### **Fiction**



We Need to Talk about Kevin by Lionel Shriver

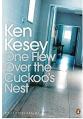
Who is to blame for Kevin's horrific rampage? His mother questions whether her alarming dislike for her own son may be responsible for small town murder.

#### The Collector by John Fowles



Withdrawn, uneducated and unloved, Frederick collects butterflies. He adds art student Miranda to his collection, keeping her captive in his cellar. An exploration of the captor/captive relationship.

#### One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest by Ken Kesey



Criminal McMurphy feigns insanity and is admitted to a mental hospital where he challenges the autocratic authority of the head nurse.

#### Lord of the Flies by William Golding



A paradise desert island inhabited only by schoolboy plane crash survivors takes a savage twist as their sense of order is replaced by animalistic instincts.

#### The Shock of the Fall by Nathan Filer

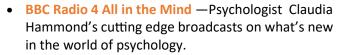


An extraordinary portrait of one man's journey through the spinning vortex that is mental illness.

### Websites

- www.thepsychologist.bps.org.uk
- www.psychologytoday.com
- www.newscientist.com
- www.intropsych.com
- ww.youngminds.org
- www.simplypsychology.org

## **Podcasts**



- The Psychology Podcast with Dr Scott Barry Kaufman—Insights into the mind, brain, behaviour and creativity.
- The Psych Files—how the field of psychology applies to everyday life.



The school subscribes to JSTOR, a digital library of academic journals, e-books and primary sources.

## Inspiration

"We are not what happened to us, we are what we wish to become."

**Carl Jung** 

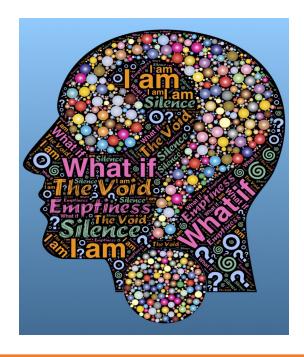


## **PSYCHOLOGY**

SUBJECT RESOURCES FOR R6 STUDENTS

All available from the

#### LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRE



### **Non-Fiction**

Books you may find useful to broaden your psychology knowledge will be found in all libraries under the following Dewey Decimal numbers:

Psychology: 150 Mental health: 362 & 616

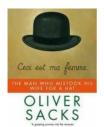
**Developmental learning: 155** Brain: 612

**Applied psychology:** 158 **Psychoanalysis**: 616



The Lucifer Effect: How Good People
Turn Evil by Philip Zimbardo

An examination of how the human mind has the capacity to be infinitely caring or selfish, kind or cruel, creative or destructive, and the ways in which the goodness of humanity can be transformed into bestiality. 155



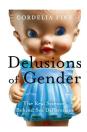
The Man Who Mistook His Wife for a Hat by Oliver Sachs

Neurologist Oliver Sachs recounts case studies of patients lost in the bizarre, apparently inescapable world of neurological disorders. 616



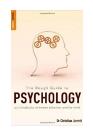
59 Seconds: Think a little, Change a Lot by Richard Wiseman

Discover why even *thinking* about going to the gym can help you keep in shape! Myth-busting scientific answers to a huge range of everyday problems. **158** 



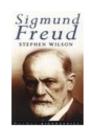
#### **Delusions of Gender by Cordelia Fine**

A discussion of the mind's remarkable plasticity, the influence of culture on identity, and how much we consider "hardwired" is actually malleable. 155



## The Rough Guide to Psychology by Christian Jarret

A contemporary look at human behaviour and the mind, covering everything from Facebook's impact on friendships and the seduction of gadgetry to improve sports performance. 150



#### **Sigmund Freud** by Stephen Wilson

A pocket biography of the father of psychoanalysis. 920



#### The Serial Killers: A Study in the Psychology of Violence by Colin Wilson

From childhood traumas to issue of frustration, fear and fantasy, discover what turns an ordinary human being into a compulsive killer. 364



# Schizophrenia: A Very Short Introduction by Chris Frith

A quick guide to schizophrenia and what this disorder tells us about the relationship between mind and brain.

## **School Information**

Exam Board: AQA 'A'

Subject Leader: Mr M Halsall

Minimum grade required: GCSE grades 5 English, 5 Science and 5 Maths.

A comprehensive resource list will be issued by Miss Marshman at the start of the course.

## **Magazines & Periodicals**

You may wish to consider subscribing to:



#### **New Scientist**

Covers current developments, news, reviews and commentary on science, psychology and technology.



#### **Psychology Review**

Topical articles, cutting-edge research and brand new case studies, plus expert exam advice.



#### The Psychologist

The monthly journal from The British Psychological Society.