

Introduction to A Level and Applied (BTEC) Psychology – Summer Independent Learning 2025

Please complete the listed tasks in the order they are presented. If you are able to print this document, then please do so and **tick the checklist off** as you complete each task. If you are unable to print this document, then please just read the checklist and use it as a guide.

Click the **images** in this Tick when the Description of the task and what column to take you to each needs to be evidenced in FULL task is video lesson September (in italics) complete Task Number & Title **Description of Task** (√/×) Task Complete 1: HISTORY OF PSYCHOLOGY a) History of Psychology - 12 Q's to answer from the Welcome to Btec and A' Level video Psychology PSYCHOLOG' b) Create a Poster on different careers in psychology **FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY HERE:** 2: CONFORMITY AND Watch the first 3min 40 secs of the video lesson. **SOLOMON ASCH** Then pause, and access the second following video clip: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o8BkzvP19v4 Key Study: Resume the first video and complete task a when prompted PSYCHOLOG' a) Why do people conform – write an explanation paragraph from the content in the video Return to the video lesson, read the details of the study and complete task b b) Answer 6 Q's on Asch's conformity study from the video a) Misinformation effect video – write an explanation paragraph b) TED ed talk video – answer 3 Q's on memory



3: EYEWITNESS TESTIMONY AND ELIZABETH LOFTUS c) Answer 4 Q's on Loftus' Eyewitness Testimony study Key Study: Loftus (1970's) and Reconstructive Memory and **PSYCHOLOGY** 4: LOCALISATION OF **FUNCTION AND PHINEAS** GAGE a) Introduction to Localisation of Function – 10 questions to answer from the video Key Study: Phineas Gage (Harlow 1868) b) Phineas Gage video - 10 questions to answer from the video **PSYCHOLOGY** 5: CLASSICAL CONDITIONING AND LITTLE ALBERT a) Little Albert video and 10 questions to answer Key Study: The Little Albert Experiment Watson & Rayner (1920) b) Read through the study and answer 6 questions on **PSYCHOLOGY** Watson and Rayner a) Watch the video and make a glossary of terms **6: SOCIAL LEARNING THEORY** AND BOBO DOLL for SLT b) Watch the advert and write a paragraph explaining Key Study: it using SLT Bobo Doll (Bandura 1961) c) Watch the video and use the PDF to complete your **PSYCHOLOGY** mind map of Bobo Doll d) Read Bobo and 5 questions to answer a) Identify the IV & DV b) Summary table on key features of lab experiment / strengths & weaknesses



7: INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH METHODS



- c) Short paragraph on ethical issues with 'smoke filled room study'
- d) Glossary of terms on lab experiments & ethics

LINKS USED IN THE VIDEOS

IF YOU HAVE ANY ISSUES ACCESSING THE VIDEO LESSONS PLEASE TRY COPYING AND PASTING THE LINK INTO MICROSOFT EDGE. IF YOU CONTINUE TO HAVE ISSUES COMPLETE YOUR OWN INDEPENDENT RESEARCH INTO EACH TOPIC AND WRITE SOME NOTES.

LIST OF LINKS TO ADDITIONAL CLIPS

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vo4pMVb0R6M (History of Psychology)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qQ-96BLaKYQ (Reconstructive Memory)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PB2OegI6wvI (TED Ed talk with Loftus)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FMnhyGozLyE (Little Albert)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nu3fFB9rxKE (Localisation of function)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oOkISlxST38&list=LLgJdKiyCO4axDMhjh41Ddkw&index=787

(Phineas Gage)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rh-T4E4W4n0 (Social Learning Theory)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KHi2dxSf9hw (SLT advertisement)

https://youtu.be/eqNaLerMNOE (Bobo Doll Study)

https://quizlet.com/en-gb (Quizlet Cards)



YOU WILL NEED TO ALLOCATE <u>AT LEAST 4 HOURS</u> TO WATCH THE VIDEO LESSONS <u>AND</u> THEN ADDITIONAL TIME TO COMPLETE THE ACTIVITIES. SPREAD THE WORKLOAD OUT OVER A FEW DAYS RATHER THAN TRYING TO DO IT ALL AT ONCE!

You will be expected to produce this work in your first lesson with your psychology teacher in September. Please don't worry if there are bits that you haven't managed to complete though – just try your best and do as much as possible!

We hope you enjoy learning about psychology and are excited about starting the course with us. Have a lovely summer and see you soon!



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