

A Level Psychology



Entry Requirements

To study Psychology at A level you will need grade 5+ in GCSE English and 6+ in Mathematics and Science.



Knowledge & Skills gained:

- Knowledge and understanding of concepts, theories and studies in relation to different areas of psychology, such as Developmental Psychology, Bio-Psychology, Social Psychology and topics such as gender, aggression and schizophrenia.
- Knowledge and understanding of research methods and ethical issues associated with these areas of psychology.
- Knowledge and understanding of research methods should be developed through:
 - direct study of research methods
 - undertaking practical research activities involving collection, analysis and interpretation of qualitative and quantitative data
- Develop skills of analysis, evaluation and application.

Future Opportunities

University – Psychology is in demand and is a well-respected academic discipline, which promotes progression to higher education into a wide range of degree subjects such as law, criminology, sociology, psychology, social policy, counselling mathematics, and many more.

Employment opportunities – Previous students have gone into careers ranging from social work, clinical psychology international development, counselling, law, politics, teaching and many more.

Complementary Subjects

There are no requirements to study Psychology, along other specific subjects, but many of our students also take other social science A levels such as Law, Politics and Sociology as well as Business Studies. Psychology also lends itself to combining effectively with Modern Foreign and Community languages, as well Biology, Sports Studies, Mathematics, English and History.