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Q	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
1	а		cancels out the direct wave (1)	1	
	b		board	2	curved lines = 0 marks three wavefronts of correct spacing (same as before hitting board) on the right of board (1) at right angles to reflected ray (1)
	С		speed The distance between frequency The distance moved wavelength The number of	2	correct pattern for 2 marks one or two mistakes for 1 mark a mistake is
			Total	[5]	

Qı	Question		Answer				Mark	Guidance	
2	а		ul	ltraviolet	X-ray	gamma ray		1	any unambiguous response in the correct box
	b		speed (1) space (1)					2	accept 'vacuum' instead of 'space'
	С		tooth absorbs X-rays (1) film changes colour when absorbs X-rays / film white where X-rays do not reach it / black where X-rays reach it (1)					2	accept X-rays don't get through the tooth accept different parts of the tooth absorb X-rays differently accept tooth forms a shadow on the film
					Total			[5]	
3	a b		one and zero (1) modulation (1) noise (1) sound (1)				3	not one on its own, not zero on its own	
					Total			[4]	

Qı	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
4	4 a		Niall (1)	2	accept in either order
			Beth (1)		accept any clear indication of correct response
	b		language / talking / intelligence /	1	apply list principle
			consciousness / thinking / processing information (1)		accept otte
					reject personality / owtte
					reject memory
	С		electrical stimulation (of the brain) /	1	not CAT scans / X-rays / brain scans / ECG / dissection
			electroencephalogram (EEG) /		
			magnetic resonance imaging (MRI scans) /		
			functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI scans) /		
			positron emission tomography (PET scans) /		
			(radioactive) tracers /		
			studies of patients with traumatic brain damage (1)		not decay e.g. not Alzheimer's
			Total	[4]	
5	а		spinal cord (1)	3	
			sensory (1)		
			synapses (1)		
	b	i	C - axon (1)	1	
		ii	D - fatty sheath (1)	1	
	С		any three from:	3	
			receptor detects stimulus;		
			(electrical) impulse;		accept nervous impulses
			correct sequence of receptor, sensory neuron, motor		accept signals
			neuron, effector;		reject sequence which includes brain
			effector makes the movement;		
			Total	[8]	
6			a stimulus (1)	2	
			dealing with a new situation (1)	_	
			Total	[2]	

Q	Question		Answer		Guidance
7			particles smaller (1) rate faster (1)	2	this is the minimum acceptable response accept higher level answers e.g. correct reference to surface area
			Total	[2]	
8	а		calcium + hydrochloric → calcium + carbon + water carbonate acid chloride dioxide	1	the two reactants can be in either order the three products can be in any order
	b		calcium chloride (1)	1	
	С	i	1 (1)	1	
		ii	universal indicator ✓ pH meter ✓	1	both correct for 1 mark
	d		7 (1)	1	
			Total	[5]	

Q	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
9	а		I, g, s, g	1	in that order
					do not penalise use of capitals
	b		impurities are solid / separate / as a mixture / not bonded to reactants (1)	3	
			filtering / decanting / evaporating / distilling (1)		reject filtering if impurity is liquid
			after reaction 1 / before reaction 2 / while is liquid titanium		reject distilling/evaporating of solid impurity
			chloride (1)		look for a separation method that makes physical sense
	С			1	
			<u>210 x 100</u> (1)		
			300		
	d			2	one mark for each correct response
			Total	[7]	

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