

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: PSYCHOLOGY 1
Status: Definitive
Code: **3000BELHU** (101132)
Version Start Date: 01-08-2011

Owning School/Faculty: Arts, Professional and Social Studies
Teaching School/Faculty: Bellerby's College - Brighton

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Academic Level: FHEQ3
Credit Value: 12.00
Total Delivered Hours: 68.25
Total Learning Hours: 120
Private Study: 51

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	66.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	AS1	Module Examination	100.0	2.25

Aims

This module introduces students to the areas of Cognitive, Developmental and Social Psychology and explains how these impact on the development of the individual and society.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Describe the psychological theories relevant to the three specified areas.

- 2 Explain through written tasks how these theories might be applied to real situations.
- 3 Retain information and use it to answer relevant questions in class tests and the end of module examination.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

EXAM 1 2 3

Outline Syllabus

1. *Cognitive Psychology with a focus on human memory, its nature and structure; multi-store model, working memory model and levels of processing; the work of Bartlett and Loftus.*
2. *Developmental Psychology covering theories of Piaget and Vygotsky and their application to education.*
3. *Social Psychology with a focus on anti-social behaviour, specifically aggression; main theories, environmental factors and media influences.*

Learning Activities

Interactive lessons to small classes, regular formative homework assignments, class tests and terminal module examination.

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Cardwell, Clark and Meldrum
Publishing Year	2004
Title	Psychology for A Level
Subtitle	
Edition	3rd Edition
Publisher	Harper Collins
ISBN	9780007170432

Notes

Introduces students to key areas of psychological studies, the key theories and how these should be applied to deepen understanding of the development of the individual and of human society.