

Course Information – Psychology

Students will learn all about research methods and how to conduct investigations using human participants. In the first year of study, students will learn about how the brain develops, factors that influence growth and development, social influence, memory and psychopathology. In the second year of study, students will further develop their understanding of research methods (including data analysis), forensic psychology and the psychology of sleep.

Assessment

Two exams to be taken at the end of the second year of study.

Paper 01 – 55% of the overall grade (105 minutes)

Paper 02 – 45% of the overall grade (105 minutes)

Both papers will have a mixture of question styles (multiple-choice, diagram and short answers). Paper 02 will include extended answer questions and will require a calculator.

Future Opportunities

The ideal route to studying a Level 3 course in; Biology, Psychology, Sociology, Criminology, Sport, Health and Social Care.

