

**SYLLABUS**  
**Vocational School**

Course Code	Course Title		Credits	ECTS Value	
MBH 108	psychology of justice		2-0-2	5	
<b>Prerequisite Courses:</b>					
<b>Course Language:</b>	Turkish	<b>Course Delivery Mode:</b>	online		
<b>Course Type and Level:</b>	<b>Department Elective Courses, First Year, Second Semester</b>				
<b>Instructor's Title, Name, and Surname</b>		<b>Course Hours</b>	<b>Office Hours</b>	<b>Contact</b>	
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<b>Course Coordinator:</b>					
<b>Course Objectives</b>					
<b>Course Learning Outcomes</b>	Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to;			<b>Relations</b>	
				Program Outcomes	Net Contribution
	1	Can define the general concepts of the discipline of justice psychology.		1,2,3,4	5,5,5,5
	2	Can discuss the relationship between crime and the criminal in the context of justice psychology.		1,2,3,4	3,3,3,3
	3	Can draw conclusions about the psychology of the parties involved in a trial.		1,2,3,4	3,3,3,3
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<b>Course Content:</b>	<p>The course on the Psychology of Justice examines legal concepts such as the concepts of crime and criminality, institutions of criminal law, the penal system, the judicial process, factors influencing judges' decision-making, the institution of testimony, and the state of victimization, based on contemporary data from the psychology of justice, which has become a separate scientific discipline today. It interprets subconscious states that influence crime and substance-related criminal behavior across disciplines.</p>				
<b>Course Schedule (Weekly Plan)</b>					
<b>Week</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Preparation</b>	<b>Teaching Methods and Techniques</b>		
1	Introduction to introductory and forensic psychology	Students learn the objectives of justice psychology	<b>Presentation</b>		
2	Historical development and methodolog	Students explore the concept of judicial facts	<b>Brainstorming</b>		
3	Elements of crime	Students construct a criminal case scenario	<b>Brainstorming</b>		
4	Mental illness and special circumstances	Mental illnesses affecting punishment are explored	<b>Brainstorming</b>		

5	Defendant psychology	The criminal profile in Turkey is explored	<b>Brainstorming</b>
6	Interrogation and testimony	Students find examples of prohibited methods of expression	<b>Brainstorming</b>
7	Procedural psychology	Types of evidence are researched	<b>Brainstorming</b>
8	Midterm Exam		
9	Midterm Exam		
10	Convicted psychology	The characteristics of penal institutions in Turkey are examined	<b>Brainstorming</b>
11	Execution process	The characteristics of penal institutions in Turkey are examined	<b>Brainstorming</b>
12	Victim psychology and judge psychology	Measures to reduce victimization are researched	<b>Brainstorming</b>
13	Forensic medicine institution and forensic medicine report	Students find examples of forensic medical reports	<b>Brainstorming</b>
14	Presentation	Students present their assignment topics	<b>Case study</b>
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16	General Review		<b>Problem solving</b>
17	Final Exam		
18	Final Exam		

#### Course Resources

**Textbook:** Yasemin Işıktaç, Adalet Psikolojisi, İstanbul Bilgi Üniversitesi Yayınları

**Recommended References:**

#### Course Assessment and Evaluation

Activities	Number	Percentile	Notes
<b>Midterm Exam</b>	1	30%	It will be conducted in written and multiple-choice formats.
<b>Project</b>			
<b>Assignment</b>	1	10%	Individual report
<b>Presentation</b>		10%	Individual presentation
<b>Participation / Process-related activities</b>			
<b>Final</b>	1	50%	It will be conducted in written and multiple-choice formats.

#### ECTS Table

Content	Number	Hours	Total
Course Duration	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	28
Out-of-Class Study	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	42
Assignment	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	4

Presentation	1	4	4
<b>Participation / Process-related activities</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>
Midterm Exam (Midterm Exam Duration + Midterm Exam Preparation)	1	12	12
Final Exam (Final Exam Duration + Final Exam Preparation)	1	24	24
<b>Total:</b>			128
<b>Total / 30:</b>			$128 \div 30 \approx 4,26$
<b>ECTS Credit:</b>			5

## Past Term Achievements

2024-2025 Spring Semester

