

### General Certificate of Secondary Education

## Science: Double Award 3462/1F Specification B

## Mark Scheme

#### 2006 examination - June series

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.

# **Double Award (Co-ordinated) Foundation Tier 3462/1F**

#### 3462/1F Q1

question	answers	extra information	mark
	<u>In correct sequence</u> :		
	heart		1
	ovary eye		1
	stomach pancreas		1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	A		1
(ii)	С		1
(iii)	D		1
(b)	(muscle) contracts / shortens	do <b>not</b> accept tightens / smaller / thicker	1
		allow tenses	
(c)	any <b>two</b> from:		2
	automatic / non-conscious	accept 'no thinking' or not involving brain / involves non-thinking part of brain	
		do <b>not</b> accept instinctively / subconsciously	
	• reaction / response (to a stimulus)	do not accept just 'action'	
	• rapid		
total			6

question	answers	extra information	mark
	<u>In correct sequence</u> :		
	asexual		1
	identical		1
	clones		1
	gametes sexual different		1 1 1
total			6

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	to cool down / to lose heat / to maintain (body) temperature		1
(ii)	more / a lot of water is lost in sweat	do <b>not</b> accept 'most water'	1
(b)	volume of <u>water</u> is lower / less <u>water</u> / not enough <u>water</u> (in urine)		1
(c)	breathing / defecation / faeces	do <b>not</b> accept respiration / tears / colloquial names for faeces	1
total			4

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	gene / DNA / genetic material <u>for coat</u> <u>protein</u>		1
(ii)	coat protein / protein coat		1
(b)(i)	white blood cells		1
(ii)	antibodies		1
(iii)	more rapidly		1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	warm / 20°C / room temperature	do <b>not</b> accept temperature / heat / suitable temperature / hot	1
	moist / water / damp / wet	ignore 'when made up' ignore 'when left open in kitchen' ignore oxygen	1
(b)(i)	oxygen		1
(ii)	respiration		1
(iii)	more slowly		1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
	<u>In correct sequence</u> :		
	diffusion		1
	high low		1
	membrane		1
	osmosis wilts		1
total			6

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	10		1
(ii)	31 to 32		1
(b)(i)	extra chromosome / 3 copies	do <b>not</b> accept extra chromosomes do <b>not</b> accept more chromosomes do <b>not</b> accept gene	1
	of (chromosome) 21		1
(ii)	male – XY / has X and Y	accept male and Y present  accept reverse argument – male, because female would be XX	1
(c)	DNA		1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	pollen falls / lands (on mud / water / lake)	or pollen falls (implied mud)	1
	becomes buried in more <u>mud</u> (with time)		1
(b)(i)	birch		1
(ii)	8 200		1
(c)(i)	dry / drier	accept less / little rain	1
		ignore less water	
		ignore references to Sun and temperature	
		ignore rain unqualified	
(ii)	wet / damp / moist / humid / more rain / raining / rainy	ignore more water	1
		ignore references to Sun and temperature	
		ignore rain unqualified	
total			6

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	2	ignore working or lack of working  200 for 1 mark 100	2
(ii)	athlete runs faster in 100 metres	do <b>not</b> accept speed unqualified do <b>not</b> accept different speeds do <b>not</b> accept distance	1
(b)(i)	oxygen debt		1
(ii)	lactic acid		1
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	34	ignore working or lack of working	2
		10 200 for 1 mark 300	
(b)(i)	mouth / small_intestine / duodenum / ileum		1
(ii)	amy <u>lase</u>	accept phonetic spelling accept carbohydr <u>ase</u>	1
(iii)	sugar / maltose / glucose / disaccharide / monosaccharide / dextrin		1
(iv)	small intestine / duodenum / ileum		1
total			6

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	С		1
(ii)	lack of nucleus / others have a nucleus or chromosome / DNA / genetic material free in cytoplasm	accept plurals do <b>not</b> accept just 'has a strand of DNA'	1
(b)(i)	breathe in <u>air</u> / droplets exhaled by other people / breathe same air <b>or</b> higher concentration of bacteria in the <u>air</u> <b>or</b> more likely to be coughed on	mark for mechanism  do <b>not</b> penalise reference to virus / TB / germ  ignore answers involving proximity unqualified	1
(ii)	(bacteria / it ) enter body / lungs by breathing / via air		1
(iii)	via the blood	accept via rbc or other components of blood accept lymph	1
(c)	<ul> <li>any two from:</li> <li>skin</li> <li>scabs / clot</li> <li>mucus / cilia</li> <li>stomach acid / gut protease</li> </ul>	accept tears  do <b>not</b> accept ear wax / saliva / sebum  apply list principle ignore nasal hair	2
total			7

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)(i)	oxygen / O <sub>2</sub>	do <b>not</b> accept O only	1
(ii)	photosynthesis	accept phonetic spellings	1
(b)	Graph:		
	points	ACCURACY ± ½-square minus 1 mark per error	2
	line	single line best fit <u>curve</u> , <b>not</b> straight line <b>or</b> ruled point-to-point	1
		must attempt to start at origin	
(c)	any <b>two</b> from:		2
	carbon dioxide (concentration)		
	temperature / too cold	accept 'heat'	
	water / moisture / rain / humidity	do <b>not</b> accept temperature too high	
		do <b>not</b> accept lack of chlorophyll	
total			7

question	answers	extra information	mark
	Quality of written communication:	For <u>correct use of</u> scientific terms:	1
		at least <b>two</b> from: e.g. cancer, mutation, bronchitis, emphysema, arteries, atheroma, carbon monoxide, carcinogen, trachea, bronchus, bronchiole, cilia, alveoli, haemoglobin, mucus, red blood cell, white blood cell, ulcer, angina, nicotine, addiction, etc.	
	any <b>four</b> from:	annotate as Q ✓ or Q ×	4
	• tar present		<del>,                                    </del>
	(chemicals from smoke / tar) enter the blood	do <b>not</b> accept just tar enters blood	
	une oroota	accept x from tar gets in the blood	
	• mutation		
	(lung) cancer / reference to carcinogen		
	bronchitis / emphysema		
	less surface area / less oxygen enters blood	nb award less oxygen mark once only	
	circulatory disease / blood clots / blocked arteries / heart attack / stroke	do <b>not</b> accept blocked by tar	
	carbon monoxide		
	less oxygen carried by blood / CO combines with Hb	nb award less oxygen mark once only accept no oxygen	
	damage cilia / alveoli		
	microbes or correct named e.g. remain in lungs		
total			5

question	answers	extra information	mark
(a)	animal which / it kills/ hunts / catches (other animals)	ignore references to prey	1
	it / animal which eats other animals / it is a carnivore		1
	is a carmivore	animal kills <u>and</u> eats its prey = 2 marks	
		an animal that preys on another animal = 0 marks	
(b)	lemming population decreases before / when no owls present	accept converse	1
(c)	any three from:		3
	• lack of food		
	due to competition / due to over- eating by lemmings / due to high lemming population	nb competition for food = 2 marks	
	• disease		
	severe weather drought / flood /     or too hot / too / very cold		
	other predators	accept humans as predators	
total			6

question	ans	swers	extra information	mark
	Quality of written communication:		Ideas given in a sensible order: at least one correct named substance linked to its correct effect	1
			annotate Q ✓ or Q ×	
	any four from:		max 2 for named substances extra wrong substances cancel	4
	Substance	Effect		
	carbon dioxide	<ul> <li>greenhouse effect         <ul> <li>global warming</li> <li>mechanism</li> <li>described</li> </ul> </li> <li>sea-level rise /         melting ice-caps /         flooding / rainfall         change</li> </ul>	do <b>not</b> accept just climate change	
	sulphur dioxide nitrogen oxides	<ul> <li>acid rain / lowering soil pH / water acidification</li> <li>damages leaves / trees kills plants / animals / breathing difficulties / bronchitis / eye irritation / deaths of people / damaging statues / buildings</li> </ul>	accept reduced mineral availability to plants do <b>not</b> accept toxic unqualified	
	carbon monoxide	• combines with Hb / less O <sub>2</sub> carried in blood		
	soot / (smoke) particles	<ul> <li>reducing light / photosynthesis</li> </ul>	ignore ash  correct substance and wrong effect = 1 mark only	
total				5