

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: PSYCHOLOGY 3
Status: Definitive
Code: **3002BELHU** (101134)
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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
Essay	AS1	Coursework: tutor-assessed essay on a topic studied during the term	20.0	
Exam	AS2	Module Examination	80.0	2.25

Aims

To introduce students to the areas of Bio-Psychology and Abnormal Behaviour.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Describe psychological theories relevant to the areas of Biological and Abnormal

- Psychology.
- 2 Use material studied to complete a tutor-assessed coursework essay.
 - 3 Retain the information learned and deploy it effectively in responding to questions in class tests and the final module examination.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

ESSAY	1	2
EXAM	1	3

Outline Syllabus

1. *Biological Psychology with a focus on stress, differing responses to stress and techniques of stress management.*
2. *Abnormal Behaviour, specifically schizophrenia and eating disorders, their clinical characteristics, symptoms and theoretical explanations, the Diathesis-Stress model.*

Learning Activities

Interactive lessons to small classes, regular formative homework assignments, tutor-assessed coursework essay, 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

This module introduces students to Biological and Abnormal Psychology, deals with the link between psychological and physiological aspects, and, in considering, current issues associated with mental health and eating disorders, places the topics in a real life context.