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<b>13</b>	<b>Schizophrenia</b> Classification and diagnosis Biological explanations of sz, including genetics, the dopamine hypothesis and neural correlates. Drug therapy, distinguishing between typical and atypical antipsychotics. Psychological explanations of sz: Family dysfunction and cognitive explanations. Cognitive behaviour therapy, family therapy, Token economy Diathesis stress model								Synoptic links Different psychological perspectives applied to explanations and treatments of schizophrenia, OCD, Depression and Phobias Comparison of approaches					<b>Addiction</b> Risk Factors: genetics, stress, personality, family influences and peers. Learning theory as applied to Gambling Addiction, including the use of partial and variable reinforcement. cognitive theory as applied to gambling Theory of planned behaviour Prochaska's model of behaviour change					<b>Issues and Debates</b> Gender and culture bias					<b>Gender</b> Sex and gender, Androgyny Biological explanations of gender differences Cognitive gender theories; Gender schema theory and Kohlberg's theory. Social learning theory used to explain the influence of cultural and media Psychodynamic theory Atypical gender development.					<b>Biopsychology</b> Localisation of brain function Brain plasticity Ways of studying the brain. Split brain research. Biological rhythms Endogenous pacemakers and sleep/wake cycle					<b>Issues and debates</b> Freewill/determinism, nature/nurture, holism/reductionism/idiographic/nomothetic approaches Socially sensitive research and ethics					P P E 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39					Revision of Paper 1 Social influence Memory Attachment Psychopathology					A-Level exam																			
	<b>Research Methods</b> Revision of different research methods Aims and hypotheses								Carrying out a research project- Man Whitney U test					Report writing conventions					Graphical representation					Reliability and validity and improvement of					Correlation And correlational tests					P P E 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39					Inferential statistics Probability and significance Choice of statistical tests Type 1 and 2 errors					Different statistical tests					Ethical issues in psychological research					P P E 2					Research methods related to topics in psychology					A-Level exam				
<b>12</b>	<b>Conformity</b> to a majority Types, explanations and research into conformity- Asch Conformity to social roles- Zimbardo Explanations of obedience- Milgram Dispositional explanations of obedience- Adorno Minority influence and social change								<b>Memory</b> Models Multistore model and Working Memory Theories of forgetting Interference and Retrieval Failure Factor affecting Eyewitness Testimony and improving accuracy of EWT					<b>Attachment</b> stages and types Attachment Theories; Learning and Bowlby Ainsworth's Strange situation- measurement Effects of Deprivation and institutionalisation Long term consequences					P P E 1					<b>Approaches</b> in psychology, assumptions and research. Behaviourist Approach Social Learning Theory Cognitive Approach Psychodynamic Approach Humanistic Approach					Biological Approach Bio-psychology Genetics Nervous and endocrine system.					<b>Psychopathology</b> Definitions of abnormality Explanation and treatments of; Phobias-behavioural Depression-cognitive OCD- Biological					Psychological Practical research project investigating Gender stereotypes, using Content analysis					Revision of Paper 1					PPE 2																			
	<b>Research methods</b> introduction to different methods Experiments- Independent and dependent variables Hypotheses Directional/ non Ethical issues in psychological research								Experimental design Control of extraneous variables, standardisation Different types of experiments Reliability and Validity					Observation studies Self-report methods Correlational research Correlational tests Reliability and Validity					P P E 1					Pilot studies Types of data Descriptive statistics Case studies Measures of dispersion Standard deviation					Distribution- normal and skewed					Sign test and research project Content Analysis Chi squared test					Peer review Implications of psychological research on the economy					Embedding PPE 2																								

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