

# Diploma in Social Science (Counselling)

## Programme Overview:

This programme aims at producing graduates for employment in counselling-related fields and covers various aspects of human behaviours, affections and experiences. This programme is designed to provide students with a platform for building skills and knowledge in helping professions. Students learn to appreciate and understand different aspects of counselling skills, theoretical perspectives in psychology and basic management.

## Duration and Offered In:

2 Years - KL N/762/4/0010

## MER:

Minimum Entry Requirement for Diploma Programmes ( [PDF](#) )

## Career Prospects:

- Counselling
- Social Work
- Personnel / Human Resource Management
- Work Related to Psychology at Hospitals, Mental Health Organisations, Business Organisations or Non-Governmental Organisations

## Academic Progression

Graduates may be admitted into Year 2 of Bachelor of Social Science (Honours) in Psychology.

## Programme Outline:

- Introduction to Information Technology
- Psychology I
- Introduction to Counseling
- Introduction to Sociology
- Psychology II
- Theories of Counselling & Psychotherapy
- Introduction to Social Psychology
- Malaysia: Cultural & Religious Practices
- Leadership Skills
- Interpersonal Communication Skills
- Developmental Psychology
- Vocational & Career Counselling
- Counseling Methods & Techniques I

- Counselling Skills
- Industrial & Organisational Psychology
- Group Dynamics
- Ethical and Legal Aspects of Counselling
- Counseling Methods & Techniques II
- Methods of Research in Psychology & Counselling
- Abnormal Psychology
- Counseling Practicum

Language, Mata Pelajaran Pengajian Umum (MPU) and Co-curricular Courses:

- English Language, Pengajian Malaysia 2, Bahasa Kebangsaan A, English for Communication, Social & Work Etiquette, Civic Consciousness and Volunteerism, Co-curricular

\*Co-Curricular Courses can be taken in any semester of the study.