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A Level Psychology**H567/02** Psychological themes through core studies**Friday 8 June 2018 – Morning****Time allowed: 2 hours**

No additional materials required



First name										
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INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Complete the boxes above with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, use the lined page(s) at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- Do **not** write in the barcodes.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **105**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- Quality of extended responses will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).
- This document consists of **16** pages.

SECTION A – Core studies

Answer **all** the questions.

1 (a) From Baron-Cohen et al.'s study on autism in adults:

(i) Explain why this study is considered a quasi-experiment.

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(ii) Outline the findings in relation to the Strange Stories task.

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(b) From Freud's study of Little Hans:

Explain why the study can be considered a longitudinal study.

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2 (a) Describe how Gould's study 'A nation of morons' links to the key theme 'Measuring differences'.

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(b) From Hancock et al.'s study into the language of psychopaths:

(i) Identify the sampling method used.

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(ii) Explain why participants were interviewed at the beginning of the study.

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3 Explain why Bandura et al.'s study on the transmission of aggression can be placed in the developmental area.

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4 From Blakemore and Cooper's study into the impact of early visual experience:

Briefly describe how the visual environment in which the kittens were reared was manipulated.

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6 (a) From Moray's study into auditory attention:

Describe the research method used in Experiment 2.

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(b) From Simon and Chabris's study into visual attention:

Outline the 'gorilla condition'.

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7 Outline **one** difference between Milgram's study of obedience and Bocchiaro et al.'s study into disobedience and whistleblowing.

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SECTION B – Areas, perspectives and debates

Answer **all** the questions.

8 (a) Describe the concept of freewill.

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(b) Explain how Lee et al.'s study on evaluations of lying and truth-telling may support the view that behaviour is determined.

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(c) Suggest why research in the individual differences area is often considered socially sensitive. Support your answer with examples from relevant core studies.

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