

Social Studies

Psychology: What makes us tick?

When does this start and end?	What are the entry requirements?	Need more information?
• 12 January 2026 - 13 January 2026	No formal qualifications are required to study this course. A willingness to learn is essential.	You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer by calling us on 01226 776000 or emailing us courses@northern.ac.uk

Course description

Are some people born bad, or is this something they learn? Can thinking positively make us well? What does having a 'big ego' really mean? This course tries to answer these questions, and many others, introducing us to some of the bigger questions about human psychology. You will exploresome early and current theories of what makes us tick, alongside some forms of social behaviour which have the potential to prevent us from ticking if they are not addressed.

What can this course lead to?

This course will introduce you to the subject of Psychology and will support you to progress onto further short courses such as 'A Child's World – An Introduction to the Psychology of the Child '. Our Student Support Services team will work with you to design a personalised learning journey based on your needs and aspirations.

Want to learn more?

You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer at one of our Open Events [https://www.northern.ac.uk/open-events/]

Course session dates

Session dates for 12 January 2026 - 13 January 2026

• Monday 12 Jan 2026 to Tuesday 13 Jan 2026

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