

Ethics Journal Entry

1) Review your Article (3)

Choose one of the following famously unethical studies to use for your journal entry. Read the article, making note as you go of the following:

- What was the aim of the study?
- What research method was used?
- What were the results of the study?
- What conclusions were drawn about human behaviour based on this research?

In a different colour, highlight or underline anything that may violate proper research ethics or anything that strikes you as “wrong”.

2) Analyze the Experiment (12)

Once you have read through your article carefully, making note of both the design of the study and the ethical issues that are present, answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

1. Give a brief explanation of the experiment (aim, method, experiment design). (2)
2. What were the results of the experiment? What did we learn about behaviour? (2)
3. List any ethical issues that are present. (1)
4. If you were to repeat the experiment and make it more ethical, what changes would you make and why? (4)
5. Does the information we learned from the experiment justify the means? Explain. (3)

Total: ____ /15