



Psychology in Action

An active learning day for A level students

Gressenhall Farm and Workhouse



Costumed characters and the workhouse setting, help to bring psychology to life

**Thurs 6 March & Fri 7 March 2008
10.00 – 14.00**

Interactive sessions exploring aspects of

- **Social influence**
- **Attachment**
- **Abnormality**
- **Eye witness testimony**

Cost £8.00 per student (plus admission)

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"A unique way of learning, making it a constant, interactive experience"
"Very appropriate to the AS syllabus"

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This day is based on the AQA syllabus and aims to bring psychology to life with costumed characters and role play in the unique setting of Gressenhall Workhouse. Costumed characters are based on actual individuals who lived and worked here.

Active participation from the students and input from visiting staff is strongly encouraged throughout the day!

The 4 workshops cover the following points:

Abnormality

- Definitions of abnormality
- Outline of classification system
- Difficulties and dangers of diagnosing with classification system
- Cultural relativism

Attachment

- Attachment type
- Behaviours
- Validity
- Cultural differences

Social influence

- Conformity and obedience
- Power
- Social roles
- Loss of personal identity

Eye witness

- Reliability and accuracy of Eye witness testimony
- Types of questions
- Factors affecting EWT
- Application of EWT in crime/accident investigations