**Local Delivery SACE and VET Subject Outline 2020**

(To be completed by Delivery school and emailed to Pathways Team)

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| Delivery School | Port Lincoln High School |
| Subject Name | Stage 2 Psychology |
| SACE level | Stage 2 |
| Subject Description | The study of psychology enables students to understand their own behaviours and the behaviours of others. Psychological knowledge can be applied to improve outcomes and the quality of experience in various areas of life, such as education, intimate relationships, child rearing, employment and leisure.  Students must demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the core material, an application of this knowledge to social and/or personal growth, the ability to design and report on scientific investigations and an understanding of ethical issues. This subject is designed around the ‘Four Levels of Explanation’ of behaviour used in Psychology.  Level of Explanation: Socio-cultural (social cognition), Basic Processes (learning), Person (personality), Biological (psychobiology or altered states of awareness), Integration of levels (healthy minds) |
| Period of delivery | Full Year |
| Intended Delivery Method: | The equivalent of 3 @ 50 minute lessons per week plus one visit per term (teacher or student visit). Negotiated timetable at the beginning of year/semester. |
| Intervention Support  (including flexibility) | It is incumbent upon the providing school to supply timely information to the receiving school (SACE Coordinator) about progress and achievement of students. Further plans and/or strategies may be developed for intervention/support. |
| Reporting | Two written comments, one graded (plus traffic lights) or to fit in with home school reporting process. |
| Cost | Incidental Costs: $50 Workbook, $30 Study Guide |
| Curriculum Considerations | It is recommended that students have studied a full year of Science at Year 10 and a Stage 1 Science-based subject.  School-based Assessment: Investigations Folio (30%), Skills and Application Tasks (40%)  External Assessment: Examination (30%) |
| LD Delivery school policies relevant to receiving school/student | Seqta will be used as the student learning and management platform. PLHS will “enrol” students and manage internally. Lessons and communication will be provided through this platform. |