General Introductory Reading

Students on the conversion course may find it helpful to read at least one or two of these titles before starting the course.

The following texts give an introduction to the nature and range of subject matter in the discipline:


G. Miller (1964) Psychology: The Science of Mental Life (Penguin)

These are some of the texts recommended to first year undergraduates that may be of help in exploring certain topics in greater depth:


R. L. Gregory (1990) Eye and Brain (Oxford UP)


This is currently the recommended text to accompany first year lectures in Experimental Design and Statistics.