

GCSE PSYCHOLOGY ROADMAP



Go straight into employment or an apprenticeship



Start A Levels and/or BTEC



RESULTS DAY

PAPER 2 EXAM
Social Context and Behaviour

PAPER 1 EXAM
Cognition and Behaviour

REVISION AND EXAMINATION PRACTICE

Language, Thought & Communication

How are language and thought connected? What is the difference between animal and human communication? What is the function and purpose of non-verbal communication?

Brain and Neuropsychology

What is the structure & function of the nervous system? What is the structure and function of neurons? Are there certain areas of the brain specialised for certain skills? Introduction to neuropsychology.

Psychological Problems

What are the symptoms of depression? Why do we become depressed? How do we treat depression?

Year 11

Social Influence

Why do people comply or obey? Are certain personalities more or less likely to obey? Why do some people help when others do not? What happens to people's behaviour when in a crowd?

Perception

What is the difference between sensation & perception? Why don't we fall or bump into things when we move around? How and why do visual illusions work? What are the theories of perception? What factors affect perception?

INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

What is Psychology all about?
What will I learn?

Year 10

Development

How do attachments form and why are they needed? What happens if they break? Which parent is more important?

Memory

How big is our memory? Why do we forget?
How are memories formed? What factors affect your recall?

RESEARCH METHODS

How do we design research? Can we study people safely?
How can we measure things like feelings accurately?