

AGCE Psychology

Madeley Academy

WHY PSYCHOLOGY?

The opportunities for students of Psychology, when they have completed a degree programme are enormous and a wide range of career choices are available.

- Clinical Psychology
- Educational Psychology
- Occupational Psychology
- Forensic (or Criminal & Legal)
- Sports Psychology
- Counselling Psychology
- Health

It is also useful in other areas not directly concerned with Psychology: Management Personnel, Teaching and Public Service

The Psychology AGCE course enables students to acquire a basis for further study and employment. It aims to encourage an experimental approach to Psychology linked to theoretical developments and to give an understanding of the methodologies of Science. Students are expected to develop the ability to collect, present and interpret experimental and empirical data.

Psychologists work in many different areas of society and are concerned with practical problems such as:

- Helping people to overcome depression, stress, trauma or phobias
- Ensuring that school pupils and students are being taught in the most effective way
- Making sure that people are happy at work and perform to the best of their abilities
- Helping the police, courts and prison service to perform more effectively
- Helping athletes and sports people to perform better

SPECIFIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Students must achieve a minimum of 5 GCSEs (Grades A* C)
- including English and Maths
- Grade B or above in GCSE Mathematics, English and Science

COURSE DETAILS

You will study four Modules as follows:

- Introduction to Psychology
- Social Psychology, Cognitive Psychology and Individual Differences
- Child Development and Applied Options
- Approaches, Debates and Methods in Psychology



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