

# High Tunstall College of Science Curriculum Intent

Subject: Psychology Year: 11

## Thread—Psychological Problems



Topic	Key ideas	Progress		
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Psychological Problems	I can describe the prevalence of mental health issues			
	I can discuss the impacts of mental health to individuals and society			
	I can describe the symptoms and diagnosis method for depression			
	I can evaluate the treatments of depression and key studies of depression			
	I can outline and evaluate key studies investigating the effectiveness of CBT			
	I can describe the symptoms and diagnosis method for addiction			
	I can evaluate the treatments of addiction			
	I can outline and evaluate key studies looking at hereditary factors of addiction			

Lesson	Learning Focus	Assessment	Key Words
1	What is mental health ?	Description of prevalence rates	
2	What is the impact of mental health on society and individuals ?	Comparison of social and individual impacts of mental health	
3	What is depression and how is it diagnosed ?	Describe the forms of depression and the linked symptoms	Diagnosis
4	What causes depression ?	Comparison of the biological and psychological theories of depression	Depression
5	How can Depression be treated ?	Evaluation of the effectiveness of depression treatments	
6	What are the therapies for depression ?	Summary of key study– including and outline and evaluation	Treatments
7	What is addiction and how is it diagnosed ?	Describe the forms of addiction and the linked symptoms	
8	What are the root causes of addiction ?	Comparison of the biological and psychological theories of addiction	Addiction
9	What are the treatments for addiction ?	Evaluation of the effectiveness of addiction treatments	
10	What are the treatments for addiction ?	Evaluation of the effectiveness of addiction treatments	
11	What role does genetics play in addiction ?	Summary of key study– including and outline and evaluation	