

Study Skills (8th October)

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Academic Writing!

Descriptive vs Analytical writing

Paraphrasing - writing in your own words from something that is credible.

Paraphrase task -

The topic of Criminology is becoming a highly favourable topic to study at university. The subject of the "criminal mind" has overpowered influence over today's generation and this is what is influencing peoples interest in studying Criminology. (Jones, 2020)

According to Clarke (2022), If you choose to study a law degree you will attain a plethora of benefits including professional and personal. Gathering the opportunities and getting an easier access to jobs like lawyer, judge, or legal advisor are just some of the professional benefits. It also allows for a strong foundation for any career in the field.

3rd person paraphrase -

A criminologists role revolves around studying crime, why it occurs and its impact on communities. Criminologists analyse crime, looking into why they are committed and who are highly likely to become perpetrators.

Working closely with law enforcement agencies is a huge part of this role, giving insights to further support developing strategies, therefore helping to prevent crime and improve public safety. Another part of this job is to effectively evaluate the efficiency of criminal justice programs and policies. Meanwhile, suggesting improvements relying on evidence and research.