

Psychology transition work

1, Key psychological studies

Use the following links to read the studies, most of which you will be learning about in your course (some are exam board specific).

For each of the four studies listed below summarise the following in 100-150 words:

- Background and Aim(s)
- Method (procedure and details of the sample)
- Results (this could be written or included on a graph – as long as you explain your graph)
- Conclusion(s)

This information is called 'AO1'. It is all about describing or outlining something. This may be describing a study, an explanation or a model.

This element of the question will begin.... AO1 = Describe, Identify, Outline etc

a) <https://simplypsychology.org/milgram.html> - Milgram

b) https://www.simplypsychology.org/rosenhan_experiment.html – Rosenhan

c) <https://www.simplypsychology.org/loftus-palmer.html> - Loftus and Palmer

d) <https://www.simplypsychology.org/mary-ainsworth.html> - Ainsworth

2, Ethical issues

Read through the British Psychological Society's (BPS) Code of Human Research Ethics by clicking on the link below and summarise the following ethical considerations:

Informed consent

Deception

Debriefing

Withdrawal from the investigation

Anonymity and confidentiality

Protection of participants.

<https://www.tutor2u.net/psychology/reference/ethics-and-psychology>

3, Application of ethical issues to key studies.

For each study described in question 1, explain whether each of the previously mentioned ethical considerations have been followed according to the BPS guidelines. You may wish to research each study further using the internet.

4, Watch the video clips below and summarise the findings of each in 50-100 words.

https://www.ted.com/talks/elizabeth_loftus_the_fiction_of_memory

https://www.ted.com/talks/ben_ambridge_9_myths_about_psychology_debunked

https://www.ted.com/talks/scott_fraser_the_problem_with_eyewitness_testimony