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8666 PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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Paper 1 (Theory), maximum raw mark 100

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Section A: Applied Anatomy and Physiology

1 (a) (i) Total 5 marks: one mark for each of

A: Ball and Socket

B: (Head of) Femur

C: Acetabulum (of the pelvic girdle)/pelvis

D: Abduction

E: Gluteus medius or gluteus minimus

B and **C** can be switched

(ii) (accept first two answers only)

2 marks for 2 of: Flexion, extension, adduction, outward rotation, inward rotation, horizontal flexion, horizontal extension, circumduction

(b) 4 marks total

Submax 2 (stability)

- 1. Head of bone articulates with cup-like socket
- 2. Deep socket stabilises
- 3. Surrounded by ligaments/stabilise
- 4. Strong muscles/large number of muscles cross the joint
- 5. Femur has a large rounded head and a neck

Submax 2 (flexibility)

- 6. Movement in all directions/socket structure allows a range of movement
- 7. (Articular/hyaline) cartilage covers the ends of the bone
- 8. No bony protrusions limit movement

(c) 2 marks: must have example from sport

- 1. Muscle shortens (under tension)
- 2. Occurs in agonist muscle
- 3. E.g. biceps curl: biceps brachii during upward phase of movement

(d) 6 marks total

3 marks for 3 of

- 1. Diastole/relaxation phase
- 2. Lasts 0.5 seconds
- 3. Both atria fill with blood
- 4. AV valves are closed
- 5. Atrial BP rises above ventricular BP
- 6. Rising BP forces AV valves open
- 7. Blood passes into ventricles
- 8. Semilunar valves closed

3 marks for 3 of

- 9. Systole/contraction phase
- 10. Both atria contract forcing blood into ventricles
- 11. AV valves open
- 12. Semilunar valves closed
- 13. Aortic/pulmonary valves forced open
- 14. AV valves closed
- 15. Both ventricles contract
- 16. Blood forced into aorta
- 17. Blood forced into pulmonary artery
- 18. Semilunar valves close preventing back flow
- 19. Lasts 0.3 seconds

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(e) 2 marks for 2 of

- 1. Alveoli are air sacs
- 2. Form a vast surface area
- 3. Have a single layer of cells/thin
- 4. Short diffusion pathway
- 5. Moist lining/to dissolve O₂

(f) 1 mark for

- 1. Velocity is slower through the capillaries to allow for exchange of gases, (nutrients and waste products)
- 2. Marathon runner needs more O₂ to muscles being used.

3 marks for

- 3. Cross sectional area of vessels.
- 4. Travels through aorta at (40cm/s)/velocity large
- 5. Velocity decreases as travels through arteries and arterioles
- 6. Because there are so many of them.
- 7. Because cross sectional area is comparatively small
- 8. Biggest cross sectional area is in capillaries
- 9. Velocity is (0.1cm/s)/significantly smaller
- 10. Venules and veins have less total cross section
- 11. Therefore velocity increases

2 (a) Preparation phase

3 marks for

- A (Dorsi) flexion
- **B** Tibialis anterior
- **C** Concentric

Main action

1 mark for

D Plantar flexion/extension

(b) Feature must match the function

Features: (2 marks for 2 of)		Function: (2 marks for 2 of)		
1.	Articular capsule	9.	Encases the joint	
2.	Synovial membrane	10.	Lines the capsule/secretes synovial fluid	
3.	(Articular/hyaline) cartilage	11.	Reduces friction/protects bones from wear and tear	
4.	Synovial fluid	12.	Lubricates the (articular/hyaline) cartilage	
5.	Ligaments	13.	Join bone to bone/stabilise	
6.	Bursa	14.	Help to reduce friction	
7.	Discs of cartilage	15.	Absorb shock	
8.	Pads of fat	16.	Protect bones from wear and tear	

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(c) 3 marks for 3 of

- 1. Motor unit is a motor neurone and the muscle fibres which it stimulates
- 2. When a motor unit receives a stimulus (of sufficient intensity)
- 3. All fibres in the motor unit will contract at the same time
- 4. And to the maximum possible extent
- 5. If the stimulus is not of sufficient strength the muscle fibres do not respond
- 6. No contraction takes place

(d) 4 marks total

2 marks max for each description (valves)

- 1. One way
- 2. Prevent back flow
- 3. Direct blood towards the heart

(skeletal muscle pump)

- 4. Veins lie between the muscles
- 5. Muscles contract and relax
- 6. This action pushes blood towards the heart

(respiratory pump)

- 7. During exercise breathing becomes deeper/faster
- 8. Volume of thoracic cavity changes
- 9. Causes changes in pressure in thorax and abdomen
- 10. Pressure round abdomen increases, as diaphragm flattens
- 11. Pressure squeezes veins pushing blood towards the heart

(smooth muscle)

- 12. Walls of veins are made of smooth muscle
- 13. This contracts and relaxes
- 14. Pushes blood towards the heart

(gravity)

- 15. Blood from above the heart
- 16. Is assisted by gravity as it descends to the heart

(e) 5 marks total

1 mark for each description

X: Inspiratory reserve volume/IRV

The amount of air which can be forcibly inhaled in addition to tidal volume/normal breath

Y: Expiratory reserve volume/ERV

Amount of air which can be forcibly exhaled from the lungs in addition to the tidal volume/normal breath

3 marks for

- 1. Tidal volume increases
- 2. Using both inspiratory reserve and expiratory reserve volumes
- 3. Inspiratory reserve volume decreases
- 4. Expiratory reserve volume decreases

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(f) 5 marks for 5 of

- 1. Partial pressure (pp) of oxygen influences saturation of Hb with O2
- 2. At tissues pp of O2 is lower in cells and higher in capillaries
- 3. Partial pressure of O2 drops when blood arrives at tissues/increase in O2 diffusion gradient during exercise
- This causes O2 to dissociate from Hb and diffuse into cells
- 5. During exercise amount of CO2 produced increases
- 6. This increases partial pressure of CO2/increase in diffusion gradient during exercise
- 7. This increases dissociation of O2 from Hb
- 8. Increase of body temperature during exercise allows O2 to dissociate from Hb more easily
- 9. More CO2 in blood decreases pH level
- 10. Drop in pH causes O2 to dissociate more easily from Hb
- 11. Hb has a high affinity to CO2

3 (a) Total 4 marks

2 marks for 2 of

(fine skill)

- 1. Use small muscle groups
- 2. Involve intricate movements
- 3. Involve accuracy
- 4. Usually emphasise hand-eye co-ordination

2 marks for 2 of

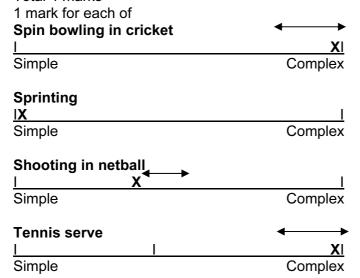
(gross skill)

- 5. Involve large muscle group movements
- 6. Usually whole body actions
- 7. Little concern for precision

(b) (i) 2 marks for 2 of

- 1. It is a scale of characteristics
- 2. Skills have characteristics to a greater or lesser extent
- 3. Depending on the situation in which they are performed
- 4. Skills have elements of all characteristics
- 5. Difficult to be specific about characteristics
- 6. Allow comparison between skills

(ii) Total 4 marks



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(c) 5 marks total

(i) 2 marks for

(S/R bond)

- 1. Learner links a stimulus from the (environment)
- 2. To a movement response
- 3. If the response is successful then a link/connection is formed
- 4. Response is stored in LTM
- 5. A learning bond/conditioning bond
- 6. Automatic response/habitual
- (ii) 3 marks for 3 of

(Use tennis as an example)

- 7. Repetition/practice
- 8. Hit forehands from a ball fed to that side feed lots of balls
- 9. Positive reinforcement/law of effect
- 10. Coach says well done/extrinsic rewards
- 11. Negative reinforcement
- 12. Disapproval on lack of success/withdrawn on success
- 13. Law of readiness
- 14. Teach them to concentrate
- 15. Mental rehearsal

(d) Total 10 marks

(i) 4 marks for

(Importance of feedback)

- 1. Link between input and output
- 2. Used to compare movements with model/what we want to do
- 3. Helps to improve performance
- 4. By detecting and correcting action
- 5. Helps motivation
- 6. Helps goal setting
- 7. Increases enjoyment/feel good factor
- 8. Helps beginner to understand kinaethesis
- (ii) Sub max 3 marks for (must use examples)

(Knowledge of results)

- 9. Feedback about the outcome of our movement
- 10. Is extrinsic
- 11. Comes from coaches/teachers/others
- 12. Seeing the result/video
- 13. Can be both positive and negative
- 14. Helps to improve the next movement
- 15. Feedback allows comparison with others

Sub max 3 marks for (must use examples)

(Knowledge of performance)

- 16. Concerns quality of movement
- 17. Can be external/from teacher/coach/others
- 18. Explains why movement is successful
- 19. Explains why movement was not good
- 20. Can be internal/kinaesthetic/how movement feels

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4 (a) Total 6 marks

- (i) 2 marks for 2 of
 - 1. Enduring traits
 - 2. Are within the performer/in genes/inherited/born with
 - 3. Determine a performer's co-ordination, strength, speed, balance
 - 4. Under pin all skills/can't perform skills without abilities/building blocks
 - 5. Can be improved especially in childhood
- (ii) Sub max 2 marks for

(gross motor ability)

- 6. Ability involving actual movement
- 7. E.g. strength/weight lifting

Sub max 2 marks for (psychomotor ability)

- 8. Ability to process information then put our decision into action
- 9. E.g. Reaction time: sprint start
- (b) Total 6 marks
 - (i) 1 mark for

(reaction time)

- 1. Time between the first presentation of a stimulus to the start of the response
- 2. Time to process information

1 mark for

(movement time)

3. Time between starting and finishing the movement

1 mark for

(response time)

- 4. Time between the first presentation of the stimulus to movement completion
- 5. Reaction time + movement time
- (ii) 3 marks for

(improve response time)

(must apply to e.g.) – sprint start or similar

- 6. Practice responding to the stimulus, to make response automatic
- 7. Experience/having done the activity in different settings
- 8. Being able to anticipate/time between get set and go
- 9. Improve concentration/ignore crowd/selective attention
- 10. Improve fitness/training with starting blocks
- 11. Understand stimulus response compatibility/gun means go
- 12. Optimum arousal levels to improve reaction times
- 13. Value of a warm-up

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(c) Total 7 marks

(i) 2 marks for 2 of

(open loop)

- 1. Explain how we perform very quick actions in sport
- 2. Especially closed skills
- 3. Motor programme is run almost automatically
- 4. As a whole movement
- 5. Programme stored as complete movement
- 6. No time for feedback to be involved

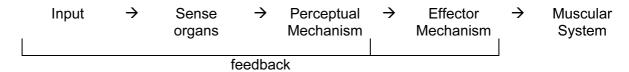
2 marks for 2 of (closed loop)

- 7. Involves feedback
- 8. Feedback is internal/kinaesthetic
- 9. Information received from proprioceptors
- 10. To detect errors in movements
- 11. To correct errors in movement
- 12. Explains how we perform slow actions in sport

(ii) 3 marks for 3 of

Accept diagram with explanation

- 13. Motor programme for handstand is run
- 14. Proprioceptors in muscles sense a balance
- 15. Proprioceptors/hands/legs recognise losing balance/maintenance of balance
- 16. Message sent via nervous system to brain
- 17. Brain sends message to perceptual mechanism
- 18. Movement is adjusted/corrected
- 19. Done through feedback
- 20. Balance retained



(d) 2 marks for 2 of

- 1. Handstand has been rehearsed/is automatic
- 2. Need to rehearse/practice regularly
- 3. Coach should keep information simple, when correcting the movement
- 4. Performer needs to enjoy practice
- 5. Positive reinforcement/praise/encouragement
- 6. Avoid interference
- 7. Use of imagery/provide demonstration/give clear picture of what is required

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(e) 4 marks total

2 marks for 2 of

(extrinsic)

- 1. Learning takes place in order to gain rewards
- 2. (Tangible) rewards such as badges/trophies/certificates given to the swimmer
- 3. (Intangible) rewards such as praise, social status
- 4. Need to be used sparingly
- 5. Needs to be important or desired by the performer
- 6. Needs to be soon after the event
- 7. Reward effort not always results

2 marks for 2 of

(intrinsic)

- 8. Performer will want to take part in swimming for its own sake/self esteem/pride
- 9. Needs to enjoy the session
- 10. Needs to achieve initial success
- 11. Need to be given achievable challenges
- 12. Needs to be comfortable socially

5 (a) 4 marks for 4 of

- 1. Stress relief/away from work/life obligations
- 2. Health and fitness
- 3. Social/make new friends
- 4. Enjoyment
- 5. Recuperation/relaxation
- 6. Self development/new activities
- 7. Creativity

(b) (i) Total 7 marks

3 marks for

- 1. Appreciate nature
- 2. Respect the environment
- 3. Escape from urban environment
- 4. Feel a sense of adventure
- 5. Excitement
- 6. Challenge oneself (against nature)/survive in the outdoor environment
- 7. Personal achievement
- 8. Relaxation

(ii) Sub max 2 marks for 2 of

(Real risk)

- 9. Risk of environmental hazard rock fall
- 10. Injury
- 11. Danger
- 12. No control

Sub max 2 marks for 2 of

(Perceived risk)

- 13. Imagines risk e.g. falling
- 14. But situation is safe e.g. equipment, planning
- 15. Valuable challenge

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(c) This answer will vary from country to country

6 marks for

- 1. Local schemes by local authorities
- 2. Schemes by governing bodies/regional bodies
- 3. Schemes run through education
- 4. Private, voluntary and public body provision
- 5. For children/adults
- 6. At leisure centres/sports clubs/pools/sports fields
- 7. After school/evenings/weekend
- 8. Cheap/free
- 9. Provision of equipment
- 10. Provision of coaching
- 11. Campaigns
- 12. Aim at disadvantaged/target groups
- 13. Providing access for target groups
- 14. Advertising/media influence

(d) Total 4 marks

(i) 2 marks for

(benefit to performer)

- 1. Allows full time training/focus
- 2. Funds coaching/equipment/travel/living
- 3. Eases money worries
- 4. Provides financial security after sport
- 5. Medical/psychological support
- 6. Notoriety

(ii) 2 marks for 2 of

- 7. Controls and manipulates performer/intrusion into private life
- 8. Expectation to appear in events
- 9. Performer becomes reliant on sponsor
- 10. Can be withdrawn/ suddenly/or given for limited time
- 11. Image given may not be satisfactory

(e) 4 marks total

Submax 2

Positive

- 1. Private and corporate business put vast amounts of funding into sport
- 2. It gives the business a high profile
- 3. Events can happen which normally would not
- 4. Top sports stars become very wealthy
- 5. Allows high levels of achievement/gold medals/professionalism/ better chance of success
- The feeling that anyone can achieve success
- 7. Attract more tourism to the country/more likely to host major events

Sub max 2

Negative

- 8. Sport is used as a product to be sold/advertised to sell other products
- 9. Can introduce "win at all costs" ethic
- 10. Lose the true value of sport
- 11. Only top performers/top sports benefit
- 12. Money determines when/where the sport takes place

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6 (a) Total 5 marks

- 1. Non serious: done entirely for pleasure
- Spontaneous: no predetermined rules
- 3. Space does not matter, decided by agreement
- 4. Pleasurable activities/immediate pleasure/no ulterior motive
- 5. Intrinsic value/done for its own sake
- 6. Time does not matter
- 7. Freedom to choose

(b) 4 marks for 4 of

- Skill learning
- 2. Health and well-being
- 3. Knowledge
- 4. Relaxation from academic stresses
- 5. Preparation for active leisure/opportunity to discover new sports
- 6. Social aspects/work with friends
- 7. Self realisation/code of behaviour/leadership opportunity
- 8. Career preparation
- 9. Creative experience
- 10. Aesthetic appreciation

(c) 5 marks for 5 of

(Achieving excellence)

- 1. Training venues/facilities
- Highly qualified coaches/management
- 3. Commitment/motivation/determination
- 4. Skill
- 5. Sports scientists
- 6. Physiotherapists
- 7. Psychologists
- 8. Sponsorship/funding/kit, travel, living expenses

(d) Total 6 marks

- (i) 3 marks for 3 of
 - 1. Importance of the result
 - 2. Frustration/disappointment at own level of play
 - 3. Unfair officiating
 - 4. Crowd behaviour
 - 5. Emotional intensity of the game/over arousal
 - 6. Weapons are part of the game
 - 7. Provocation
 - 8. Nature of the game e.g. ice hockey

(ii) 3 marks for 3 of

- 9. Education in fair play/walking away from trouble
- 10. Self management
- 11. Severe penalties/bans/court cases
- 12. Rule changes
- 13. Use of technology in officiating
- 14. More and improved refereeing
- 15. Ethics
- 16. Crowd control

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(e) 5 marks for 5 of

Sub max 2 for each section

(Gender)

- 1. More men take part than women
- 2. Women have other commitments
- 3. Lack of suitable activities
- 4. Women do not attract the same media coverage/sponsorship

(Socio-economic)

- 5. Income
- 6. Employment

(Race/religion)

- 7. Some ethnic groups have a negative attitude to sport
- 8. Do not approve of women participating in sport
- 9. Racist attitude of others

(Stereotyping)

- 10. Groups in society have supposed characteristics
- 11. These can limit participation

(Family)

12. Parents/siblings affect your attitude to taking part

(Government/situation)

- 13. Politics
- 14. Political unrest

(Friends)

15. Peer group pressure

(School)

16. Negative/positive experiences affect attitudes

(Ability)

- 17. Disabled provision /facilities/transport/competition
- 18. Attitudes towards disability sport
- 19. Lack of role models

(Age)

20. Provision for young and elderly