SL Practice Essay Planning

**10/15 mark essay prompt:**

**Important definitions:**

**Quick summary of divergent views:**

**Thesis statement:**

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**Evidence based Evaluation:**

**[**SEEP, Short-Term/Long-Term, Scale, Justice/Fairness, Level of Development, Meeting Goals…**]**

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**Sample: “Government attempts to control population growth are ineffective.” Discuss this statement. *[15]***

In conclusion, different policies have both negative and positive results. However I disagree with the statement. Governments have been able to control population growth in China and they have been effective as the birth rate has been in large decline from 6% to 1.8. In this sense, they were successful at controlling growth. In Japan the policy wasn't thought to be carried out properly and efficiently. Only 4% of the social welfare budget went to child services whereas 70% went to the elderly, as a result their growth targets were not achieved. Policies which are carried out effectively do have an impact on population growth. Finally, in countries where there are strong religious/cultural trends for high birth rates, a policy based around immigration/emigration may be more successful than one directed at birth rates.