

HAPPY

# PSYCHOLOGY

Psychology focuses on exploring matters related to the brain, including the connections between thoughts, feelings and behaviours and the factors that influence these.

PREREQUISITES: FOR STAGE 2, AT LEAST ONE SEMESTER OF A STAGE 1 SCIENCE SUBJECT

## WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

01. Produce written practical reports, analysing data collected from class investigations.
02. Discover the influence psychological knowledge has on society, such as through Mindfulness research.
03. Learn about how humans change and develop across their lifespan.

### Transferable Skills

- Using a range of communication formats to express ideas logically and fluently
- Analysing facts and data and testing assumptions
- Evaluating processes and outcomes
- Developing creative, innovative and/or practical solutions
- Working ethically

### Assessment

Stage I	70% Investigations Folio; 30% Skills and Applications Tasks.
Stage II	30% Investigations Folio; 40% Skills and Applications Tasks; 30% Examination



### VOCATIONAL PATHWAYS

- Certificate I Program in Pathways to Health and Community
- Certificate III in Mental Health
- Certificate IV in Youth Work



### TERTIARY PATHWAYS

- Bachelor of Education (Secondary) / Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Social Work/Bachelor of Social Work (external)
- Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology)



### CAREERS

- Aged Care Worker
- Teacher/Child Care Worker
- Police Officer
- Nurse- enrolled/registered
- Psychologist- Clinical



SACE STAGE 1 | 10 CREDITS  
ONE SEMESTER



SACE STAGE 2 | 20 CREDITS  
FULL YEAR



ATAR SUBJECT