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| **Term 1**  1-2 | Introduction to Psychology:   * What is psychology? * What jobs are available in psychology? * Psychology is a science |  |
| 3-4 | Introduction to Psychology:   * Ethics in Psychology | **Introduction to Psychology Quiz (5%)** |
| 5-6 | Structure/Function of Brain:   * Phrenology * The functions of the brain * Structure of brain |  |
| 7-8 | **Model Assessment** | **Model of the Brain Assessment due (15%)** |
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| **Term 2**  Week 1 | Mental illness   * Types of mental illness * Effects of mental illness |  |
| 2-3 | **Completing Presentation** | **Mental Illness Presentation (15%)** |
| 4-5 | Cognition - Perception vs Sensation   * Sensation – senses * Perception – visual illusion * Attention – selective and divided |  |
| 6-7 | Cognition – Physiological response to consciousness   * Electrical activity of the brain (EEG) * Heart rate * Body temperature |  |
| 8-9 | * Parasympathetic/ sympathetic nervous system | **Semester 1 Online Notes (10%)** |
| 10 | Forensic Psychology and Lying   * Pathological liars * Pathological liars * Galvanic skin response * Polygraph * Control question test |  |
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| **Term 3**  1-2 | Cognition - Memory:   * Processes of memory –encoding, retrieval, storage * Retrieval cues |  |
| 3-4 | **Reliability of Memory Assignment** | **Reliability of Memory Assignment (15%)** |
| 5 | Forensic Psychology - memory:   * Eye witness testimony - Photofits * Police line-up * Misleading question |  |
| 6-7 | **Amnesia Assignment** | **Amnesia Assignment (15%)** |
| 8-9 | Social Psychology – Types of relationships   * Antisocial behaviour * Prosocial behaviour |  |
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| **Term 4**  1-2 | Social Psychology   * Diffusion of responsibility * Bystander effect – Kitty Genovese |  |
| 3-4 | Social Psychology   * Conformity * Compliance * Asch’s Line Experiment |  |
| 5-6 | Social Psychology   * Obedience * Milgram – Shock experiment * Zimbardo – Stanford Prison Experiment |  |
| 7-8 | **End of Topic Test** | **End of Topic Test (15%)** **Semester 2 Online Notes (10%)** |
| 9-10 | Analysis of psychology in media | 9-10 |