

# A2 Psychology

## Unit 3

### Useful resources



## Addiction

**General Information-** <http://www.healthline.com/health/addiction>

**Films:** Trainspotting, Requiem for a Dream

**Genes -** <http://learn.genetics.utah.edu/content/addiction/genes/>

**Brain Disease-** <http://science.howstuffworks.com/life/inside-the-mind/human-brain/addiction1.htm>

**Dopamine -** <http://www.theguardian.com/science/2013/feb/03/dopamine-the-unsexy-truth>

**Individual differences -** <http://psuf09.wordpress.com/2012/02/19/individual-differences-in-addiction/>

**Addictive personality -** <http://www.addictiontreatmentmagazine.com/addiction/addictive-personality-2/>

**Cormorbidity-** <https://www.drugabuse.gov/publications/drugfacts/comorbidity-addiction-other-mental-disorders>

**Peer Pressure -** <https://www.elementsbehavioralhealth.com/addiction/study-examines-peer-pressure-and-addiction/>

**Opioid Substitution –** <http://www.evidence.nhs.uk/formulary/bnf/current/4-central-nervous-system/410-drugs-used-in-substance-dependence/4103-opioid-dependence/opioid-substitution-therapy>

**Aversion Therapy –** <http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/uknews/1336404/Drink-aversion-therapy-offers-the-abstainer-a-happy-hour.html>

**CBT -** <http://alcoholism.about.com/od/relapse/a/cbt.htm>

## Autism

**General Information** - <http://www.autism.org.uk/about/what-is.aspx>

**Films:** Rain Man,

**Books:** The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time

**NHS List of Causes**- <http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Autistic-spectrum-disorder/Pages/causes.aspx>

**Amygdala** - <http://sfari.org/news-and-opinion/viewpoint/2013/amygdala-and-autisms-checked-history>

**Chloride** - <http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/02/140206142121.htm>

**Genes** - [http://genetics.thetech.org/original\\_news/news49](http://genetics.thetech.org/original_news/news49)

**Gender Differences** - <http://www.newsweek.com/study-offers-clue-autisms-gender-divide-230414>

**Theory of Mind** - [http://www.autism.com/understanding\\_theoryofmind](http://www.autism.com/understanding_theoryofmind)

**Weak Central Coherence** - <http://www.scottishautism.org/about-autism/what-is-autism/thinking-styles/weak-central-coherence-theory/>

**Male Behaviour** - <http://www.psychologytoday.com/articles/200401/autism-whats-sex-got-do-it>

**Refrigerator Mother** - <http://autism.about.com/od/causesofautism/p/refrigerator.htm>

**Strategies** - <http://www.autism.org.uk/about/strategies.aspx>

**Relationship Intervention** – <https://www.autismspeaks.org/what-autism/treatment/relationship-development-intervention-rdi>

## **Bullying**

**General information** - <http://nobullying.com/teenagers-bullying/>

**Statistics over the last decade** - <http://www.theguardian.com/news/datablog/2013/may/23/10-years-bullying-data>

**Genes** - <http://www.theguardian.com/science/2007/dec/27/genetics.bullying>

**Hormones** - <http://nobullying.com/bullying-and-reactive-depression-in-children-and-teens/>

**Dark Triad** - <http://newyorkbehavioralhealth.com/dark-triad-personality-traits-bullying-behaviors>

**Theory of Mind** - <http://www.kcl.ac.uk/iop/news/records/2011/December2011/bullying.aspx>

**Parenting Style** - <http://www.bps.org.uk/news/negative-parenting-increases-bullying-risk>

**Cultural Differences** - <http://www.management-issues.com/news/6704/cultural-differences-and-workplace-bullying/>

**Moral Disengagement**- <http://www.parentingscience.com/bullies-and-moral-reasoning.html>

**CAPSLE** - <http://www.childtrends.org/?programs=capsle>

**Olweus Bullying Prevention Programme:** <http://www.apa.org/research/action/bullying.aspx>

**Effectiveness of Anti-Bullying Programmes** – <http://www.preventionaction.org/what-works/school-wide-anti-bullying-program-really-works/5925>

## **Criminal Behaviour**

**Theories of Crime** - <http://seiken2.hubpages.com/hub/Three-Theories-of-Criminal-Behavior>

**Inherited Criminality**- <http://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/do-your-genes-make-you-a-criminal-1572714.html>

**Amygdala** - <http://www.apa.org/monitor/2014/02/criminal-mind.aspx>

**Neuropsychology** – <http://www.theguardian.com/science/2013/may/12/how-to-spot-a-murderers-brain>

**Serotonin** - <http://law.jrank.org/pages/791/Crime-Causation-Biological-Theories-Serotonin.html>

**Eysenck's Criminal Personality** -

[http://www.psychotron.org.uk/newResources/criminological/A2\\_AQB\\_crim\\_EysenckTheory.pdf](http://www.psychotron.org.uk/newResources/criminological/A2_AQB_crim_EysenckTheory.pdf)

**Intelligence** - <http://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/the-scientific-fundamentalist/201006/why-criminals-are-less-intelligent-non-criminals>

**Sutherland's Differential Association Theory** -

<https://www.boundless.com/sociology/textbooks/boundless-sociology-textbook/deviance-social-control-and-crime-7/the-symbolic-interactionalist-perspective-on-deviance-64/differential-association-theory-381-8939/>

**Gender Socialisation** - [http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk/who\\_commits\\_crime.htm](http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk/who_commits_crime.htm)

**Anger Management** - <http://www.theguardian.com/society/2003/nov/15/mentalhealth.crime>

**Restorative Justice** - [http://www.restorativejustice.org.uk/restorative\\_justice\\_works/](http://www.restorativejustice.org.uk/restorative_justice_works/)

## Schizophrenia

**General Information** - <http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Schizophrenia/Pages/Causes.aspx>

**Films:** A Beautiful Mind, Shutter Island,

**Cannabis** - <http://www.nhs.uk/news/2014/06June/Pages/Cannabis-use-genetically-linked-to-schizophrenia.aspx>

**Dopamine** - <http://psychcentral.com/lib/the-dopamine-connection-between-schizophrenia-and-creativity/0003505>

**Pregnancy Complications** - <http://health.usnews.com/health-news/articles/2014/02/06/%20schizophrenia-linked-to-pregnancy-complications-study-suggests>

**Schizoprenogenic Mothers** - [http://www.thelancet.com/journals/lancet/article/PIIS0140-6736\(12\)60546-7/fulltext](http://www.thelancet.com/journals/lancet/article/PIIS0140-6736(12)60546-7/fulltext)

**Gender Differences** - <http://www.schizophrenia.com/sznews/archives/002562.html>

**Social Factors** - <http://psychcentral.com/news/2012/12/18/social-factors-influence-schizophrenia/49279.html>

**Dysfunctional Families** - <http://www.isps-us.org/koehler/sociocultural.htm>

**Expressed Emotion** - [http://www.medscape.com/viewarticle/499269\\_5](http://www.medscape.com/viewarticle/499269_5)

**Antipsychotic Drugs** - <http://www.webmd.com/schizophrenia/guide/schizophrenia-medications>

**CBT** - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/health-26046228>

## Stress

**General Information** - <http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/Pages/understanding-stress.aspx>

**Hormones** - [http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2013/04/19/adrenaline-cortisol-stress-hormones\\_n\\_3112800.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2013/04/19/adrenaline-cortisol-stress-hormones_n_3112800.html)

**Evolution** - <http://www.stressstop.com/stress-tips/articles/fight-or-flight-the-evolution-of-stress.php>

**Stress Genes** - <http://www.redorbit.com/news/health/1113207046/genetic-prediction-of-stress-related-illnesses-080614/>

**Individual Differences** - <https://explorable.com/individual-differences-in-the-stress-response>

**Daily Hassles** - <http://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/cutting-edge-leadership/201210/don-t-let-life-s-hassles-become-stressors>

**Locus of Control** - <http://www.stresshacker.com/2010/05/learning-from-stress-the-locus-of-control/>

**Beta-blockers** - <http://www.news-medical.net/news/20111129/Beta-blockers-prevent-negative-effects-of-stress.aspx>

**Stress Inoculation Therapy** - [http://www.makingthemodernworld.org.uk/learning\\_modules/psychology/07.TU.09/?section=6](http://www.makingthemodernworld.org.uk/learning_modules/psychology/07.TU.09/?section=6)