

HE07C Person Specification

TO BE SENT TO THE STUDENT IN ADVANCE OF INTERVIEW

Course Title	BSc (Hons) Psychology
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1.	Course Details
	To be a student of TEC Partnership based at University Centre Grimsby studying the course BSc Psychology (hons) validated by University of Hull.
	The validation document which describes the programme is published on the TEC Partnership website https://grimsby.ac.uk/higher-education-course/applied-psychology/ and is version number v3.5
	You will be required to complete 360 credits including a 40-credit dissertation at level 6.

2.	Student Activities
	You should ensure that you can attend sessions anytime between Monday and Friday as stipulated on your timetable. Hours of study are usually from 9.00am to 5.00pm, but could be outside of these hours so flexibility is required.
	Attendance should be 90% or above, this is in accordance with the TEC Partnership expectations.
	Be prepared to study 39 hours per week; this should be a combination of delivered sessions and independent study.
	Ensure you have the means to pay for the course; if this is via student finance this should be arranged prior to commencement.
	Take all reasonable steps to comply with the policies and procedures of TEC Partnership.
	Be prepared to engage in seminar sessions, and work as part of a team.
	Be prepared to undertake a range of assessments with specific deadlines, for each module.

3.	Following full engagement in the programme, and upon its successful completion, students will:		
	Demonstrate critical understanding of the core contemporary fields of psychology by integrating conceptual ideas from across the discipline		
	Demonstrate ability to criticality explain what science is, and use scientific terminology in relation to psychological research		



Critically test psychological theory and research for usefulness in understanding individual differences and social and cultural diversity

Critically evaluate the merits of different explanations for and interpretations of psychological phenomena, identify differences between explanations. and the relevance of distinctive psychological approaches to specific issues

Critically analyse the practical and ethical issues associated with the use of different theoretical approaches and research methodologies

Initiate and carry out empirical research using appropriate techniques to investigate psychological concepts

Apply the principles of scientific enquiry and psychological theory to critically evaluate and solve real world problems.

Use information, communication and research technologies to work on projects, individually and in groups, to explore theory and research within the field of psychology.



Qualities	Specific Requirements	Where demonstrated	Е	D
Qualifications and Training	Minimum of 80 UCAS points at Level 3 and GCSE (or Level 2 Equivalent) in Maths and English	Application	Х	
	Completion of Level 3 Access Qualification – 60 credit minimum		x	
	Meet the non-standard entry requirements as specified in the programme specification		X	
Specialist Knowledge	Knowledge of the British Psychological Societies protected titles	Interview		Х
Experience	Work in a relative sector on a paid or voluntary basis	Application and Interview		Х
Skills and Attributes	Ability to manage own time effectively to ensure can meet multiple deadlines.	Interview	Х	
	Ability to work as part of a team, even if there are personal disagreements.		Х	
	Ability to persevere when faced with challenging circumstances.		X	
	Ability to solve large and complex problems using critical thinking skills.		х	
	Demonstrate a level of professionalism when dealing with others.		x	
Other	Commitment to 39 hours a week studying	Interview	Х	
	Availability throughout the academic year and potentially the resit period		Х	
	Knowledge about the use of Information Communication Technology to allow completion of an academic programme			x
	Student finance applied for or appropriate payment plan in place			Х

Qualities identified and determined by: E = Essential D = Desirable