

Year Group:13**Subject: Psychology****Term: Autumn 2021**

Topic	Key learning points	Assessment
RELATIONSHIPS	<p>End point: to have thorough knowledge and understanding of theories of romantic relationships and factors affecting attraction. To assess the differences between face to face and virtual relationships and understand the issues and explanations of parasocial relationships.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To know the relationship between sexual selection and human reproductive behaviour • To discuss the factors affecting attraction including self-disclose, physical attractiveness and the filter theory • To discuss theories of relationships including social exchange theory, the equity theory, Rusbult's investment model and Ducks phase model of relationship breakdown. • To discuss key elements and differences of virtual relationships and understand and explain parasocial relationships. 	<p>Regular embedded exam questions throughout the module with apply it questions regular timed essays end of module test [30 mins]</p>
FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY	<p>End point: to have thorough knowledge and understanding of offender profiling techniques and explanations of offender behaviour. To outline, evaluate and apply ways of dealing with offender behaviour.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To understand the differences between top down and bottom up approaches of offender profiling • To discuss the biological [atavistic form, neural and genetic] and psychological [Eysenck's theory, cognitive, psychodynamic and differential association theory] explanations of offender behaviour. • Discuss ways of dealing with offender behaviour including custodial sentencing, behavioural modification in custody, anger management and restorative justice] 	<p>Regular embedded exam questions throughout the module with apply it questions regular timed essays end of module test [30 mins]</p>
SCHIZOPHRENIA	<p>End point: to know how schizophrenia is diagnosed and assessed. To be able to discuss explanations and treatments of schizophrenia.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To understand how schizophrenia is diagnosed and classified • To discuss the biological and psychological [cognitive, family dysfunction] explanations of schizophrenia • To discuss the biological treatments -drug therapy and psychological treatments -CBT, family therapy and token economies. 	<p>Regular embedded exam questions throughout the module with apply it questions regular timed essays end of module test [30 mins]</p>