## **Key Stage 5 Psychology**



## **Year 13 A' Level Psychology Curriculum Information**

		Key Question:			Specification:	Skill Focus: (AO)
Term 1:	•	Individual	•	Paper	2	AO1: Knowledge and
		differences		0	Approaches	understanding
	•	Biopsychology		0	Biopsychology	AO2: Application,
	•	Research Methods		0	Research Methods (Yr2)	AO2: Research methods and
		(Yr2)	•	Paper	3	data analysis
	•	Issues and debates		0	Issues and debates	AO3: Evaluation
Term 2:	•	Issues and debates	•	Paper	3	AO1: Knowledge and
	•	Psychopathology		0	Issues and Debates	understanding
	•	Developmental		0	Schizophrenia	AO2: Application and Maths
		Psychology		0	Cognitive development	AO3: Evaluation
	•	Anti-social		0	Aggressions	
		behaviour				
Term 3:	•	Developmental	•	Paper	3	AO1: Knowledge and
		Psychology		0	Cognitive development	understanding
	•	Anti-social		0	Aggressions	AO2: Application and Maths
		behaviour				AO3: Evaluation

## **Year 13 Assessment Information**

Assessment	Time/Venue	What will be assessed?
Key assessments:	Term 1 –	Past exam questions
WK2 – Review Yr	Week 2 – 60 mini questions on all Yr 12 topics	AO1: Knowledge and
12 topics	(30mins classroom)	understanding
	Week 5 –Approaches essay & RM short	AO2: Application and Maths
Baseline test Wk5	questions (40mins classroom)	AO3: Evaluation
	<ul> <li>Week 10 –RM Yr 2 (30mins classroom)</li> </ul>	
Formal test	<ul> <li>Week 13 – Biopsychology (30mins classroom)</li> </ul>	
papers Wk10&13	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Key assessments:	<ul> <li>Week 16 &amp; 17 – Mock exams (Hall))</li> </ul>	Past exam questions
Mock exam	2hr paper – Memory (yr12 topic), Biopsychology	AO1: Knowledge and
Resits of mocks	and Research Methods (Yr 12 and 13 topics).	understanding
	<ul> <li>Week 19 – possible resit of the mock exam</li> </ul>	AO2: Application and Maths
Formal test	Week 22 (after half term) – Schizophrenia &	AO3: Evaluation
papers Wk22	Issues and Debates (1hr classroom)	
Key assessments:	Week 31 – Aggression & Cognitive (1hr	Past exam questions
Formal test	classroom)	AO1: Knowledge and
papers Wk31		understanding
		AO2: Application and Maths
		AO3: Evaluation

