

# **A-Level Psychology**

# Staff delivering:

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# **Topics/Units studied:**

- Social Influence
- Memory
- Attachment
- Psychopathology
- Approaches
- Biopsychology
- Research methods
- Issues & debates
- Forensic Psychology
- Relationships
- Stress

# Key dates & deadlines

#### A-Level x3 exam papers in June

Paper 1: Introductory topics	Paper 2: Psychology in	Paper 3: Issues and options
in psychology	context	in Psychology
Social Influence, memory,	Approaches,	Issues & debates, forensic
attachment &	biopsychology and	psychology, relationships, &
psychopathology	research methods	stress
Assessed	Assessed	Assessed
Written exam: 2hrs	Written exam: 2 hrs	Written exam: 2 hrs
• 96 marks in total	• 96 marks in total	• 96 marks in total
• 33.3% of A-level	• 33.3% of A-level	• 33.3% of A-level

### **Career Pathways**

Psychology is useful for any careers that involve working with people, such as education, police service, nursing etc. If students continue to study it further at degree level, they can go on to do specific careers in Psychology.

#### Success

In 2018-2019 the A-level Psychology course had a 100% pass rate, with students achieving A-E grades.

#### Alumni

#### 2019 -

X1 student went to study Canine & Feline Training & Behaviour at Askham Bryan

# 2018 -

X1 student went to study Education and Psychology at the University of Lincoln X1 student went on to study Forensic Psychology through the Open University

#### 2017-

X4 students went to study Psychology at Hull University X1 student went to study Psychology at the University of Lincoln X1 student went to study Psychology at the University of Buckingham

#### Progression

After studying A-level Psychology, students can further their knowledge through studying a degree in Psychology at University. This can lead to careers in areas such as Forensic, Educational, Counselling, Clinical & Sports Psychology and research & teaching.

# Trips

Tutor 2 U Psychology conferences

