

“Docile Bodies” worksheet

Disciplines [definition:]

Produce **“docile” bodies** [defined how 136-141?]

Disciplines use four types of technique to create a form of individuality with four characteristics [167]:

1. *Cellular*, by distributing individuals in space (define and list 4 features) [141-149]
2. *Organic*, by controlling activities (define and list 5 features) [149-156]
3. *Genetic*, by adding up and capitalizing time (define and list 4 features) [156-162]
4. *Combinatory*, by aggregating forces (define and list 3 features) [162-167]

In groups of three, review and list the sub-characteristics of your assigned section. Be ready to tell the rest of the class about its features. Also be ready to give examples—both citing the historical examples Foucault provides, and, where possible, finding a contemporary example that resonates.

Technique	Late C18 example	Contemporary example?