

## Psychology (Class-XI)

Theme 2: Methods of Enquiry in Psychology			
Learning Outcomes	Sources/Resources	Suggested Activities (to be guided by teachers)	Suggested Activities for Students having No Digital Device (to be guided by teachers)
<p>The learner</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>explains</b> the goals and nature of psychological enquiry and steps required to conduct a scientific research.</li> <li><b>describes</b> important methods of psychological enquiry-qualitative and quantitative approach.</li> <li><b>explores</b> ways to imbibe ethical code of conduct in one's</li> </ul>	<p>NCERT/SCERT Textbook in Psychology (Class XI)</p> <p>Students may also visit NROER, an online educational resource repository of NCERT and explore the Psychology e-resources available online, i.e.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experimental and Correlation Method</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://nroer.gov.in/55ab34ff81fccb4f1d806025/page/582aa6cc16b51c1a9064b32b">https://nroer.gov.in/55ab34ff81fccb4f1d806025/page/582aa6cc16b51c1a9064b32b</a></p>	<p><b>Week - 1</b></p> <p><b>Understanding scientific approach</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Try to conceptualise a theme or a topic that you would like to study through scientific psychological enquiry. What steps will you follow.</li> <li>Write how your understanding of 'data' has changed after reading 'Nature of Psychological Data'.</li> <li>Write about areas in your everyday life on which data can be gathered.</li> </ul> <p><b>Week - 2</b></p> <p><b>Understanding research methods in psychology</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recall the activity you did in Week-1, where you</li> </ul>	<p><b>Week - 1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collect data from students about their locality of residence, study the pattern and analyse the data quantitatively.</li> <li>Try to conceptualise a theme or a topic that you would like to study through scientific psychological enquiry. What steps will you follow?</li> </ul> <p><b>Week - 2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recall the activity you did in Week-1, where you formulated a theme or a topic that you would like to study through psychology. Keeping that in mind, write which</li> </ul>

<p>way of being.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Survey Research Method <a href="https://nroer.gov.in/55ab34ff81fccb4f1d806025/page/582aa86416b51c1a9064b34d">https://nroer.gov.in/55ab34ff81fccb4f1d806025/page/582aa86416b51c1a9064b34d</a></li> <li>• Analysis of Data <a href="https://nroer.gov.in/55ab34ff81fccb4f1d806025/page/582aaa0c16b51c1a9064b36f">https://nroer.gov.in/55ab34ff81fccb4f1d806025/page/582aaa0c16b51c1a9064b36f</a></li> </ul> <p>Students may also watch live session on different themes in Psychology on PM e-Vidya Channel No. 11.</p>	<p>formulated a theme or a topic that you would like to study through psychology. Keeping that in mind, write which method (or combination of methods) would help you to study that theme or topic. Why do you think so? Explain.</p> <p><b>Week - 3</b></p> <p><b>Understanding the art of analysing data</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recall the activity you did in Week-1 and Week-2. Which approach you think would help you to understand the topic selected by you-quantitative, qualitative, or both? Why do you think so?</li> <li>• Watch the movie ‘Inside Out’ produced by Pixar Animation Studios and released by Walt Disney Pictures. Analyse it and write your own observations/reflections.</li> </ul> <p><b>Week - 4</b></p> <p><b>Moving a step ahead - understanding the limitations of psychological enquiry and domain of ethics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recall the activities you did in Week 1, 2, and 3. Now explore and write down the limitations related to your research topic.</li> <li>• What ethical issues do you think you will have to deal with while researching about the topic</li> </ul>	<p>method (or combination of methods) would help you to study that theme or topic. Why do you think so? Explain.</p> <p><b>Week - 3</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recall the activity you did in Week-1 and Week-2. Which approach you think would help you to understand the topic selected by you-quantitative, qualitative, or both? Why do you think so?</li> </ul> <p><b>Week - 4</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recall the activities you did in Week 1, 2, and 3. Now explore and write down the limitations related to your research topic.</li> </ul>
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