

## **General Certificate of Secondary Education June 2010**

Design & Technology 45751

Short Course – Written Paper

Unit 1

Mark Scheme

Mark schemes are prepared by the Principal Examiner and considered, together with the relevant questions, by a panel of subject teachers. This mark scheme includes any amendments made at the standardisation meeting attended by all examiners and is the scheme which was used by them in this examination. The standardisation meeting ensures that the mark scheme covers the candidates' responses to questions and that every examiner understands and applies it in the same correct way. As preparation for the standardisation meeting each examiner analyses a number of candidates' scripts: alternative answers not already covered by the mark scheme are discussed at the meeting and legislated for. If, after this meeting, examiners encounter unusual answers which have not been discussed at the meeting they are required to refer these to the Principal Examiner.

It must be stressed that a mark scheme is a working document, in many cases further developed and expanded on the basis of candidates' reactions to a particular paper. Assumptions about future mark schemes on the basis of one year's document should be avoided; whilst the guiding principles of assessment remain constant, details will change, depending on the content of a particular examination paper.

Further copies of this Mark Scheme are available to download from the AQA Website: www.aqa.org.uk

Copyright © 2010 AQA and its licensors. All rights reserved.

## **COPYRIGHT**

AQA retains the copyright on all its publications. However, registered centres for AQA are permitted to copy material from this booklet for their own internal use, with the following important exception: AQA cannot give permission to centres to photocopy any material that is acknowledged to a third party even for internal use within the centre.

Set and published by the Assessment and Qualifications Alliance.

The Assessment and Qualifications Alliance (AQA) is a company limited by guarantee registered in England and Wales (company number 3644723) and a registered charity (registered charity number 1073334). Registered address: AQA, Devas Street, Manchester M15 6EX

Question	Part	Sub F	Part Marking Guidance	Mark	Comment
1	(a)		Source		x 1 mark for each correct answer Max 4 marks
			Material Bauxite		Max 4 marks
			Sugar Fleece		
			Cotton Deciduous tree		
			Butter Plant		
			Oak Granite		
			Aluminium Coniferous tree		
			Olives		
			Milk	4 x 1	
1	(b)	(i)	Material sources which do not run out as more materials can be grown i.e. materials from plants and animals.		Max 2 marks
			Definition shows some understanding	1	
			Good definition	2	
			Do not award any marks for providing an example (e.g. cotton) as this is required for part b(ii)		
1	(b)	(ii)	Materials from plants		Any 1 answer is acceptable
			Materials from animals		Max 1 mark
			Any specific source from plants or animals, e.g. Leather, Wheat, Wool, Beech		1333 1 1133111

1	(c)	Qualified response which explains how it helps the environment with an example	2 – 3	Max 3 marks
		basic explanation/definition of selected term	1	
		e.g. <b>Reuse</b>		
		use a product again rather than throwing it away	1	
		less energy / materials used to make new products if things are reused, fewer materials going to landfill, particularly important for materials from non renewable sources. Need to avoid disposable		
		products e.g. carriers	2 – 3	
1	(d)	Simplistic explanation to why the carrier are better for the environment	1	Max 6 marks
		Response includes some justification e.g. the bag for life is better because it can be reused. This means materials last longer. Award marks for each point made with qualification	2 -4	
		detailed response which considers several areas and makes comparisons between the carriers:		
		<ul> <li>Source of materials – renewable sources</li> <li>Disposal of materials – biodegradable, recyclable, landfill</li> <li>Life of the carrier – how long it can be reused for / possibility of repair</li> </ul>	5 – 6	
		When applying the mark scheme: 3 well qualified points = 6 marks Or 6 simplistic points = 6 marks		

Question Part Sub Part **Marking Guidance** Mark Comment 2 Feasible and effective idea, well drawn (a) Max 6 marks and clearly annotated with a variety of information which is more than descriptive Possible e.g. explains / justifies / evaluates 6 responses for each product Clear changes to the idea – e.g. change of to be function, additional features Some of the provided in labelling is more than descriptive e.g. an appendix explains / justifies / evaluates 4 - 5along with responses to Small changes to the idea – mainly exemplify the superficial e.g. surface shape / decoration, mark range labelling is superficial e.g. this is the zip, it will be blue, it is a Cornish pasty, it has sequins on etc 2 - 3Idea redrawn but some simple labelling evident or idea redrawn with one small change, no labelling 1 Redrawn idea from the question with no changes, no labelling 0 When applying the mark scheme: 3 well explained changes = 6 marks Or 6 changes with no explanation = 6 marks

2	Max 2 marks for: dimensions / sizes /
1	weights
0	
2	Max 2 marks for: material/ ingredients
1	
0	
6	Max 6 marks for: processes for making and assembly
4 – 5	assembly
3	
2	
1	
11 00 22 22 22	1 0 2 1 1 0 3

A suitable process for making part of the product identified 0 No suitable processes named or described names of tools and equipment to be Max 3 marks for: Appropriate tools / machinery listed 3 x 1 names of tools and equipment to be used Max 2 marks 2 Appropriate ICT application named and (c) explanation included to suggest how this would be used 2 Appropriate ICT application named, no explanation or use suggested, but no specific software named 1 Possible responses: CAD applications e.g. 2D design, Corel draw, Prodesktop, AutoCAD, Prosketch / paint, photoshop Other ICT applications e.g. web based research e.g. recipes, nutritional analysis software, excel to analyse sensory analysis results / costings CAM applications e.g. CNC router, laser cutter, plotter, sublimation printer, computerised embroidery machine

Question Part | Sub part Marking Guidance Mark Comment 3 Max 2 marks (a) Reasons provided e.g. waterproof, can be moulded into wellington shape, easy to rinse off mud, can be printed on 1 Explanation provided e.g. waterproof as designed for use in wet conditions. 2 Do not accept: Warm Strong/sturdy unless related to wellington boots 3 (b) Max 3 marks e.g. Waterproof Long enough to stop mud/ water leaking over the top of the boot Good grips to prevent slipping Easy to put on and take off Comfortable to walk in Easy to clean Quick drying Adjustable fit so boots don't slip off accidentally Tall enough to stop mud getting 3 x 1 over the top Do not accept warm, have soles 3 Aesthetic features described. Max 3 marks (c) understanding of different target markets and how this is reflected in each design 3 2 Aesthetic features described Superficial response which describes an 1 aesthetic feature of one of the boots Examples: **Boot A** - Bright colours are attractive to children, green reflects outdoors, colours appeal to boys. Dinosaurs design appeals to children, contrasting trim at the top and bottom of the boot makes the design more interesting, Fun design Boot B - Green natural colour makes the boot subtle - wearer blends in with environment, colour appeals to adults, Boring design - mainly functional workwear **Boot C** - Pinks appeal to girls, colours

		stand out, flower design appeals to girls and reflects outdoors. Ribbed texture of the knitted tops makes the boot more interesting, fun design and colouring makes a fashion statement		
3	(d)	Feature and function described in some detail, recognises that this is particular to the target audience e.g. loops are there to make it easy to pull the boots on, good for small children who might be unsteady on their feet, easier to grip to pull on.  Feature described and function identified e.g. plastic loops make it easier to pull the boots on,	3	Max 3 marks
		Will accept to carry the wellies, to hang them up but max of 2 for these responses, even if really well explained  Superficial response i.e. identify wellies have handles	2	

Question Part Sub part **Marking Guidance** Mark Comment Max 2 marks (a) Any **two** correct responses: Acrylic Bookend 1 former Chocolate mould 1 Pendant mould 1 Hat former 1 Good quality drawing which matches 4 (b) Max 3 marks product shape – may show other details such as two parts to the mould. Should show a taper so product is easier to get 3 Drawing of former / mould resembles 2 product shape Choice of former / mould is correct, but drawing is poor / a straight copy of those provided as part of the question 1 Product requires a mould – former drawn and visa versa - award no marks 0 Max 1 mark 4 Award a mark for an appropriate material (c) for the mould / former e.g. Food grade plastic, Aluminium, MDF, Resin 1 Do not credit responses such as metal. wood, plastic 4 (d) Acrylic Bookend - Good description of Max 4 marks the process e.g. Thermoplastic sheet, heated on the bend line using a strip heater, bent around a former and held in place by clamps until cool. Answer explains how the plastic is heated but may be incorrect. Answer shows forming, but response is unclear or has detail missing. 2 - 3Simple response e.g. plastic is heated and is put on the former 1 Chocolates - Answer shows chocolate broken into smaller pieces, melted appropriately in microwave or in a bowl over a pan of boiling water, left to cool to set, removal from mould. Full and accurate description / diagram of moulding process 4 Method of melting chocolate described but inappropriate i.e. over direct heat.

Answer shows the filling of the mould but the response is unclear or has details missing e.g. greasing the mould so that the chocolates are easily removed.	2-3
Simple response e.g. Melt the chocolate and pour chocolate in the mould	1
Pewter pendant - Answer shows small pieces of pewter chopped from an ingot and melted appropriately in a crucible, mould being filled & left to set/cool, removal from mould. Full and accurate description / diagram of pewter moulding process	4
Method of melting pewter described but inappropriate e.g. in a kiln.  Answer shows the filling of the mould but the response is unclear or has details missing e.g. clamping of mould	2-3
Simple response e.g. melt the pewter and pour pewter in the mould	1
Felt hat - Accept answers for process by hand or press forming Response describes the use of steam to make the fabric stretchy. Full and accurate description /diagram of felt blocking process	4
Answer shows wetting of felt or cutting to size but response may be difficult to follow / inaccurate. Answer shows felt stretched on former but response is unclear or lacking some detail e.g. pinning to place to maintain stretched shape	2-3
Simple response e.g. felt is cut / felt is heated to make it bendy. Felt is on a former / block	1
Response shows moulding/ forming for another product. Award marks in a similar manner to above, depending upon the accuracy and amount of detail in the response.	

4	(e)	Any sensible and relevant precaution suggested e.g. using heat proof gloves when pouring pewter.	1	Max 2 marks
		Accept responses relating to food hygiene/safety e.g. aprons, tie hair back etc.		
		Do not award marks for non specific responses e.g. be careful when pouring pewter		
		Justification for precaution / description of possible hazard when making the product identified e.g. to prevent burns	1	