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PSYCHOLOGY HIGHER LEVEL AND STANDARD LEVEL PAPER 1

Wednesday 7 May 2014 (afternoon)

2 hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Section A: answer all the questions.
- Section B: answer one question.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is [46 marks].

SECTION A

Answer **all** questions in this section. Marks will be awarded for focused answers demonstrating accurate knowledge and understanding of research.

Biological level of analysis

1. Describe **one** study that demonstrates the effect that the environment can have on **one** physiological process. [8 marks]

Cognitive level of analysis

2. With reference to **one** research study, explain how **one** biological factor may affect **one** *[8 marks]*

Sociocultural level of analysis

3. Outline how **one** principle that defines the sociocultural level of analysis has been demonstrated in **one** example of research (theory or study). [8 marks]

SECTION B

Answer **one** question in this section. Marks will be awarded for demonstration of knowledge and understanding (which requires the use of relevant psychological research), evidence of critical thinking (for example, application, analysis, synthesis, evaluation), and organization of answers.

4.	Examine one evolutionary explanation of one behaviour.	[22 marks]
5.	Evaluate schema theory.	[22 marks]

6. Discuss two errors in attribution.

[22 marks]