## **Bellerive FCJ Catholic College**

Department: Social Sciences - Psychology Year Group: 13



Term	Learning Focus	Key Knowledge and Skills	Assessment	Challenge and Enrichment
1	Research methods & Biopsychology	Data handling Inferential statistics Localisation of function	Research methods assessment Biopsychology assessment	Research methods revision – Shortened: Up Learn Results Day   A Levels   Excelsior Academy  Independent extended answer booklets
		Ways of measuring the brain Biological rhythms		Independent short answer booklets
2	Issues and debates & Comparison of the approaches	Gender & culture bias Nature v nurture Free will & determinism Holism & reductionism Idiographic & nomothetic Ethical implications	Issues and debates assessment  Comparison of the approaches essay question	Issues and debates revision - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M3GITA- gMDo&list=PLtE4p7J M8VDsaFQ1JzOwQur49fYo5Eqy  Comparison of approaches revision - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qlt_zPzDlxl  Independent extended answer booklets  Independent short answer booklets
3	Schizophrenia & Relationships	Classification and diagnosis of Schizophrenia Biological explanations & treatments of Schizophrenia Psychological explanations & treatments of Schizophrenia Interactionist approach  Evolutionary explanations for partner preferences	Schizophrenia assessment	Schizophrenia revision - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cc8XyQR3KT8  Independent extended answer booklets  Independent short answer booklets

4	Relationships &	Factors affecting attraction	Relationships assessment	Relationships revision -
	Forensic Psychology	Theories of romantic relationships		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i4GgPzWzHR8&t=58s
		Virtual relationships in social media		
		Parasocial relationships		Independent extended answer booklets
		Offender profiling		Independent short answer booklets
		Biological explanations		independent short answer booklets
		Psychological explanations		
5	Forensic Psychology &	Dealing with offending behaviour	Forensic psychology	Forensic psychology revision -
	Revision/Exam skills		assessment	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= Ez-
				YBIzY4M&list=PLtE4p7J M8VBOL4-lm V0vJ5KZ rzBr1s
				Independent extended answer booklets
				Independent short answer booklets