Sixth Form

Psychology Learning Journey

READY STEADY EXAM

EXAMS

NHS

Schizophrenia

How does the environment and biology interact to cause schizophrenia?

How can CBT be used to treat schizophrenia?

How does drug therapy work?

Does schizophrenia develop due to a dysfunctional family life?

Does schizophrenia develop due to biology?

Aggression

Is aggression linked to violent video games?

Is aggression caused by the world around us?

Why and how did aggression evolve?

Is aggression genetic?

How can brain chemistry and hormones explain aggressive behaviour?

How are biological rhythms regulated?

Do the two halves of the brain do different things?

How does the brain recover after trauma?

How can we study the brain?

Is diagnosis valid and reliable?

What is schizophrenia?

Should we investigate socially sensitive topics?

Biopsychology

What is the role of the endocrine system in behaviour?

How is the nervous system structured?

How are neurons structured?

What is the process of synaptic transmission?

What happens during the fight or flight response?

Does each part of the brain do something different?

Throwback Lessons

Issues and Debates

Is Psychology gender biased?

Is Psychology culture biased?

Do we have free will over our behaviour?

Is behaviour down to nature or nurture?

Can behaviour be explained through simple cause and effect?

Should we use scientific methods to investigate psychology?

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Approaches

How does the humanistic approach explain human behaviour?

How does the psychodynamic approach explain human behaviour?

How does the biological approach explain human behaviour?

How does the cognitive approach explain human behaviour?

How does the social learning theory explain human behaviour?

How does the behaviourist approach explain human behaviour?

What are the origins of Psychology as a science?

Content/ Thematic Analysis

Statistical Testing

How do virtual relationships differ from face to face?

Validity

Reliability

Features of a Science

Observational Techniques

How does the biological approach explain and treat OCD?

Ethics

What is the process of a relationship breakdown?

How are relationships maintained?

How do romantic relationships form?

How can evolution explain partner choice?

How does deprivation affect development and adult relationships?

How can we assess attachment styles?

Is attachment due to evolution?

Relationships

Correlations

How does the cognitive approach explain and treat depression?

Attachment

Is attachment learned?

How do animal studies help understand human behaviour?

What are the stages in which attachment develops?

How do caregivers and infants interact?

Interviews

How does the behavioural approach explain and treat phobias?

Why do some individuals resist social influence?

How can a minority group influence the majority?

How does the process of social change take place?

Throwback Lessons

Case Studies

Sampling

Types of Data

Presenting Data

Self Report

Questionnaires

How do cues help us to remember?

What factors influence eye-witness testimony?

What techniques can we use to improve eye-witness testimony?

How can we define abnormal behaviour?

What are the characteristics of phobias, depression and OCD?

Psychopathology

How can we explain obedient behaviours?

Pilot Studies

How does information interfere and cause us to forget?

How does information move through our types of memory?

What are the features and types of long-term memory?

What are the features of short-term memory?

Memory

Control

Milgram: Which factors influence why we obey authority?

Hypotheses

Variables

Aims

Experimental Method

Research Methods

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Zimbardo: Why do people conform to social roles?

Asch: What factors influence the likelihood an individual will conform?

Why do people conform to social groups?

Social Influence

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