

- 7 Bamboo saw a man dressed in blue enter a shop and commit a robbery.

When asked by the police later, Bamboo said the man was dressed in black.

Explain why Bamboo's memory of the event could have changed.

You should refer to the Theory of Reconstructive Memory in your answer.

Theory of reconstructive memory found that people's memory of an event changes over time because of their schema.

People leave out, change and add things to a story to make it make sense or give it meaning.

Piaget thought that your memory is just notes and when you retrieve them, you elaborate using your schema.

(Total for Question 7 = 2 marks)

- 8 William was talking to his friend during class when the teacher was reading out a list of words for a Spanish test, so he did not write them down.

William has just taken the test to recall the list of Spanish words and has performed poorly in the test.

Explain, using the Multi-store Model of Memory, why William performed poorly in the Spanish test.

believed there was 3 stages to your memory

It System = Sensory memory, Short term and long term memory.

To get information from STM to LTM you need to rehearse.

(Total for Question 8 = 2 marks)



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