

UCL Psychology and Language Sciences

Default Question Block

Thank you for your participation in this study. Please answer these questions as honestly as possible, and don't hesitate to ask the experimenter if there is any point you would like to discuss.

Subject ID

Block 1

Were the instructions for all four sessions clear?

Yes

No

What was unclear about the instructions?

Were you at any stage confused or not sure about what to do to perform the task?

Yes

No

What was it that you found confusing?

What do you think the purpose of this experiment is?

Block 2

Have you read or learned about similar experiments before?

- Yes
- No

Have you previously participated in a similar version of this experiment before?

- Yes
- No

Do you know what the purpose of the previous experiment you participated in was?

Did you, at any point throughout the current experiment, think that the experimenter had deceived you in any way?

- Yes
- No

Please state how the experimenter tried to deceive you.

Do you have any other comments about the experiment you just participated in? We appreciate all feedback you can give us!

Block 3

When you decide whether something is right or wrong, to what extent are the following considerations relevant to your thinking?

	Not at all relevant	Not very relevant	Slightly relevant	Somewhat relevant	Very relevant	Extremely relevant
Whether or not some people were treated differently than others	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Whether or not someone acted unfairly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Not at all relevant	Not very relevant	Slightly relevant	Somewhat relevant	Very relevant	Extremely relevant
Whether or not someone was good at maths	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Whether or not someone was denied his or her rights	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please read the following sentences and indicate your agreement or disagreement

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Agree	Strongly agree
When the government makes laws, the number one principle should be ensuring that everyone is treated fairly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is better to do good than to do bad	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Justice is the most important requirement for a society.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I think it's morally wrong that rich children inherit a lot of money while poor children inherit nothing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Block 5

On the following pages, you will find a series of statements about you. Please read each statement and decide how much you agree or disagree with that statement. Then indicate your response using the following scale:

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral (neither agree nor disagree)	Agree	Strongly agree
I wouldn't use flattery to get a raise or promotion at work, even if I thought it would succeed.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral (neither agree nor disagree)	Agree	Strongly agree
If I knew that I could never get caught, I would be willing to steal a million dollars.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Having a lot of money is not especially important to me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I think that I am entitled to more respect than the average person is.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
If I want something from someone, I will laugh at that person's worst jokes.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I would never accept a bribe, even if it were very large.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I would get a lot of pleasure from owning expensive luxury goods.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I want people to know that I am an important person of high status.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I wouldn't pretend to like someone just to get that person to do favors for me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I'd be tempted to use counterfeit money, if I were sure I could get away with it.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Block 6

Imagine you were assigned to be Player A and given £10 by the experimenter. How much of that amount would you share with Player B?



£0 (I wouldn't give any) £1 £2 £3 £4 £5 £6 £7 £8 £9 £10 (I would give the whole amount)

What do you think is the fairest amount for Player A to give to Player B in this situation?



\$0 (not give any) £1 £2 £3 £4 £5 £6 £7 £8 £9 £10 (give away the whole amount)

Block 7

Did you penalize the Player As who kept all or most of the money for themselves?

Yes

No

Sometimes

What motivated your decision to penalize the Player As who **kept** all or most of the money for themselves?

Did you penalize the Player As who **gave away** all or most of the money?

Yes

No

Sometimes

What motivated your decision to penalize the Player As who **gave away** all or most of the money?

Block 4

Gender

Male

Female

Other

Prefer not to say

Age

What is your nationality?

What is your current employment status?

Undergraduate Student

Postgraduate Student

- Employed Full-Time
- Employed Part-Time
- Not working (looking for work)
- Not working (retired)
- Not working (disabled)
- Not working (other)
- Prefer not to answer

Is English your first language?

- Yes
- No

Highest level of education completed

- Attended College
- Bachelor's Degree
- Graduate Degree
- Not sure / prefer not to say

Think of a ladder with 10 steps representing where people stand in the UK. At step 10 are people who are the best off – those who have the most money, the most education, and the most respected jobs. At step 1 are the people who are worst off – those who have the least money, least education, and the least respected jobs or no job. Where would you place yourself on this ladder?



Block 8

Thank you for filling in the questionnaires.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Thank you for taking part in this study, we are very grateful for your time. Here, we would like to detail the ideas behind the study, and the methods we used.

People sometimes punish others who violate social norms. Building on these findings, we are interested in how people feel about (un)selfishness and whether people's feelings are predictive of how much they are willing to punish people.

Please note that the online games you saw were NOT genuine. In reality, the games you saw were randomly generated by the computer. It was necessary to manipulate this information such that you were exposed to the different types of people (e.g. more selfish or altruistic).

If you have any concerns, or open questions about this study, please tell the experimenter or email the researchers:

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