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Level 3 Psychology, 2019

91876 Analyse a significant issue in psychological practice

2.00 p.m. Wednesday 27 November 2019

Credits: Three

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
Analyse a significant issue in psychological practice.	Analyse, in depth, a significant issue in psychological practice.	Comprehensively analyse a significant issue in psychological practice.

Check that the National Student Number (NSN) on your admission slip is the same as the number at the top of this page.

Write ONE essay in this booklet.

Check that this booklet has pages 2–12 in the correct order and that none of these pages is blank.

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TASK

Write a concise essay on ONE significant issue that you have studied, in response to ONE of the statements below.

Discuss the extent to which you agree or disagree with your chosen statement.

Your essay should include:

- an explanation of the issue you have selected
- descriptions of, and references to, psychological theories, concepts or studies from published works
- a discussion of how the issue may be addressed.

STATEMENTS

1. Bias in psychological research negatively affects the validity of results.
2. The issue of cultural bias in psychological practice is especially important in Aotearoa/New Zealand because we need to consider Māori and non-Māori perspectives.
3. Psychological research should only be conducted on humans.
4. Psychology has a responsibility to conduct and/or use research in a socially sensitive way.

PLANNING (OPTIONAL)

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