

APPLICATION TO BORROW NATURAL SCIENCES PART IB PAPER IN EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Please read these notes before contacting anyone about this paper.

- 1) Six Part II students in the MML & Linguistics Triposes may borrow this paper each year.
- 2) Science/maths A levels are an advantage, but are not required. You should be able to cope if you can think logically about empirical approaches to scientific problems. However, some mathematical knowledge is required for the statistical practicals. By the time the course starts you should have at least the level of maths taught in NST IA *Elementary Maths for Biologists*. You should read the *Statistics* information booklet available on the Linguistics webpages or from the Secretary of the Linguistics Department <ling-admin@lists.cam.ac.uk>.
- 3) If there are more than six applicants,
 - selection will be based on your reasons (in Section 7), your background (Sections 4 and 6) and comments by your Director of Studies (Section 9).
 - a prioritised waiting list of unsuccessful applicants will be maintained to be used if a successful student does not take up the place. Please inform the Linguistics Department Secretary if you decide not to take up a place you have been given so that another student can take it.

1. Name _____

2. College _____ **email** _____

3. Your Tripos next year (circle one):

Linguistics Part IIA

Linguistics Part IIB

MML Part II

4. Which Tripos parts have you taken (including this year)?

Year 1 _____ date _____

Year 2 _____ date _____

Year 3 (if applicable) _____ date _____

5. Papers you propose to offer next year, in addition to Experimental Psychology

6. A level papers and grades (or equivalent)

Subject _____ grade _____

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Subject _____ grade _____

Subject _____ grade _____

Subject _____ grade _____

7. Reasons for wanting to take the paper in Experimental Psychology

8. Declaration by student: I am aware that this course involves a heavy load (3 lectures per week = 54 lectures in total, and close to 40 hours practical sessions, making a total of about 94 hours). I am also aware that the examination comprises two papers, each lasting 3 hours, as well as practical work, and that these two examination papers count as only one paper in the MML and Linguistics Triposes. I have read the *Statistics for Experimental Psychology* booklet and believe the material covered is within my capabilities.

Signature: _____

9. Comments of Director of Studies

Please refer to Note 3 on page 1. Note that responsibility for arranging supervisions falls with the Director of Studies, and not the Department of Experimental Psychology.

10. Signature of Director of Studies: _____

email _____

Send the completed form to Rachel Deadman, Secretary of the Department of Linguistics, RFB 220 on or before the last Friday of Easter Term, marking the envelope 'Exp. Psych.'