

# BA (PSYCHOLOGY) PROGRAMME (1)

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Total Semester Modules
	Psychology 1A	Psychology 1B	
	<b>Second Major 1A</b> <i>Choose <u>one</u> of the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Anthropology</li><li>• Communication</li><li>• Classical Culture &amp; Mythologies</li><li>• Education</li><li>• Historical Studies</li><li>• Philosophy</li><li>• Religion</li><li>• Sociology</li></ul>	<b>Second Major 1B</b> <i>Choose <u>one</u> of the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Anthropology</li><li>• Communication</li><li>• Classical Culture &amp; Mythologies</li><li>• Education</li><li>• Historical Studies</li><li>• Philosophy</li><li>• Religion</li><li>• Sociology</li></ul>	
First Year	<b>Elective 1A:</b> <i>Choose <u>one</u> of the following not already chosen as <u>Second Major</u>:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Anthropology</li><li>• Communication</li><li>• Classical Culture &amp; Mythologies</li><li>• Education</li><li>• Historical Studies</li><li>• Philosophy</li><li>• Religion</li><li>• Sociology</li></ul>	<b>Elective 1B:</b> <i>Choose <u>one</u> of the following not already chosen as <u>Second Major</u>:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Anthropology</li><li>• Communication</li><li>• Classical Culture &amp; Mythologies</li><li>• Education</li><li>• Historical Studies</li><li>• Philosophy</li><li>• Religion</li><li>• Sociology</li></ul>	8
	<b>English 1C*</b>	<b>English 1D*</b>	
	<b>* Note:</b> If you have achieved an A or B for English in matric, you may substitute English 1C and 1D with another elective 1A and 1B from the following list: ( <i>You should choose <u>one</u> of the following not already chosen as a <u>Second Major</u> or an <u>Elective</u> above</i> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Anthropology</li><li>• Communication</li><li>• Classical Culture &amp; Mythologies</li><li>• Education</li><li>• Historical Studies</li><li>• Philosophy</li><li>• Religion</li><li>• Sociology</li></ul>		

# BA (PSYCHOLOGY) PROGRAMME (2)

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## Second Year

### Semester 1

### Semester 2

*Total  
Semester  
Modules*

**Psychology 2A**  
(Developmental Psychology)

*Choose one of the following:*

Psychology 2D  
(Positive Psychology)

**OR**

Psychology 2F  
(Contemporary Psychology)

**OR**

Psychology 2H  
(Personality Psychology)

**OR**

Sport Psychology 2B

**Psychology 2C**  
(Social Psychology)

*Choose one of the following not  
already chosen above:*

Psychology 2D  
(Positive Psychology)

**OR**

Psychology 2F  
(Contemporary Psychology)

**OR**

Psychology 2H  
(Personality Psychology)

**OR**

Sport Psychology 2B

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**Second Major 2A**

**Second Major 2B**

**Elective 2A**

**Elective 2B**

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# BA (PSYCHOLOGY) PROGRAMME (3)

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Total Semester Modules
<b>Third Year</b>	Psychology 3A (Research Psychology)	Psychology 3D (Psychopathology)	
	Choose <u>one</u> of the following:  Psychology 3C (Child and Family Psychology) <b>OR</b> Psychology 3E (Community Psychology) <b>OR</b> Psychology 3G (Cognitive Psychology)	Psychology 3F (Psychotherapy: Theories and Models)	6
	Second Major 3A	Second Major 3B	
	<b>Total Modules</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>

## EXAMPLE OF A DEGREE PROGRAMME

	FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
FIRST YEAR (8 courses)	Psychology 1A	Psychology 1B
	Sociology 1A	Sociology 1B
	Anthropology 1A	Anthropology 1B
	English 1C	English 1D
SECOND YEAR (8 courses)	Psychology 2A	Psychology 2D
	Psychology 2C	Psychology 2H
	Sociology 2A	Sociology 2B
	Anthropology 2A	Anthropology 2B
THIRD YEAR (6 courses)	Psychology 3A	Psychology 3D
	Psychology 3C	Psychology 3F
	Sociology 3A	Sociology 3B
<b>TOTAL MODULES</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>

# NOTES

## Academic Calendar

- Each academic year runs from February to November.
- Each year is split into two semesters with the winter holidays dividing them:
  - The first semester runs from February until June.
  - The second semester runs from July until November.

## Courses

- Typically one semester course is equal to one course credit.
- Each degree programme consists of a certain number of semester courses or modules that you must complete in order to receive the degree. The BA (Psychology) programme requires that you complete 22 courses.
- Courses are named according to the year level and whether they run in the first or the second semester. Courses with the letters A,C, E, G run during the first semester and courses with letters B, D, F, H run in the second semester, for example, Psychology 1A, is a first year level course (1) and is presented in the first semester (A).
- For each year level you must complete a specified number of first and second semester courses, for example, you must complete four first semester and four second semester courses in your first year for the BA (Psychology) degree programme.
- A major subject or course is one that you will take every year of the degree programme, for example, for BA (Psychology), you will take Psychology on first, second, and third year level. There are two major subjects in the BA (Psychology) degree programme. You can choose your second major subject.
- An elective course is an extra course which you are required to complete as part of the programme. In some cases, you are required to take an elective up to a certain year level, for example, in the BA (Psychology) degree programme, you must take an elective course in your first year and then continue with that course in your second year.