



# PSYCHOLOGY KEY STAGE 5 SCHEDULE

# 2022-2024

## UNIT 1 – SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY, MEMORY, ATTACHMENT AND PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

- CONFORMITY, OBEDIENCE, RESISTANCE TO SOCIAL INFLUENCE, SOCIAL CHANGE
- TYPES OF MEMORY, MODELS OF MEMORY AND EYEWITNESS TESTIMONY
- CAREGIVER INTERACTIONS, ATTACHMENT TYPES AND MATERNAL DEPRIVATION
- ABNORMALITY, PHOBIAS, DEPRESSION, OCD AND TREATMENTS

## UNIT 2 – APPROACHES, BIOPSYCHOLOGY AND RESEARCH METHODS

- COGNITIVE, LEARNING, PSYCHODYNAMIC, BIOLOGICAL, HUMANISTIC APPROACHES
- CNS, NEUROTRANSMITTERS, ENDOCRINE SYSTEM, BRAIN FUNCTION AND SCANS
- EXPERIMENTAL METHODS, SCIENTIFIC PROCESSES, DATA HANDLING, STATISTICS

## UNIT 3 – RELATIONSHIPS, STRESS, FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY AND ISSUES AND DEBATES

- THE FORMATION, MAINTENANCE AND BREAKDOWN OF RELATIONSHIPS
- PHYSIOLOGY OF STRESS, IMMUNOSUPPRESSION AND COPING STRATEGIES
- OFFENDER PROFILING, EXPLANATIONS OF OFFENDING AND CUSTODIAL SENTENCES
- FREE WILL - DETERMINISM, NATURE - NURTURE, REDUCTIONISM - HOLISM, ETHICS

## EXAMINATIONS

## WHEN

YR 12 POST 18 GATEWAY INTERNAL EXAMINATION	JUNE 2023
PAPER 1 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY, MEMORY, ATTACHMENT AND PSYCHOPATHOLOGY	JUNE 2024
PAPER 2 APPROACHES, BIOPSYCHOLOGY AND RESEARCH METHODS	JUNE 2024
PAPER 3 RELATIONSHPS, STRESS, FORENSICS, ISSUES AND DEBATES	JUNE 2024

## TOPICS FOR YEARS 12 AND 13

## YEAR OF STUDY

APPROACHES, MEMORY AND ATTACHMENT	YEAR 12
SOCIAL, PSYCHOPATHOLOGY AND RESEARCH METHODS	YEAR 12
BIOPSYCHOLOGY, STRESS AND FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY	YEAR 13
RELATIONSHIPS AND ISSUES AND DEBATES	YEAR 13

## OTHER INFORMATION

### Exam Board and Specification

AQA Psychology A Level 7182 [www.aqa.psychology.specification](http://www.aqa.psychology.specification)

### Course Textbooks

AQA Psychology For A Level Year 1 & AS Authors Cara Flanagan, Dave Berry, Matt Jarvis and Rob Liddle (ISBN 9781908682406)

AQA Psychology For A Level year 2. Authors Cara Flanagan, Dave Berry, Matt Jarvis and Rob Liddle (ISBN 9781908682413)

### Independent work

Pupils have access to the resources on the TBSHS Psychology Gateway, including resources, reading material, revision sites and past papers. Past papers and mark schemes are available to download from [www.mathsmadeeasypsychology](http://www.mathsmadeeasypsychology)

### Equipment

Students will need a folder, paper, pens, highlighters, dividers, a calculator and the subject specific textbook.