De La Salle School Psychology Curriculum Year 11

Knowledge, Skills and Understanding

Half term 1a	Half term 1b	Half term 2a	Half term 2b	Half term 3a	Half term 3b

<u>Psychological problems</u>
• Key concepts
  ○ Defining, prevalence, incidence, and attitudes of mental health
  ○ Effects of mental health on individuals and wider society
• Schizophrenia
  ○ Clinical characteristics
  ○ Social drift theory (psychological)
  ○ Biological theory
• Key study – Daniel et al (1991)
• Depression
  ○ Clinical characteristics
  ○ ABC model (psychological)
  ○ Social rank theory (biological)
  • Key study – Tandoc et al (2015)
  • Application – development of treatments
	<u>Social influence</u>
	• Key concepts
	  ○ Conformity and obedience
	  ○ Collective and crowd behaviour
	• Theory – effect of situational factors on behaviour
	• Key study – Bickman et al (1974)
	• Theory – effect of dispositional factors on behaviour
	• Key study – NatCen (2011)
	• Application – how both minority and majority influence affect social change in relation to mental health stigma and discrimination
		<u>Sleep and dreaming</u>
		• Key concepts
		  ○ Functions, features and benefits of sleep
		  ○ Sleep cycle and when we dream
		  ○ Neuropsychology of sleep
		• Theory- Freudian Theory of Dreaming
		• Key study – Freud (1918)
		• Theory – Activation synthesis theory of dreaming
		• Key study – Williams et al (1992)
		• Application – development of treatment for insomnia and sleep hygiene.
			13-mark questions	**Revision**	

Assessment and Assessment Focus

Key concepts – MCQ & extended answer Theory 1 – check in Theory 2 – check in Application – check in			