



General Certificate of Secondary Education
2011–2012

Science: Double Award (Modular)

Living Organisms and the Processes of Life
End of Module Test

Foundation Tier

[GDA01]

TUESDAY 15 MAY 2012
9.15 am–10.00 am

**MARK
SCHEME**

		AVAILABLE MARKS												
1	(a) Benedict's	[1]												
	(b) Food sample + reagent in test tube (placed in beaker of water); Heat/boil	[2]												
	(c) Blue → orange red/red/orange/brick-red (not brown)	[1] 4												
2	(a) Palisade/mesophyll cell	[1]												
	(b) absorbs <i>light</i> energy; for <i>photosynthesis</i>	[2]												
	(c) Any two from													
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		[2] 5												
3	(a) × 40	[1]												
	(b) Any three from: Place strip of epidermis on (microscope) slide; Add drop of iodine stain/methylene blue/water; Lower on coverslip; At an angle to avoid trapping air bubbles; Secure with clips;	[3] 4												

		AVAILABLE MARKS
4 (a)	Assimilation ; All three correct = 2 marks	
	Absorption ; 1 correct = 1 mark	
	Egestion	[2]
(b)	Amylase breaks down/digests starch; into glucose/maltose/sugar; Present both in mouth and ileum to ensure all starch digested/starch digestion is not completed in the mouth or to continue digestion.	[3] 5
5 (a)	Destarch the plant/place in dark cupboard for period of time	[1]
(b)	Blue-black/starch present	[1]
(c)	Respiration/energy/cellulose/protein/fats/oils/sucrose/chlorophyll	[1] 3
6 (a)	Any two from: Same sterilisation temperature used; Same concentration of broth; Same volume of broth; Keep flasks at same temperature; Same type of broth used	[2]
(b)	Bacteria caught/trapped in the swan neck/bacteria cannot enter the broth	[1] 3
7 (a)	Root hair cell	[1]
(b)	Minerals/named mineral/nitrates/Ca/Mg	[1]
(c)	Stoma/stomata	[1]
(d)	Carbon dioxide/CO ₂	[1] 4

		AVAILABLE MARKS
8	(a) Respiration/energy release [1] (b) Any two from: Insulin released; causes glucose to be converted to glycogen; in the liver; glucose to be converted to fat; more/increased respiration of glucose; more/increased uptake into cells [2]	
	(c) Hepatic portal vein [1]	4
9	(a) Any three from: Blockage in artery/clot; Less blood flow through artery; so less glucose/oxygen; less respiration/energy; for heart muscle to contract/heart muscle dies [3]	
	(b) Nicotine [1]	4
10	(a) Keep trachea open/prevent it from collapsing/support [1] (b) Any two from: These are the <i>intercostal muscles</i> ; <i>Contract</i> during inspiration; so ribs move up or out; Increased volume/decreased pressure/lungs expand [2]	
	(c) Blood <i>capillaries</i> [1]	4
11	(a) A – Right atrium B – Aorta [2] (b) C is deoxygenated/D is oxygenated; C has more CO ₂ /D has low CO ₂ [2]	4

	AVAILABLE MARKS
12 (a) Any two from: Bacteria/microorganisms <i>caught in the mucus/germs/dust caught in mucus;</i> <i>Wafted by ciliated epithelial cells/moved by cilia/hairs;</i> <i>Swallowed;</i> <i>Killed by hydrochloric acid in stomach</i>	[2]
(b) Any four from: <i>Antigens</i> on surface of microorganism; stimulate the production of <i>antibodies</i> ; by lymphocytes (white blood cells); antibodies join with antigens/or bacteria/or virus; forming a clump; This is ingested/digested; by the phagocytes/phagocytosis	[4] 6
Total	50