Sociology and Psychology, BSc (Hons)

[Sociology and Psychology, BSc (Hons) - Swansea University](https://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/psychology/sociology-and-psychology-bsc-hons/)

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| **Duration:** 3 years full-time  **Tuition Fees:** Year 1 £17,650 (September 2024)  *Please note that tuition fees are subject to an increase of 3% each year.* [*Info here*](https://www.swansea.ac.uk/international-students/my-finances/) | **Entry Points:**  September **(In person only)** |
| **Entry Requirements:** ([Check Equivalencies for your Country](https://www.swansea.ac.uk/media/Non-EU-entry-requirements-2018.pdf))   * A Level ABB-BBB * IB 33-34 points * Minimum of grade C at GCSE (or equivalent) in Maths. | |
| **English Language Requirement:** IELTS 6.0 with no less than 5.5 in all components (or Swansea University recognised equivalents) [Check Swansea University Approved Tests and Qualifications here](https://www.swansea.ac.uk/admissions/english-language-requirements/) | |

***Suitable entry requirements as guidance – eligibility can only be confirmed once a full application has been received and reviewed.***

**Important things to note:**

* Ranked 16th in the UK for Psychology Career Prospects (Guardian 2023).
* Opportunity to take part in work placements to build on skills, experience and enhancing career prospects. Placements are in a variety of sectors depending on interests and goals.
* The course is accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS), providing students achieve at least a 2:2, they will be eligible for Graduate Membership of BPS and Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC), the first step to become a Chartered Psychologist.

**What is this programme about?**

* Expert scientific training in the relationship between the mind, brain, and behaviour while equipping you with the essential theoretical foundation to understand people's behaviour.
* Psychological and neuro-scientific processes that underpin activities such as thinking, reasoning, memory, and language, learn about the effects of brain injury, and explore ways to improve health-related behaviour.
* Generate new knowledge and information using qualitative and quantitative research tools.

**Example Topics Within the Programme:**

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| * Sociology: The Classics * Cognition I: Basic Processes * Individual and Abnormal Psychology * Social Inquiry in Practice * Sociology: Contemporary Controversies * Social & Developmental Psychology * Social Problems * Development Across the Lifespan | * Brain and Behaviour * Cognition II: Higher Level Processes * Global Sociology * Investigating Gender 2: Exploring Men and Masculinities * From Individuals to Society * Capitalism and Justice: inequality, power and prosperity in contemporary economies |

**Employability – Example of roles after graduation:**

* Further training – teaching, Social Work or healthcare professions
* Youth work
* Academia, Education and Research
* Journalism
* Policy development
* Legal, Police and Probation Services
* Marketing, Advertising
* Human Resources
* Ecology and Environmental Planning