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FOOD AND NUTRITION

0648/12

Paper 1 Theory

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2 hours

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black ink.

You may use a soft pencil for any diagrams or graphs.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

DO **NOT** WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Section A

Answer **all** questions.

You are advised to spend no longer than 45 minutes on Section A.

Section B

Answer **all** questions.

Section C

Answer **either** Question 8(a) **or** 8(b).

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

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Section A

Answer **all** questions.

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1 (a) Name **three** nutrients which provide the body with energy.

Nutrient 1

Nutrient 2

Nutrient 3 [3]

(b) State the energy value of 1 g of each of the nutrients named in (a).

Nutrient 1

Nutrient 2

Nutrient 3 [3]

(c) Define the term *energy balance*.

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(d) Discuss reasons why individuals have different energy requirements.

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(e) Explain what happens if too much energy-giving food is eaten.

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2 Iron is involved in the production of energy.

(a) Name **two** animal sources of iron.

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(b) Name **two** plant sources of iron.

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(c) Name the pigment which gives blood its red colour.

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(d) Explain the function of the pigment named in (c).

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(e) Name the deficiency disease associated with iron.

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(f) State **four** symptoms of the disease named in (e).

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(b) absorption in the small intestine.

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Section B

Answer **all** questions.

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5 Write an informative paragraph on each of the following:

(a) the use of a refrigerator;

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(b) different uses of fats and oils;

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6 (a) State **four** reasons for serving sauces and give an example for each reason.

Reason 1

Example 1

Reason 2

Example 2

Reason 3

Example 3

Reason 4

Example 4 [4]

(b) The following ingredients can be used to make cheese sauce:

- 25g flour
- 25g margarine
- 250ml milk
- 50g cheese

(i) Describe, with reasons, how to make cheese sauce by the roux method.

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(ii) Name **two** dishes which include cheese sauce.

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(c) Identify **three** different ways to reduce the amount of fat in the cheese sauce.

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(d) Suggest **three** reasons for a lumpy sauce.

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7 Discuss:

(a) the importance of food packaging;

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(b) the information on food labels;

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(c) the use of additives in processed food.

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Section C

Answer **either** 8(a) **or** 8(b).

- 8 (a)** Explain why some people choose to follow a vegetarian diet and suggest ways to ensure that vegetarians have enough High Biological Value (HBV) protein.

Identify and discuss problems that could be associated with vegetarian diets. [15]

OR

- 8 (b)** Cows' milk is important in the diet but it does not keep long unless it is treated or made into another dairy product.

Discuss this statement under the following headings:

- (i)** nutritive value of milk;
- (ii)** different methods of treating milk to extend its shelf-life;
- (iii)** dairy products. [15]

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