EDEXCEL IAL PSYCHOLOGY · WPS01

Unit 1: Final Checklist

Friday 8 January 2027 · afternoon · 1 hour 30 minutes

Social psychology

- [ ] Milgram baseline: 65% to 450V
- [ ] Agency theory
- [ ] Social power theory
- [ ] Variations: 47.5%, 20.5%, 20%
- [ ] Obedience: personality, gender
- [ ] Obedience: situation, culture
- [ ] Types of conformity
- [ ] NSI and ISI
- [ ] Asch and variations
- [ ] Moscovici et al. (1969)
- [ ] Factors: conformity and minority influence
- [ ] Contemporary study
- [ ] Self-report and sampling
- [ ] BPS code of ethics
- [ ] Questionnaire practical

Cognitive psychology

- [ ] Multi-store model + evaluation
- [ ] Working memory model + evaluation
- [ ] Reconstructive memory and schemas
- [ ] Bartlett (1932)
- [ ] HM and Schmolck et al. (2002)
- [ ] Contemporary study
- [ ] Experimental design and controls
- [ ] Reliability and validity
- [ ] Descriptive statistics
- [ ] Wilcoxon test
- [ ] Experimental practical

Exam technique

- [ ] “Explain”: point + justification
- [ ] Scenario: use its details
- [ ] Calculations: d.p. and ratio format
- [ ] Essays: AO1/AO3 balance + judgement

Timing plan

About one minute per mark. Check the clock at 45 minutes. Leave at least 15 minutes for the extended essay. Keep 3–5 minutes at the end to check calculations.

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