Applied Psychology BTEC at Highdown

You will need to spend some time over the summer familiarising yourself with the course specification.

You will need to print off the **subject specific vocabulary** (pages 22-23 of specification).

Ensure you have them at the front of your folder - this will allow you to use it as a glossary during the running of the course.

Discovery Task: using you textbooks, research the 4 approaches

Social Approach:

• Define: conformity (normative and informational social influence). The 3 types of conformity: internalisation, identification, and compliance.

Biological Approach:

• Define: genotypes and phenotypes, neurotransmitters, hormones.

Learning Approach:

• Define: classical conditioning, operant conditioning, and social learning theory.

Cognitive Approach:

• Define: reconstructive memory, cognitive priming, and cognitive biases.

References

Required <u>Textbook</u>:

Pearson BTEC National Applied Psychology: Book 1 (also available on Amazon)

Websites:

http://psychcentral.com

https://www.verywell.com/psychology-4014660

https://www.psychologytoday.com/

Deadline

You are expected to have the above completed by **Friday 4th September 2020**