacceptable memory or urges, desires or impulses that could seriously threaten a person's sense of self, if they were expressed directly at the conscious level of awareness.

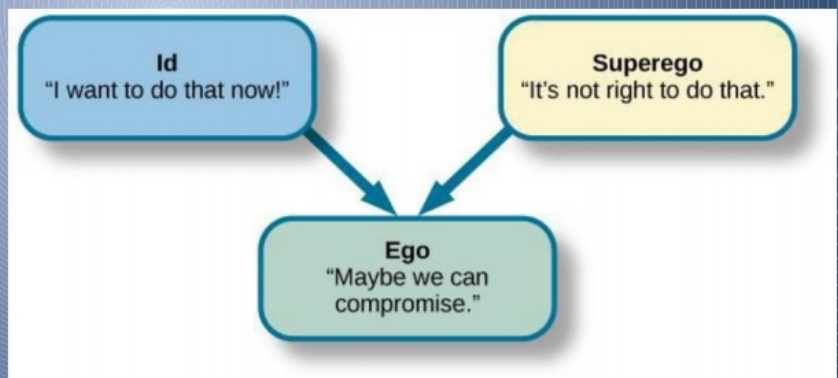


# PSYCHIC MODEL

❖ **Id**-If it feels good,then do it.

❖ **Ego**-The master of reality.

❖ **Super Ego**-The moral authority of personality.





# EGO-DEFENCE MECHANISM

- Ego-defence mechanism are a series of unconscious action taken by the ego as a form of self defence are designed immediately to reduce anxiety. Some common ego defence mechanism are discussed below-
  - Repression
  - Denial
  - Reaction formation
  - Displacement
  - Regression
  - Rationalisation
  - Undoing
  - Sublimation



- **Repression**-It occurs when the ego unconsciously removes threatening impulses, desires and memories from conscious awareness. The process of repression occurs at an unconscious level, the individual is not even aware that it is happening.
- **Denial**-It occurs when the ego distorts reality to deal with threatening impulses and information easier.
- **Reaction formation**-The defence mechanism of reaction formation involves dealing with unacceptable impulses by expressing just the opposite feeling.
- **Displacement**-It is a defence mechanism used by the ego to shift the expression of an impulses from an unacceptable or threatening target to a more acceptable or less threatening one.



- **Regression**-It is a defence mechanism by which the individual attempts to cope with a threatening situation by reacting to earlier, less mature behaviour pattern.
- **Rationalisation**-With the defence mechanism of the rationalisation, an individual makes up what are supposed to be rational or logical explanation to justify unexpected behaviour.
- **Undoing**-It is a defence mechanism involves an individual engaging in some sort of behaviour designed to compensate or make amends for unacceptable feeling or actions expressed.
- **Sublimation**-The defence mechanism of sublimation involves converting unacceptable impulses into actions serving a more socially acceptable purpose.



# PSYCHO-SEXUAL DEVELOPMENT

- Freud viewed personality development as moving through a series of stages. Each stage reflects the body area through which libido or sexual energy is discharged during that period. Stages are below-
- Oral stage
- Anal stage
- Phallic stage
- Latency stage
- Genital stage



## Freud's Psychosexual Stages

Oral Stage: Birth to 1 Year  
Erogenous Zone: Mouth



Anal Stage: 1 to 3 Year  
Erogenous Zone:  
Bowel and  
Bladder Control



Phallic Stage: 3 to 6 Year  
Erogenous Zone: Genitals



Latent Stage: 6 to Puberty  
Libido Inactive



Genital Stage: Puberty to Death  
Maturing Sexual Interests





## Psychoanalytic Criticism

- Psychoanalytic Criticism sees literary texts as representing the unconscious thoughts and desires shared by members of a culture. It is a method of textual analysis which explores the relationship between cultural processes and the construction of personal identity. (Moon 1995: 97)
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