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Advanced Subsidiary GCE

Unit F222: Growth, Development and Disease

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Annotations

Annotation	Meaning
✓	correct response
×	incorrect response
1111	benefit of the doubt
2.41	benefit of the doubt <u>not</u> given
ECF	error carried forward
A	information omitted
-	ignore
	reject

	Quest	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)	(i)	box drawn around , A and T/T and A/G and C/C and G;	1	The outline must only include the bases. DO NOT CREDIT if sugar(s) and/or phosphate(s) are included ACCEPT if more than one pair is correctly identified
		(ii)	idea that makes sure, DNA / it, replicated, accurately / correctly;	2	ACCEPT no mistakes during DNA replication base sequence must stay the same (DNA) replicates to make identical copies
			reduces chances of mutation / AW;		IGNORE refs to cancer
			AVP;		e.g. idea that mRNA transcribed correctly correct polypeptide chain / protein (for correct function)
	(b)		idea that codes for, growth factors / cyclins / cell cycle control protein;	1	
			can be, mutated / changed, into, a cancer causing gene / oncogene / AW;		
			idea that switched on by, growth factors;		IGNORE reference to transcription factors as this is too general IGNORE 'it switches on other genes' unqualified

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
(c) (i)	similarities incidence in both males and females increases, with age OR same incidence at 60 - 62 (cross over point) OR no incidence before 20 for both; differences up to age 60-62 females have a higher incidence than males/ AW OR after age 60-62 males have a higher incidence / AW OR between 65 and70 incidence in females stays constant OR a correct comparison between males and female incidence for a given age;	3	age
	pair of comparative figures in support (similarity or difference);		incidence with units for each gender for a stated age OR for two different ages for the same gender with incidence units.

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	(ii)	similarity idea that (as age increases) there has been more, exposure to UV / time in sun ORA OR idea that immune system weakens with age OR DNA repair mechanism impaired with ageing OR accumulation of mutations with age OR less efficient apoptosis; differences	2	IGNORE reference to smoking / carcinogens / menopause / female hormones differences
		<pre>idea that younger females, more exposure, to UV / sun OR idea that older males, more exposure, to UV / sun;</pre>		ACCEPT descriptions which imply an increased exposure to sunlight e.g. older women more likely to use sun cream OR more older men are bald OR more younger women use sun beds
(d)	(i)	(receptors are) protein(s) / glycoprotein(s);	2	
		(cell surface membrane has) complementary / specific, receptors/ binding sites;		IGNORE ref to active sites ACCEPT a description of complementary e.g. matching shape or shapes that fit together
	(ii)	idea that (when) no growth factors bound / protein 1 not activated , pathway still active ;	2	
		protein 3 / 4 continuously, activated / stimulated / signalled;		

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(e)	(i)	idea that drugs will only, bind to / inactivate / be complementary to, the altered (BRAF) protein;	2	DO NOT CREDIT reference to protein unqualified IGNORE reference to inhibition
		drug binds to specific points in amino acid sequence;		
		can only target one step in this cascade OR		
		will have no effect on normal cells;		
	(ii)		2	IGNORE 'acts as an inhibitor'
		active site, changed/blocked;		ACCEPT drug / inhibitor, binds to active site
		substrate will no longer bind;		IGNORE growth factors (as substrate)
		no , enzyme substrate complexes/products , formed ;		ACCEPT forms an enzyme-inhibitor complex

Question		Answer		Guidance
(f)	(i)	idea of a large number of, patients / AW;	2	DO NOT CREDIT people unqualified
		compare with, commonly used / best available treatment;		IGNORE reference to placebo
		done to establish any (common) side effects;		
	(ii)	idea that recruit patients / AW;	2	ACCEPT idea that you are using patients
		people allocated to one of two groups;		'patients are split into one of two groups' = 2 marks.
		method of randomisation;		e.g. random number generator IGNORE reference to placebo
		Total	21	

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2	(a)	(i)	starts, slowly / gradually; lasts for a long time; rarely cured;	2	ACCEPT slow onset ACCEPT long term ACCEPT no cure IGNORE ref to severity or fatal consequences or treatment
		(ii)	coronary heart disease (CHD) / angina ; atherosclerosis / arteriosclerosis ; diabetes ; (osteo)arthritis ; osteoporosis ; motor neurone (disease) ; multiple sclerosis ; Parkinson's (disease) ; Alzheimer's (disease) ; Kidney failure ; AVP ;;	2	Mark the first answer on each prompt line. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 mark DO NOT CREDIT emphysema/asthma DO NOT CREDIT references to infections or genetic diseases
	(b)	(i)	 idea that there are more young people in India (than UK) / more elderly people in UK (than in India); age is a variable that must be controlled; idea that a valid / AW, comparison / conclusion can be made, between, countries / genders; idea that (different / some) respiratory diseases are more common, in different age groups; 	2	IGNORE ref to accurate or reliable comparisons ACCEPT a description e.g. 'you are more likely to get respiratory diseases when you are older' or 'some respiratory diseases are more common at certain ages' 'Asthma is more common in children than in older people'

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	(ii)	51 (%);;	2	Correct answer = 2 marks even if no working shown	
				If answer incorrect CREDIT 1 mark for correct working 942 x 100 1851	
				If answer not rounded CREDIT 1 mark for unrounded answer eg 50.9, 50.89, 50.891	

Ques	tion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
	(iii)	DALYs higher in India	3	CREDIT reverse argument for UK
		more people smoke ;		
		reason why air pollution is worse in India;		e.g. more use of coal (in home) or higher levels of traffic
		consequence of poverty qualified;		e.g. can't afford, treatment / health care / adequate diet
		2 max		
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		There is a bigger difference between men and women in		
		India than there is in the UK because, in India,		CDEDIT come and the conclusion
		men more exposed to pollutants at work than women;		CREDIT same argument for smoking
		There is a bigger difference between men and women in		Look for an example e.g. boys likely to be fed more than girls
		India than there is in the UK because, in India , women/female children less valued ;		or more likely to be treated with antibiotics
(c)	(i)		3	Mark the first answer on each prompt line. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 mark
		(smooth) muscle contracts / goes into spasm;		
		(bronchiole) lumen, constricted/narrowed/ becomes smaller;		CREDIT bronchoconstriction
		(bronchiole) wall / lining becomes, swollen;		
		lining / membrane, becomes inflamed / more folded;		
		more mucus produced / mucus builds up;		

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(c)	(ii)	for either taken by , inhaler / tablet / syrup / orally ;	5	CREDIT once only
		steroids may be injected; reduce the inflammation (in the airways); work slowly / long term effect;		
		beta-agonists bronchodilators; relax muscles (in airways); work, quickly / immediately;		IGNORE ref to widening of lumen

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(d)			2	Mark as prose
		idea of to reduce /discourage / ban, smoking;		e.g. more education on smoking dangers / increase cigarette prices / increase age restriction on buying cigarettes / ban smoking in public places
		idea of improve air quality, qualified;		e.g. encouraging use of another fuel instead of solid fuel / ref to use of public transport / one car per family
		idea of reduce exposure to pollution in , factories/places of work;		e.g. offer masks in factories / limit exposure time / better health and safety regulations
		Total	21	

C	uest	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	(i)	Klinefelter's (syndrome);	1	ACCEPT phonetic spelling
		(ii)	an extra chromosome / 47 chromosomes OR 2 X (chromosomes) and a Y;	1	
	(b)		 culture cells; (chemical added to) stimulate cells to divide / undergo mitosis; stop, spindle being formed / division at beginning of metaphase; (by) adding colchicine; (before staining) (dilute) salt solution added (to burst cells); (before sorting) chromosomes / genetic material / DNA, stained; (finally) chromosomes sorted into pairs; 	5	IGNORE 'stain the cell' or 'stain the sample' IGNORE refs to photographs
	(c)	(i)	(non-disjunction) lower left pair of arrows indicated OR middle left cell; (diploid) top cell labelled;	2	

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(ii)	the pair of (homologous) chromosomes / sister chromatids , fail to separate ; during , anaphase 1 / anaphase 2 ; one , gamete / cell , receives 2 X chromosomes ;	4	
	fertilisation / AW (happens); results in , zygote / fertilised egg / cell / fetus , with, 47 /AW, chromosomes;		
	Total	13	

	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(a)		endothelium; lumen;	5	ACCEPT tunica intima, tunica interna DO NOT CREDIT epithelium
			atheroma;		ACCEPT plaque
			muscle; oxygen;		IGNORE ref. to glucose
	(b)		pain / AW, in chest; pain spreading to, neck / arms / jaws / stomach / back; light headed / dizzy / faint / short of breath; vomiting / nauseous; irregular / abnormal, pulse; sense of doom; (more) sweating; skin, white or grey / lips become blue;	2	e.g. tightness
	(c)	(i)	no pulse / heart not beating; unconscious; skin, white or grey / lips become blue;	2	IGNORE ref to breathing

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(ii)	both 1 example of initial actions carried out;	8	e.g. check for breathing / make sure airway is clear / lay person on, his / her back / raise legs
	2 place interlocked hands / AW, on (centre of) chest and press down for 4–5cm;		
	3 repeat 30 times ;		
	4 at rate of 100 compressions per minute / AW;		CREDIT description e.g. 'Staying Alive'
	5 give rescue breaths / described;		
	6 if pulse (and breathing) return move casualty to recovery position;		DO NOT CREDIT 'W' position
	7 uses defibrillator;		
	8 gives, aspirin / (named) anticoagulant;		e.g. heparin
	9 administers, thrombolysing agent / AW; 7 max		e.g. Strep(tokinase) / clotbuster
	QWC;		1 mark from mps 1 – 6 AND1 mark from mps 7-9
	Total	17	

Q	Question		Answer Marks		Guidance
5	(a)	(i)	MMR;	1	
		(ii)	diphtheria; tetanus; whooping cough / pertussis;	4max	CREDIT first four answers only. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 mark ACCEPT phonetic spelling throughout
			polio; influenza;		ACCEPT flu
	(b)	(i)	1 (booster / pathogen produces) more / large numbers of, memory cells ; how vaccine protects	9	AWARD in context of booster or pathogen only
			2 antigen injected / taken into body;		
			3 primary response / described;		
			4 produces (antibodies and) memory cells;		e.g. antigen recognition, clonal selection, clonal expansion
			5 specific to, antigen / pathogen;		
			why more than one dose given		
			6 (booster) causes a, secondary response;		
			7 memory cells, activated / AW, faster;		
			immune because		
			8 the child is, infected with the pathogen / AW , they don't get ill / AW ;		
			9 (because) large(r) number of antibodies produced (when infected by pathogen);		
			10 so pathogen destroyed (faster); 8 max		
			QWC for balanced account ;		MP1 plus 1 MP from 2 –7 plus 1 MP from 8 – 10

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(ii)	before 2 months child may (still) have antibodies from mother (which would neutralise vaccine); disease more severe in young children / AW; younger children more at risk from complications of disease / AW;	1	CREDIT correct reference to (natural) passive immunity
(iii)	risk of side effects / named side effect;	1	for example: high temperature, vomiting, diarrhoea, mild symptoms of disease, rash / fits /autism / illness
(c)	insufficient protein (in diet) / AW; unable to make, antibodies / memory cells / lymphocytes; because amino acids not available;	2	
	Total	18	

C	uestio	n Answer	Marks	Guidance
6	(a)	cells, differentiate/become specialised / described; forming groups of cells called tissues; named tissue in respiratory system;	4	ciliated / squamous epithelium, alveolar, smooth muscle, cartilage, connective tissues DO NOT CREDIT in the context of cells
		(different) tissues , form organs ;		
		named organ in respiratory system;		lung, trachea, bronchus, bronchiole,
	(b)		5	ACCEPT correct symbol for element or ion e.g. Ca / PO ₄ ²⁻ ACCEPT phosphorus for phosphate
		iron; calcium / Vitamin K; calcium / Vitamin D / phosphate; phosphate; Vitamin C;		ACCEPT Pi
	(c)	cannot be synthesised by the body / must be present in the diet;	1	
		Total	10	

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