The Post

We are seeking to appoint a part-time teacher of Psychology to cover for a colleague whilst she is on maternity leave. The successful candidate will be well qualified and able to teach A-level Psychology in addition to KS3 humanities. The person appointed will join a very friendly and supportive department in the Humanities Team, with a well-established record of high academic achievement.

The Humanities Faculty

Psychology is part of our humanities faculty along with Geography, History, Sociology and Religious Studies. The faculty is located within the Humanities Block, with excellent access to ICT facilities.

Psychology

Psychology is a growing subject at KS5 with increasing numbers of students selecting the course each year.

We currently have three groups of students in Year 12 and three in Year 13, who have all opted for Psychology A Level. The groups are shared between two members of the department. We follow the AQA specification with lessons designed to ensure students are able to:

- explore the main theories
- conducting research
- critique psychological research and theory
- complete independent wider reading of psychological articles
- evaluate key psychological concepts, synoptic links, issues and debate

Academic achievement

Please do refer to our curriculum maps on our website for further information on our Psychology curriculum. https://www.kestevengrantham.lincs.sch.uk/humanities/

Academic achievement is excellent with 2022 results gaining an ALPs grade 2, placing the performance of the students in the top 10% in the country, when comparing like for like students based on prior attainment.

2022 Results

A*	18%
A*-A	52%
A*-B	94%
A*-C	94%
A*-D	100%