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Afternoon

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Candidates answer on the question paper **Additional materials (enclosed):** None

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Additional answer paper may be required



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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use blue or black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer all the questions.
- Do not write in the bar codes.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks for each question is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **100**.

SECTION A

SECTION B

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Section A



Brett is 72 years old and is in a wheelchair. Tony is 18 years old and is a volunteer friend.

Fig 1: Two different life stages

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(a)	Identify the life stage for each person.

Describe four different physical characteristics for each life stage.

(i)	Brett's life stage
	Physical characteristic 1
	Physical characteristic 2
	Physical characteristic 3
	Physical characteristic 4
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(ii)	Tony's life stage
	Physical characteristic 1
	Physical characteristic 2
	Physical characteristic 3
	Physical characteristic 4

(b)	(i)	Describe two positive social changes that could occur in Brett's life stage.
		1
		2
		[2]
	(ii)	Describe three negative social changes that could occur in Brett's life stage.
		1
		2
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[Total: 15]

2 Read Text 1 below.

Text 1

(a)

Babs and Sue are identical twins. They both have fair hair and blue eyes like their mother. Both learned to play the piano and enjoyed going for long walks with their parents. Their parents read them stories and played with them quite a lot. They both went to nursery school and enjoyed meeting other children.

When she was six years old Sue was very ill with meningitis and missed two months of school. This put Sue behind her sister and she found it hard to make progress.

Their father spent a lot of time with both girls teaching them to use the computer. Babs and Sue are 18 years old and now have jobs working with computers.

They still like to read and enjoy activities such as badminton, swimming and dancing. They go out quite a lot with their friends.

Use the information given in **Text 1** to answer questions **2(a)**, **2(b)** and **2(c)**.

(i)	What is meant by the term 'genetics'?
	Genetics is
	[2
(ii)	Give two examples to show how genetics has influenced the development of the twins.
	Example 1
	Example 2[2

Explain four factors, other than genetics, that have influenced the development of the twins.
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Describe three ways that emotional factors have influenced the development of the twins.
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3 Read Text 2 below.

Text 2

Ali, 18 years old, is a Muslim who lives in England. He is studying at a sixth form college to get qualifications that will help him train as a doctor. His family are very supportive.

Ali has a small group of friends at college. He does not go out with them at the weekends because of his religious commitments. His friends often try to persuade Ali to go out with them but he is reluctant to do so in case he is not accepted by others.

Ali is very pleased when he passes his examinations.

Use the information given in **Text 2** to answer questions **3(a)** and **3(b)**.

(a)	Explain three ways that educational experiences could affect Ali's development.	
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- (b) Other factors that have influenced Ali's development are:
 - being the eldest in a family with four other children
 - his father having been unemployed
 - only having a small group of friends

Explain how these factors could interrelate (work together) to affect Ali's development.
[8]

(c)	Explain three ways culture could affect growth and development.
	1
	2
	3
	[6]
	[Total: 20]

Section B

4 Read Text 3 below.

Text 3

The Baker family

Richard works as an environmental health officer and brings home a reasonable wage each month. Christine, his wife, works part time as a dental hygienist. With their joint income the family can afford to run a car, buy their semi-detached house and have money to go out and have holidays.

Richard and Christine have three children, Gloria, 6 years old, Kevin, four years old and Anita who is 2 years old. The children like to play together and get on well. Both Richard and Christine take part in bathing the children. They take time to read to the children before they go to bed. They always give them a hug after they have read their bed time story and kiss them goodnight.

Both parents work together to get the children ready for playgroup and school and Christine always meets them from school, but if for any reason she can't, Richard will make sure he meets them. Sometimes the children will invite their friends home after school to play.

Richard and Christine always read the reports brought home by the children and decide together what is the best action to take.

Use the information given in **Text 3** to answer questions **4(a)** and **4(b)**.

(a)	Describe what is meant by the terms given below for each feature of the relationship.
	For each feature of the relationship, give an example from the text.
	Protection is
	Example
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	Love is
	Example
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	Mutual support is
	Example
	Friendship is
	Example
	Sharing is
	Example
	[10]
(b)	Explain how a loving and caring relationship could affect the development of the children.
	[5]

5 Read Text 4 below			_		
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Text 4	
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Gloria, Kevin and Anita have all attended playgroup.	

Use the information given in **Texts 3** and **4** to answer questions **5(a)** and **5(b)**.

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(a)	(i)	Explain two different ways that the children's intellectual development could be influenced by attending playgroup.
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		[4]
	(ii)	Explain three different ways that the children's social development could be influenced by attending playgroup.
		1
		2
		3
		[6]

(b)	At the playgroup, a nursery nurse often shouts at Kevin. She criticises Kevin and tells him that he is a nuisance. He is never praised for the good things he does.
	Explain how the nursery nurse's behaviour is likely to affect Kevin's self-concept.
	[5]
	[Total: 15]

6 Read Text 5 below.

Text 5

Christine's and Richard's youngest child, Anita, suddenly starts to feel unwell. At first she appears to have a very bad cold but then purple spots appear and she has a fever. The GP immediately arranges for her to go to hospital.

Anita is given medical help but unfortunately she dies.

Use the information given in Texts 3, 4 and 5 to answer questions 6(a), 6(b) and 6(c).

USE	the information given in Texts 3, 4 and 5 to answer questions 6(a), 6(b) and 6(c).
(a)	Is Anita's death an expected or unexpected life event? Give an explanation for your answer.
	Expected/unexpected
	Explanation
	[3]
(b)	Explain ways the loss of a child is likely to affect Christine's and Richard's self-concept.

	[7]
(c)	Richard and Christine are provided with support to try and help them cope with the death of their child. The parents are supported by:
	 a counsellor a GP (General Practitioner) a health visitor
	Describe how each could provide support for Christine and Richard. Explain how the actions of each professional care worker could help the family to cope.

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