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About your course

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You can find full details of your course in the *Programme Specification*.

**Important points**

The aim of this programme is to enable students to

• explore the scientific study of the mind.
• acquire skills, including research methods and statistical analyses, relevant to undertaking psychological investigations.
• undertake a psychological research project under the supervision of an expert in the field.
• gain eligibility for the Graduate Basis of Chartered Membership (GBC) with the British Psychological Society.

The programme may be studied either full-time in one year or part-time over two years.

**Academic Year**

*Academic Year 2021 – 2022*

The University’s academic year is made up of 3 Semesters. Normally most undergraduate programmes use Semesters A and B, additionally postgraduate programmes and specific undergraduate programmes use Semester C. Each of these is made up of teaching weeks followed by exams (the re-sit period falls within Semester C).

• Semester A runs from Monday 27 September 2021 to Friday 21 January 2022
• Semester B runs from Monday 24 January 2022 to Friday 13 May 2022
• Semester C runs from Monday 16 May 2022 to Friday 09 September 2022

Teaching for the course will start with two induction days during the week beginning Monday 27 September 2021. The specific dates for the induction days will be advised nearer to the start of the course.
**Additional expenses**

Due to the ongoing effects of the pandemic some teaching sessions may be delivered online. Therefore, to study online you will need access to a suitable computer or similar electronic device and a good reliable Internet connection, which may incur additional expenses. Please note that our Learning Resource Centres (LRCs) have PCs and Macs available to use, including hi-spec PCs. The university also has laptop loans available at both LRCs and provide a remote desktop portal service to allow users to access the software on Lab and LRC Windows PCs when not on campus.

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