



## Subject Psychology

Year 11

## Curriculum Map

		2022 -2023
Week Commencing	Topic (including links to additional resources)	Assessment Window
STAFF INSET 05/09 Y7 DAY 06/09 ALL STUDENT IN 07/09	<ul> <li>Explain the James-Lange theory of emotion.</li> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Evaluate the James-Lange theory of emotion.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> <li>Recall and apply specific knowledge on the structure ANS/ fight or flight</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</li> </ul>	
12/09/2022	<ul> <li>Explain the neuron structure and functions         <ul> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> <li>Recall and apply specific knowledge on the James-Lange theory of emotion</li> </ul> </li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</li> </ul>	
19/09/2022	<ul> <li>Explain the neuron structure and functions</li> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> <li>Recall and apply specific knowledge on Hebb's theory of learning and neuronal growth</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</li> </ul>	
26/09/2022	<ul> <li>Explain the structure and localisation of function in the brain.</li> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> </ul>	



















	• Recall and apply specific knowledge on Hebb's theory of learning	
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03/10/2022	<ul> <li>Explain and evaluate Penfield's study of the interpretive cortex.</li> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> <li>Recall and apply specific knowledge on the functions and structure of the brain</li> <li><u>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/</u> http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology-</li> </ul>	
10/10/2022	<ul> <li><u>8182</u></li> <li>Develop and extend your knowledge on neuropsychology and cognitive psychology</li> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> <li>Recall and apply specific knowledge on the functions and structure of the brain</li> <li><u>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</u></li> </ul>	
17/10/2022	<ul> <li>Learning checkpoint</li> <li>Develop and extend your knowledge on Tulving's gold memory study.</li> <li>Apply specific and relevant knowledge to examination style questions.</li> <li>Recall specific key words</li> <li>Recall and apply specific knowledge on the functions and structure of the brain</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</li> </ul>	
October Half Term		

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31/10/2022	Revision for mock examination	
7/11/2022	DDI wave one re-teaching	AR1
14/11/2022	DDI opportunity wave two re-teaching	AR1
21/11/2022	<ul> <li>An introduction to mental health</li> <li>How the incidence of significant mental health problems changes over time</li> <li>Characteristics of mental health, eg positive engagement with society, effective coping with challenges.</li> <li>Cultural variations in beliefs about mental health problems</li> <li>Increased challenges of modern living, eg isolation</li> <li>Increased recognition of the nature of mental health problems and lessening of social stigma</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/</li> <li>http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology-8182</li> </ul>	
28/11/2022	<ul> <li>An introduction to mental health</li> <li>How the incidence of significant mental health problems changes over time</li> <li>Characteristics of mental health, eg positive engagement with society, effective coping with challenges</li> <li>Cultural variations in beliefs about mental health problems</li> <li>Increased challenges of modern living, eg isolation.</li> <li>Increased recognition of the nature of mental health problems and lessening of social stigma</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/</li> <li>http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology-8182</li> </ul>	

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5/12/2022	<ul> <li>Mental health problems on individuals and society</li> <li>Individual effects, eg damage to relationships, difficulties coping with day to day life, negative impact on physical wellbeing.</li> <li>Social effects, eg need for more social care, increased crime rates, implications for the economy</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</li> </ul>	
12/12/2022	<ul> <li>Characteristics of clinical depression</li> <li>Differences between unipolar depression, bipolar depression and sadness.</li> <li>The use of International Classification of Diseases in diagnosing unipolar depression: number and severity of symptoms including low mood, reduced energy levels, changes in sleep patterns and appetite levels, decrease in self-confidence</li> <li><u>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/</u> <u>http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology-</u> 8182</li> </ul>	
Christmas Break		
02/01/2023	<ul> <li>Theories of depression</li> <li>Interventions or therapies for depression</li> <li>Biological explanation (influence of nature) imbalance of neurotransmitters, eg serotonin in the brain</li> <li>Psychological explanation (influence of nurture): negative schemas and attributions</li> <li>Use of antidepressant medications</li> <li>Cognitive behaviour therapy (CBT).</li> <li>How these improve mental health, reductionist and holistic perspectives. Wiles' study of the effectiveness of CBT</li> <li>http://www.illuminate.digital/aqapsychgcse/ http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/gcse/psychology- 8182</li> </ul>	



















9/01/2023	<ul> <li>Characteristics of addiction</li> <li>The difference between addiction/dependence and substance misuse/abuse.</li> <li>The use of International Classification of Diseases in diagnosing addiction (dependence syndrome), including a strong desire to use substance(s) despite harmful consequences, difficulty in controlling use, a higher priority given to the substance(s) than to other activities or obligations.</li> <li>Theories of addiction</li> <li>Interventions or therapies for addiction</li> <li>Biological explanation (influence of nature): hereditary factors/genetic vulnerability. Kaij's twin study of alcohol abuse.</li> <li>Psychological explanation (influence of nurture):</li> <li>Peer influence</li> <li>Aversion therapy</li> <li>Self-management programmes, eg self-help groups, 12 step recovery programmes</li> <li>How these improve mental health, reductionist and holistic perspectives</li> </ul>	
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23/01/2023	Learning checkpoint- examination questions- psychological problems	Learning checkpoint- examination questions- psychological problems
30/01/2023		
6/02/2023		
13/02/2023		
February Half Term		
27/02/2023		AR2
6/03/2023		AR2
13/03/2023		
20/03/2023		
27/03/2023		

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Easter	
17/04/2023	
24/04/23	
1/05/2023	
8/05/2023	GCSE
15/05/23	GCSE
22/05/23	GCSE
May Half Term	
05/06/2023	GCSE
12/06/2023	GCSE
19/06/2023	GCSE



































