

Psychology: Curriculum Mapping

Paper 1: Social influence, Memory, Attachment and Psychopathology

Paper 2: Approaches, Biopsychology and Research methods.

Paper 3: Issues and debates, Schizophrenia, Gender and Forensic psychology

Final Exams

Revision

Gender: Sex and Gender, Biological and Psychological explanations for gender development.

Schizophrenia: The diagnosis and classification of schizophrenia with a focus on reliability and validity. Biological and psychological explanations and treatments for schizophrenia. The interactionist approach in explaining and treating



Summer Term

Biopsychology: A detailed look at the brain; localisation of function and hemispheric lateralisation, recovery of the brain and ways we can study the brain. Biological rhythms: the types and the regulators of the rhythms.

Forensic: Offender profiling, Biological and Psychological explanations for offending behaviour, dealing with offending behaviour

Issues and Debates: The issue of ethical implications in research.

Approaches: Comparison of the approaches.

Spring Term



Research Methods: Scientific processes, data handling and analysis and Inferential

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Psychopathology: What are the clinical characteristics for depression, phobic disorders and OCD? How can we explain psychological disorders and what are the



Year 13 Autumn Term

Attachment: How do attachments form and what are the different types? Explanations for attachment and the consequences of disrupting attachments. The influence of early attachment on childhood and adult relationships.

Research Methods: Scientific processes in research and data handling and analysis.

Summer Term

Social Influence: Why do people comply or obey? Are certain personalities more or less likely to obey? How does the minority influence the majority?

Spring Term

Research Methods: Scientific processes in research and data handling and analysis.

Memory: Models of memory. Why do we forget information? How does anxiety affect memory? How can the police benefit from research into eyewitness testimony?

Year 12 Autumn Term



Approaches: where did psychology originate from? Behavioural, Social Learning, Biological, Cognitive, Humanistic and Psychodynamic approach



An introduction to essay writing in Psychology

How do I revise in Psychology?

