



Centre Number

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Candidate Number

General Certificate of Secondary Education  
2014

**Home Economics  
(Child Development)**

Unit 2

Child Development 0–5 years

[GHC21]

FRIDAY 30 MAY, MORNING

**MV18**

**TIME**

1 hour, plus your additional time allowance.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this question paper.

Answer **all six** questions.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The total mark for this paper is 60.

Figures in brackets printed at the end of each question indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in questions **5** and **6**.

Answer **all six** questions.

1 (a) Complete the following sentences: [4 marks]

(i) The average weight of a newborn baby is  
\_\_\_\_\_ kg.

(ii) The fine, soft hair covering a newborn baby is called  
\_\_\_\_\_.

(iii) \_\_\_\_\_ are the milk spots often found  
on a newborn baby's skin.

(iv) The MMR vaccine protects babies against measles,  
mumps and  
\_\_\_\_\_.

(b) Write down **two** health benefits for a mother when breastfeeding. [2 marks]

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Explain **two** points to consider when choosing clothes for a newborn baby. [4 marks]

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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2 (a) Write down **two** points to remember when caring for a child who is sick in bed. [2 marks]

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Sophia is four years old.

Explain how her parents can keep Sophia safe when she is playing in the garden. [6 marks]

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3 (a) Write down **two** ways parents can help prevent SIDS (cot death). [2 marks]

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Katie and Sean are choosing a cot for their newborn baby.



Explain **two** safety points that they should consider when choosing a cot. [4 marks]

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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(c) Explain how the Sale and Supply of Goods Act 1994 can protect Katie and Sean when they are buying equipment for a baby. [2 marks]

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**4 (a)** Describe the development of a child's manipulative skills. [4 marks]

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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**(b)** Discuss how attending a play group can help a child's social development. [6 marks]

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**(c)** Discuss how parents can encourage good behaviour.  
[6 marks]

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**5** Discuss **four** factors to consider when planning meals for a young child. [9 marks]

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