

Comparison of Approaches – Questions by Topic

Q1.

Explain **one** way in which social learning theory overlaps with **one other** approach in psychology.

(Total 2 marks)

Q2.

Outline the behaviourist approach. Compare the behaviourist approach with the biological approach.

(Total 16 marks)

Q3.

Outline key features of the cognitive approach in psychology. Compare the cognitive approach with the psychodynamic approach.

(Total 16 marks)

Q4.

It has been claimed that the humanistic approach has little to offer psychology. Outline and evaluate the humanistic approach in psychology. Refer to **at least one other** approach in your answer.

(Total 16 marks)

Q5.

A student asked his teacher: “Why are there so many approaches in psychology?”

The teacher replied: “Because each has something different to offer to our understanding of the human mind and behaviour. This means that every approach is unique.”

Discuss what makes the psychodynamic approach unique in psychology. Refer to other approaches in your answer.

(Total 16 marks)

Q6.

Outline and evaluate social learning theory. In your answer, make comparisons with **at least one** other approach in psychology.

(Total 16 marks)