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School of Psychology & Neuroscience

Virtual Visiting Day

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Studying in St Andrews

- BSc or MA honours degree in Psychology cover core topics such as
 - Social and developmental psychology
 - Cognition and cognitive neuroscience,
 - Sensation and perception
 - Individual differences and clinical psychology
 - Comparative and evolutionary psychology
 - Research methods and statistics

Our single honours psychology degrees and many of our joint psychology degrees are accredited by the British Psychological Society.

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M.A. or B.Sc. Example

M.A.

- English
- Philosophy
- Psychology

B.Sc.

- Biology
- Chemistry

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Structure of Course

- 1st Year (~ 350 students):
 - Lecture courses (4 days a week)
 - Practical/methodology classes
 - Two other (non-psychology) courses
- 2nd Year (~ 200 students):
 - Lectures
 - Practicals
 - Tutorials
 - One other course

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First Year – Fundamentals of Psychology

PS1001

- Developmental Psychology
- Evolutionary Psychology
- Social Psychology

PS1002

- Neuroscience
- Sensation
- Perception

Research Methods

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Second Year – Advanced Principles of Psychology

PS2001

Behavioural Neuroscience

Perception

Clinical Psychology

Research Methods

PS2002

Cognition

Comparative Psychology

Social Psychology

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Structure of Course

- Honours entry limited to students who achieve the necessary grades at second year (~ 120 students).
- Junior Honours:
 - Lectures
 - Seminars
 - Small group projects
 - Review essay

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Structure of Course

- Senior Honours:
 - Lectures & seminars: choice of subjects
 - Individual projects under supervision of member of staff
 - Independent review essay

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Indicative Senior Honours Options

Visual Art

Music

Behavioural Neuroscience

Gender Differences

Mechanisms of Behaviour

Face Perception

Episodic Memory

Group Processes

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Indicative Senior Honours Options

Origins of Mind

Social and Technical Intelligence

Terrorism

Cognition and the emotional disorders

Dementia

Psychopathology

Computer Modelling

Communicating Science

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- Study Abroad opportunities (third year)
- Joint degree programmes with BPS are available for almost all subjects dependent on Honours module choices
- Research participation in on-going projects to experience high quality research in action (and get paid) and through Internships.
- Mentoring Scheme
- Psychology Society
- Study support and Professional Skills Development via Centre for Educational Enhancement and Development

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