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Unit 4

Personal Development

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WEDNESDAY 7 JANUARY, MORNING

TIME

45 minutes, 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.
Complete in blue or black ink only.

The insert (containing **Source A**) is to be used for Questions 4 and 5 in **Section B**.

Answer **all** questions in this paper.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 40.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in Questions 4 and 5.

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

Section A

Answer **all** questions in this section.

This question is about the concept of self.

- 1 (a) Write down **one** skill a young person may use when working in a group. [1 mark]

- (b) Identify **and** explain **one** effect sexual orientation could have on a person's self-confidence. [2 marks]

- (c) Identify **and** explain **one** way television may influence a young person's attitude. [2 marks]

This question is about building and maintaining healthy relationships.

- 2 (a)** Write down **one** way a parent may encourage a child to become more independent. [1 mark]

- (b)** Explain **one** reason communication skills are important in maintaining a healthy relationship. [2 marks]

- (c)** Explain **one** way relationships between brothers and sisters may be difficult in a family. [2 marks]

This question is about maximising and sustaining health and well-being.

- 3 (a)** Write down **two** ways an individual could tackle obesity.
[1 mark for each way]

1. _____
2. _____

- (b)** Identify **and** explain **two** reasons why a teenager may eat convenience food. [2 marks for each reason]

1. _____

2. _____

(c) Identify and explain two ways a young person's emotional health may be affected by relationship difficulties with parents. [2 marks for each way]

1. _____

2. _____

Section B

Answer **all** questions in this section.

4 Read **Source A** and use it to help you answer this question.

(a) Explain **two** benefits of purchasing a new household item. [2 marks for each benefit]

1. _____

2. _____

(b) Explain the importance of setting a budget. [6 marks]

- 5 With reference to **Source A** and your own knowledge evaluate the decision of a young couple to buy a property. [10 marks]

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SOURCE A

Insert: Personal Development

For use with Questions 4 and 5.

SOURCE A

Buying and maintaining a Home

House prices in Northern Ireland have dropped significantly in price due to an economic recession. This has made buying a home more affordable for some young couples.

There are many things to consider when buying a house such as which bank will lend you money, the size of the deposit for the house, solicitor fees, mortgage payments, timescale of mortgage, house insurance and household bills such as heat and food.

Many young couples starting off in a new home may need to purchase new household items such as a washing machine and a fridge. There are many benefits to purchasing new items such as they are more likely to last longer. New items also come with a warranty or guarantee should anything go wrong.



It is essential a monthly budget is created to make sure all the household bills are paid on time to avoid falling into debt.

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