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Level 1 English, 2018

90849 Show understanding of specified aspect(s) of studied written text(s), using supporting evidence

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Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
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Check that the National Student Number (NSN) on your admission slip is the same as the number at the top of this page.

You should answer ONE of the essay questions in this booklet.

Check that this booklet has pages 2–12 in the correct order and that none of these pages is blank.

YOU MUST HAND THIS BOOKLET TO THE SUPERVISOR AT THE END OF THE EXAMINATION.

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You should aim to write a concise essay of no more than three pages in length. The quality of your writing is more important than the length of your essay.

Make sure you answer both parts of the question, and support the points you make with specific details from the text(s).

Begin your written text(s) essay here:

Question number:

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To open the story ~~a~~ we have Lenny a ~~mentally~~ mentally disabled, overly powered man and a small intelligent man ~~named~~ ^{called} George that are introduced on their run from the police from Lenny's false rape accusation after he ~~tugge~~ ^{tugged} on a woman's dress because Lenny has a soft spot for tending soft objects and animals.

So after all of Lenny's antics the duo set off on an adventure for a new job at a farm in falbs, California.

After George is aware of Lenny's strength that he doesn't know how to handle George decides to keep all soft things away from his sight, but Lenny wants otherwise so Lenny finds a mouse that he kills & ~~it~~ but keeps it so he could tend his soft mouse when ever he wanted ~~it~~, until George finds out about said mouse and decides to make Lenny throw away the dead mouse. But this is only the start to a deep addiction.

So Lenny and George come to the farm house and set up a meeting point for them to stay in if things go bad. Showing that George cares about Lenny's well being and doesn't want Lenny to get into an uncomfortable situation where he has nowhere to go.

As Lenny's want for more soft things starts to grow he wants more and is desperate so Lenny walks into a barn and sees a puppy. So Lenny starts to pet the puppy and is doing so kills the puppy leaving Lenny to be ashamed so he hides it before anyone could see. Until Curly's wife enters the barn (Curly being the boss's son on the farm) and she asks Lenny what is wrong. So Lenny tells Curly's wife about the puppy and explains how he doesn't know how the puppy died, so Curly's wife begins to feel sorry so she lets him play with her hair leading to Lenny grabbing her hair too hard causing her to scream and shout, Lenny doesn't want George to know so he grabs her by the mouth causing him to accidentally break her neck. Lenny gets worried so he takes off to the meeting spot leaving George to find the body along with Curly and Slim. Curly is mad so he wants to kill Lenny and sends off workers and himself to find Lenny, but George steals Slim's pistol and starts heading to Lenny's

spot, finding Lenny hunched over the water looking down with sad and worried body language. So George starts to explain how he's gonna tell Lenny ~~and~~ about his future on the farm with him and ~~he~~ makes him face toward the river whilst George stands behind him. George continued on explaining how Lenny can tend the rabbits on the farm, Lenny gets excited and starts ~~to~~ to explain his love for rabbits, George shoots him ~~in~~ in the back of his head killing him instantly.

Curly and Slim find George with Lenny's dead body and ~~ask~~ ~~when~~ ~~he~~ congratulate him but Slim doesn't and he sits with George indistinctly.

I found ~~these~~ the ending and the start relate or connect in a sense of that George ~~reflects~~ at the start of the film thinks he can help Lenny and find him a safe environment he could stay at ~~forever~~, so he wouldn't ~~have~~ hurt anyone or anything but towards the end it becomes a full cycle and Lenny kills ~~as~~ a real person this ~~is~~ ~~time~~ so George finds that there's no way of helping Lenny but to end his life for the better.

Concluding that no matter what Lenny ~~does~~ does, he couldn't be around other people even with the ~~kind~~ of George.

Extra space if required.

Write the question number(s) if applicable.

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69 at his side 24/7. So George did the smartest option for Lenny's ~~well~~ sake but in the end leaving himself lonely, ~~then~~ I found that ironic because at the start of the book Lenny asks "why are we different to other cowboys" and George explains "Because most cowboys are lonely & have none, but us, we have each other" but in the end George ends up alone.

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Subject	Level 1 English	Standard	90849	Total score	03
Q	Grade score	Annotation			
6	A3	This is an A3 as the candidate has provided mostly plot summary in the first two pages. They address the question in the last two paragraphs by referring to two ways the beginning and ending are connected through loneliness and killing.			