

**PSYCHOLOGICAL AND BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCES TRIPOS**  
**Form and Conduct of Examinations 2020-21**

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**Psychological and Behavioural Sciences Tripos Part IA – PBS 1: Introduction to Psychology, 2021**

The examination will consist of a three-hour written paper. Candidates must answer three questions from Section A and one question from Section B.

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**Psychological and Behavioural Sciences Tripos Part IA – PBS 2: Psychological Enquiry and Methods**

The examination will consist of a three-hour written paper, involving FOUR sections: Section A - short answer questions on material taught throughout the course but mainly material from the Michaelmas term. Section B – short answer questions assessing the ability to apply taught material on statistics; Section C – one 30-minute essay on EITHER experimental design or a critique of a research study; Section D – one 30-minute essay on conceptual issues in psychological research.

In addition, students will complete a written report on the analysis and summary of a dataset. A choice of three datasets will be available, across different domains of psychological research, with a submission deadline at the start of Easter term. Reports will be assessed as pass or failure, with one further attempt should the initial report be deemed unsatisfactory. If the revised report is also unsatisfactory, a penalty of 1.5% will be deducted from the final overall mark for PBS2.

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**Psychological and Behavioural Sciences Tripos Part IB – PBS 3: Social and Developmental Psychology, 2021**

The examination will consist of a three-hour written paper. Candidates must answer three questions: one from Section A, one from Section B, and one from Section A or B.

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**Psychological and Behavioural Sciences Tripos Part II – PBS 6: Developmental Psychopathology, 2021**

The examination will consist of an open book 24-hour written paper, consisting of multiple sections. Each section will correspond to a different 8-lecture topic from the course, and there will be as many sections as there are 8-lecture topics. The following rubric will be used:

Answer two questions, taking not more than one from a single section.

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**Psychological and Behavioural Sciences Tripos Part II – PBS 7: Advanced Topics in Social and Applied Psychology, 2021**

The examination will consist of an open book 24-hour written paper, consisting of multiple sections. Each section will correspond to a different 8-lecture topic from the course, and there will be as many sections as there are 8-lecture topics. The following rubric will be used:

Answer two questions, taking not more than one from a single section.

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**Psychological and Behavioural Sciences Tripos Part II – PBS 8: The Family**

The examination will consist of an open book 24-hour written paper. The following rubric will be used:

Answer any two questions.

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