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# A-level SOCIOLOGY

Paper 3 Crime and Deviance with Theory and Methods

Wednesday 12 June 2019

Morning

Time allowed: 2 hours

## Materials

You will need no other materials.

## Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

## Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- Questions carrying 10 marks or more should be answered in continuous prose. In these questions you will be marked on your ability to:
  - use good English
  - organise information clearly
  - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

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**Crime and Deviance**Answer **all** questions.Do not write  
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box**0 1**Outline **two** reasons why deviant subcultures exist.**[4 marks]**


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Outline **three** reasons why victims may not report crimes.

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Read **Item A** below and answer the question that follows.

**Item A**

Crime reduction strategies make assumptions about why and how offenders commit their crimes. Such strategies also make assumptions about what crimes it is important to reduce and about the role or impact of criminal justice agencies.

Applying material from **Item A**, analyse **two** reasons why crime reduction strategies may not always be successful.

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Read **Item B** below and answer the question that follows.

**Item B**

Some sociologists explain levels of offending by girls and women in terms of their socialisation or their position in patriarchal society. For example, one feminist sociologist argues that the weakening of patriarchy has led to an increase in female offending.

However, other sociologists focus on the ways in which the police and courts treat females, as well as on the impact of media stereotypes of female offending.

Applying material from **Item B** and your knowledge, evaluate sociological explanations of levels of female offending.

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**Theory and Methods**

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Outline and explain **two** reasons why sociologists' research may not always be objective.

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Read **Item C** below and answer the question that follows.

**Item C**

Marxist sociologists see capitalism as based on class inequality and the exploitation of the proletariat. They argue that all social institutions help to maintain capitalist society. However, in the Marxist view, the proletariat will ultimately overthrow capitalism and create a classless society.

Critics argue that the traditional Marxist view of society is outdated.

Applying material from **Item C** and your knowledge, evaluate the contribution of Marxist approaches to understanding today's society.

**[20 marks]**

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