

Curriculum Map
A Level Psychology
Year 12

Term 3	What is being learnt?	Remote learning links	
Spring 1	Social Influence – DE (12C, 12D) HKM (12E) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conformity – types and explanations • Conformity – Asch’s research • Conformity to social roles/mock prison study • Obedience – situational variables and Milgram’s research • Situational explanations – agentic state, legitimacy of authority • Dispositional explanations – authoritarian personality • Resistance to social influence 	AQA Psychology for A Level (Year 1) on-line textbook + resources Teams Year 12 Psychology isolation work (powerpoints, worksheets, additional resources)	Chapter 1, Social Influence, p. 15-43
	Attachment – HKM (12D)/RHO (12C, 12E) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Animal studies of attachment – Lorenz and Harlow • Explanations of attachment – Learning theory • Explanations of attachment – Bowlby’s monotropic theory 		Chapter 3 – Attachment, p. 74-91

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of attachment • Cultural variations in attachment • Bowlby's theory of maternal deprivation <p>Psychopathology – RHO (12C)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definitions of abnormality • Phobias • Behavioural approach to explaining phobias • Behavioural approach to treating phobias 		Chapter 5, Psychopathology, p. 136-141, p. 146-149
Term 4	What is being learnt?	Remote learning links	
	<p>Social Influence – DE (12C, 12D) HKM (12E)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minority influence • Social influence and social change <p>Approaches in Psychology – (DE 12D), RHO 12E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wundt and origins of psychology • Learning approach – Behaviourism • Learning approach – social learning theory • Cognitive approach 	<p>AQA Psychology for A Level (Year 1) on-line textbook + resources</p> <p>Teams Year 12 Psychology isolation work (powerpoints, worksheets, additional resources)</p>	<p>Chapter 1, Social influence, p. 32-43</p> <p>Chapter 4, Approaches in Psychology, p. 106-113</p>

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Year 13

Term 3	What is being learnt?	Remote learning links	
Spring 1	Cognition and Development (DE) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Piaget's theory of cognitive development • Piaget's stages of intellectual development • Vygotsky's theory of cognitive development 	AQA Psychology for A Level (Year 2) on-line textbook + resources Teams Year 13 Psychology isolation work (powerpoints, worksheets, additional resources)	Chapter 7, Cognition and development, p. 178-183
	Aggression – HKM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neural and hormonal mechanisms in aggression • Genetic factors in aggression • Ethological explanation of aggression 		Chapter 11, Aggression, p. 292-297

Term 4	What is being learnt?	Remote learning links	
Spring 2	Cognition and Development (DE) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baillargeon's explanations of infant abilities • Social cognition – Selman's levels of perspective taking • Social cognition – Theory of mind • Social cognition – mirror neuron system 	AQA Psychology for A Level (Year 2) on-line textbook + resources Teams Year 13 Psychology isolation work (powerpoints, worksheets, additional resources)	Chapter 7 – Cognition and development, p. 184-199
	Aggression – HKM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolutionary explanations of human aggression • Social-psychological explanations – frustration-aggression hypothesis • Social-psychological explanations – social learning theory • Social-psychological explanations – De-individuation • Institutional aggression in the context of prisons • Media influences on aggression • Desensitisation, disinhibition cognitive priming 		Chapter 11, Aggression, p. 298-319

