

Psychology

The scientific study of the human mind and behaviour

Learn how Psychology is used to explain aggressive behaviours and gender differences

Develop transferable skills that are valued by employers & universities such as independent learning, self-reflection, critical thinking, team working, analytical and presentation skills

YOU WILL STUDY

- **Unit 1:** Psychological Approaches and Applications
- **Unit 2:** Conducting Psychological Research
- **Unit 3:** Health Psychology
- **Unit 4:** Optional Module – An introduction to Psychopathology

ASSESSMENTS

- Two external examinations – 60%
- Two pieces of Coursework – 40%
- Unit 1 and Unit 3 are externally assessed with each exam taking place in the January of the first and second year of the course.

SUPPORTING YOU

- Warm, supportive classroom environment
- 1:1 catch ups
- Coursework drop-in clinics
- Revision tutorials



PROGRESSION

- A Level 3 (A Level equivalent) course leading to a range of degree programmes including Psychology related degrees such as Education, Nursing, Counselling, and Sports Coaching.
- Employment or an apprenticeship in a range of health, educational and social care sectors.

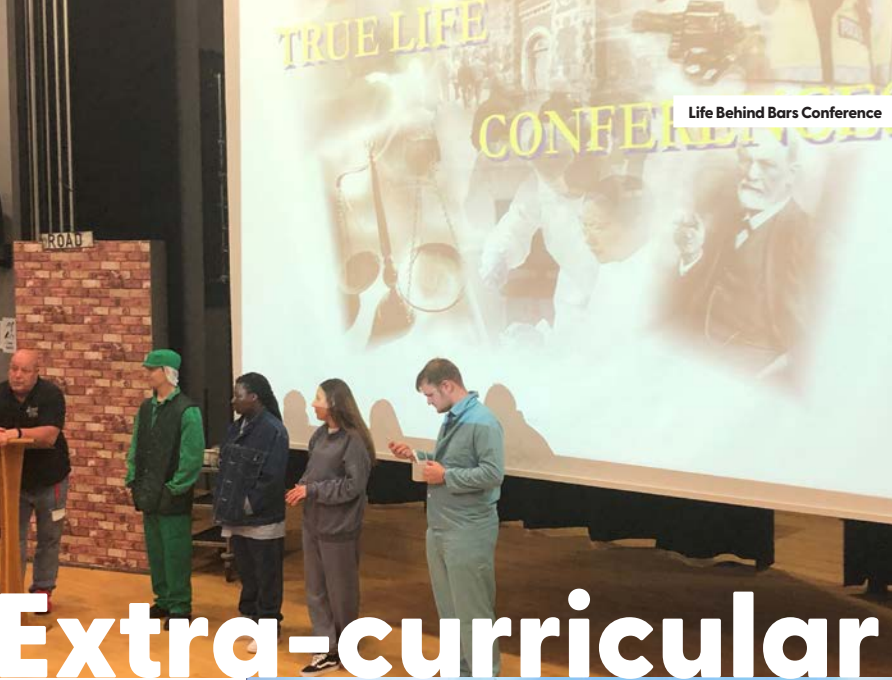
Imagine what you can become

Neuropsychologist → Advertising Executive

Human Resources → Finance Officer

Retail Assistant → Clinical Technician

Forensic Scientist



Extra-curricular

Workshops and lectures from guest speakers & practitioners

Trips and visits



2022 RESULTS

Extended Certificate: Dist*-Dist 58% / Dist*-Merit 98%

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My Experience

“What I enjoy about studying BTEC Applied Psychology is that it allows you to have a better insight and understanding of psychology as whole, and you also develop fundamental skills that real psychologists use on an everyday basis i.e., writing a literature review. It also allows you to improve your research skills when doing coursework that will help you in the future at university.

At Carmel the staff are lovely, especially the psychology department. They will help you every step of the way through your course to make sure you achieve the best grade possible.”



David Craig

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