

## Psychology Summer Research Task

When you start the course in September we will be looking at the main approaches in Psychology.

Firstly you need to log onto the website to access the Psychology E-book:

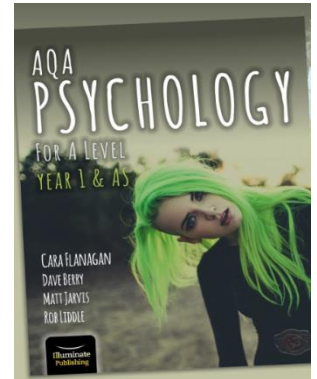
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The approaches we focus on at AS Level are:

- The learning approach: behaviourism (pages 106-107)
- The learning approach: social learning theory ( pages108- 109)
- The cognitive approach (pages 110-111)
- The biological approach (pages 112-113)



These approaches are covered in Chapter 4. You need to choose one of these approaches and understand what it is and the strengths and limitations (this is the evaluation part).

Please write up 1-2 sides on the one approach you have chosen to discuss. If you really struggle to understand what the book is saying then use the following websites:

<http://www.simplypsychology.org/perspective.html>

<http://www.psychotron.org.uk/newResources/perspLearning.html>

Familiarise yourself with this E-book as this the main book you will be using for the course.

### Course essentials:

In September please come prepared with a ring binder and notepad as well as dividers for the different topics we will be covering.