



General Certificate of Secondary Education
2017

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Home Economics (Child Development)

Unit 2:
Child Development 0–5 years



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THURSDAY 1 JUNE, AFTERNOON

TIME

1 hour.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.

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Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen.**

Answer **all six** questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 60.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in Questions **5** and **6**.



Answer **all six** questions.

1 (a) Complete the sentences below:

- (i) The average weight of a newborn baby is _____ kg.
- (ii) The _____ is the sticky covering on a newborn baby's skin.
- (iii) The soft spot on the top of a newborn baby's head is the _____.
- (iv) Vitamin _____ may be given to newborn babies after birth.
- (v) Children need protein in their diet for _____ and repair.
- (vi) The MMR immunisation protects babies from measles, _____ and rubella. [6]

(b) Explain **two** points to consider when choosing clothes for a newborn baby.

1. _____

2. _____

_____ [4]



2 Jack is 9 months old.

(a) Write down **two** possible ways to soothe Jack when he cries.

1. _____

2. _____ [2]

(b) Write down **two** ways Jack's parents can help prevent SIDS (cot death).

1. _____

2. _____ [2]

(c) Jack is lactose intolerant. Explain what this means.

_____ [2]

[Turn over



(d) Explain **three** points to consider when choosing a pram for a newborn baby.



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1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

[6]



3 (a) Write down **three** ways to prepare a young child for a short stay in hospital.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____ [3]

(b) Write down **two** ways, other than reducing sugar, to encourage healthy tooth development.

1. _____

2. _____ [2]

[Turn over



(c) Four-year-old Oscar enjoys playing on his climbing frame.



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Discuss how playing on the climbing frame will help Oscar's **physical** development.

- 1. _____

- 2. _____

- 3. _____

[6]



4 (a) Write down the **five** stages of social play in the correct order.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____ [5]

(b) Discuss how parents and carers can encourage good behaviour in children.

- 1. _____

- 2. _____

_____ [4]



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