VCE PSYCHOLOGY: UNIT 3

Unit Description
Students study the nervous system (biological bases of behaviour), visual perception and states of consciousness. The subject looks at the role of the nervous system in understanding human behaviour, and the ways in which information is acquired, processed, stored and used.

Areas of Study
1. Biological bases of behaviour
2. Visual perception
3. States of Consciousness

Assessment
Each outcome has an assessment task to be completed. One is a report on an empirical research activity. The other two are a choice from:
- Report on empirical research activity
- Test
- Written report in poster or multi-media format
- Evaluation of research

VCE PSYCHOLOGY: UNIT 4

Unit Description
Students study memory and learning. Research methods, or how scientists study human behaviour, are also studied as part of memory and learning. This unit is designed to enable students to develop knowledge and skills in research methods in psychology and to relate the areas of learning and memory to everyday experience.

Outcomes
1. Memory
2. Learning
3. Research Methods in psychology

Assessment
Each outcome has an assessment task to be completed. One is a report on an empirical research activity. The other two are a choice from:
- Report on empirical research activity
- Test
- Written report in poster or multi-media format
- Evaluation of research