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Leaving Certificate Applied - 2007

Vocational Specialism - Graphics & Construction Studies (240 marks)

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General Directions

1. Write your examination number in this space:

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2. There are two sections in this paper.

Section 1 - Answer **both** questions. - 105 marks

Q1 - Short answer questions

Q2 - Graphic Communication

Section 2 - Five questions, answer **any three**. - 135 marks

Q1 - Construction

Q2 - Building Services

Q3 - Woodcraft

Q4 - Design and Manufacture of Educational Toys

Q5 - Computer Aided Design

3. Write your answers in the spaces provided and include sketches as appropriate.

Section 1

**COMPULSORY
QUESTION 1**

(60 Marks)


1. Answer any TWELVE of the following FIFTEEN short questions.

(a) List **TWO** materials you used in your end of year practical project.

1. _____

2. _____

(b) Sketch in the space provided one marking out tool that you used during this course.




**USE A
PENCIL
ONLY**

(c) Give **TWO** examples where scale drawings are used.


(d) Name the **TWO** types of power tools shown.

1



1

2



2

(e) List **TWO** methods of applying a surface finish to a piece of furniture.

1. _____

2. _____

(f) List **TWO** factors that should be considered when designing a woodwork project.

1. _____

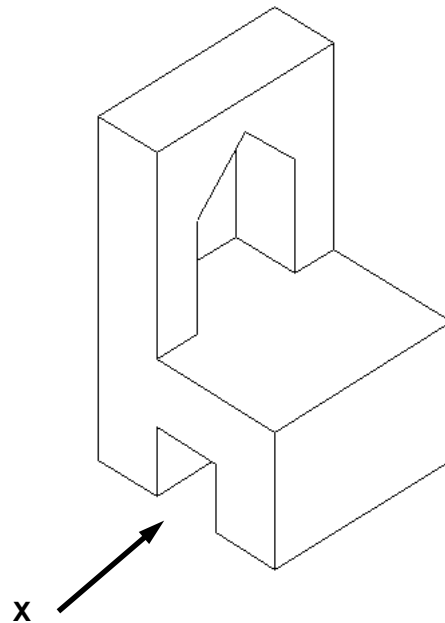
2. _____

(g) List **TWO** advantages of timber framed house construction.

Advantage 1: _____

Advantage 2: _____

(h) Sketch an elevation of the chair when viewed from arrow "X".



(i) List **TWO** safety items that should be worn on a building site?

1. _____

2. _____

(j) In the space provided, sketch one method of jointing wood that you learned during this course.



Explain, briefly, this method of jointing wood.

(k) Name **FIVE** professions associated with the construction industry:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

(l) The following is a list of woods that grow in Ireland.
Suggest a suitable use for each wood

Wood	Use
Ash	
Beech	
Scots Pine	
Douglas Fir	
Oak	

(m) (1) When purchasing building materials VAT is added to the cost.

What do the letters **VAT** stand for?

- V. _____
- A. _____
- T. _____

(m) (2) A sheet of plywood costs €32 plus 10% VAT.
Calculate the total cost of the sheet of plywood.

(n) Two woodwork projects are listed below.

Suggest a suitable finish for each of the projects and give a reason for your suggestion.

1. Coffee Table

Finish _____

Reason _____

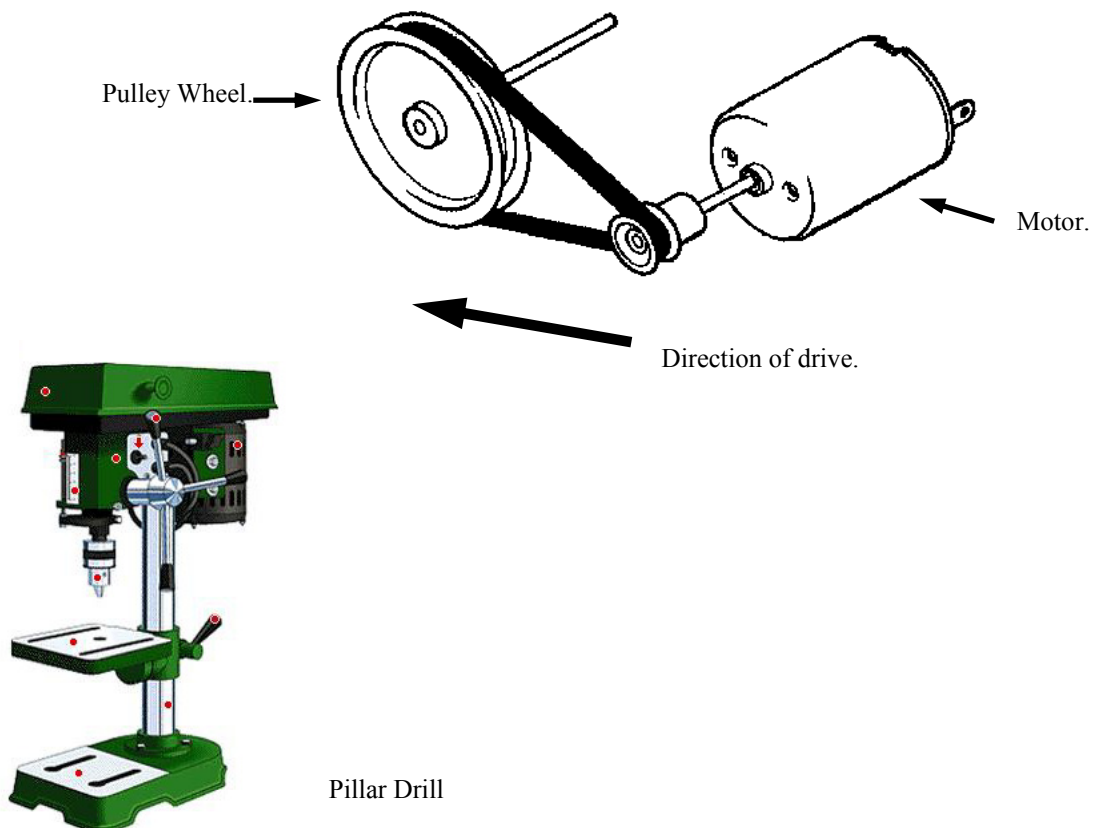
2. Exterior Hardwood Gate.

Finish _____

Reason _____

(o) The diagram shows a pulley system and motor used in a Pillar Drill.

Indicate using sketches how the direction of the Pulley Wheel can be reversed?



Section 1

**COMPULSORY
QUESTION 2**

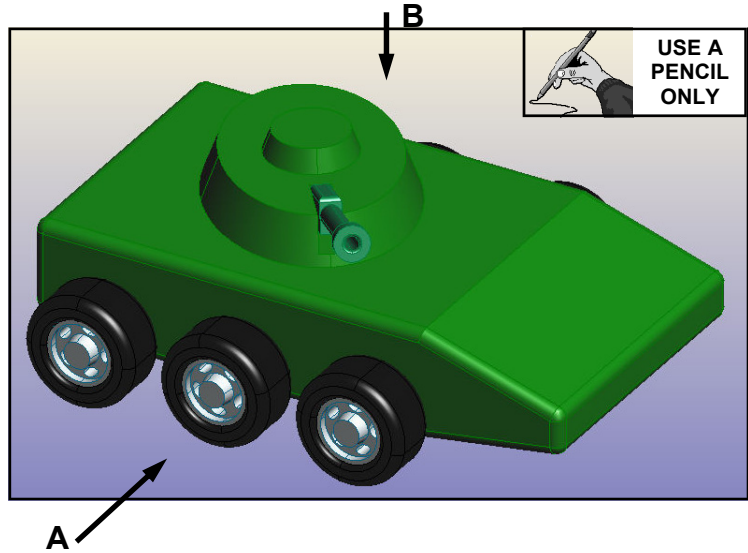
(45 Marks)

2. Graphic Communication

- (a) The figure shows a model army tank.

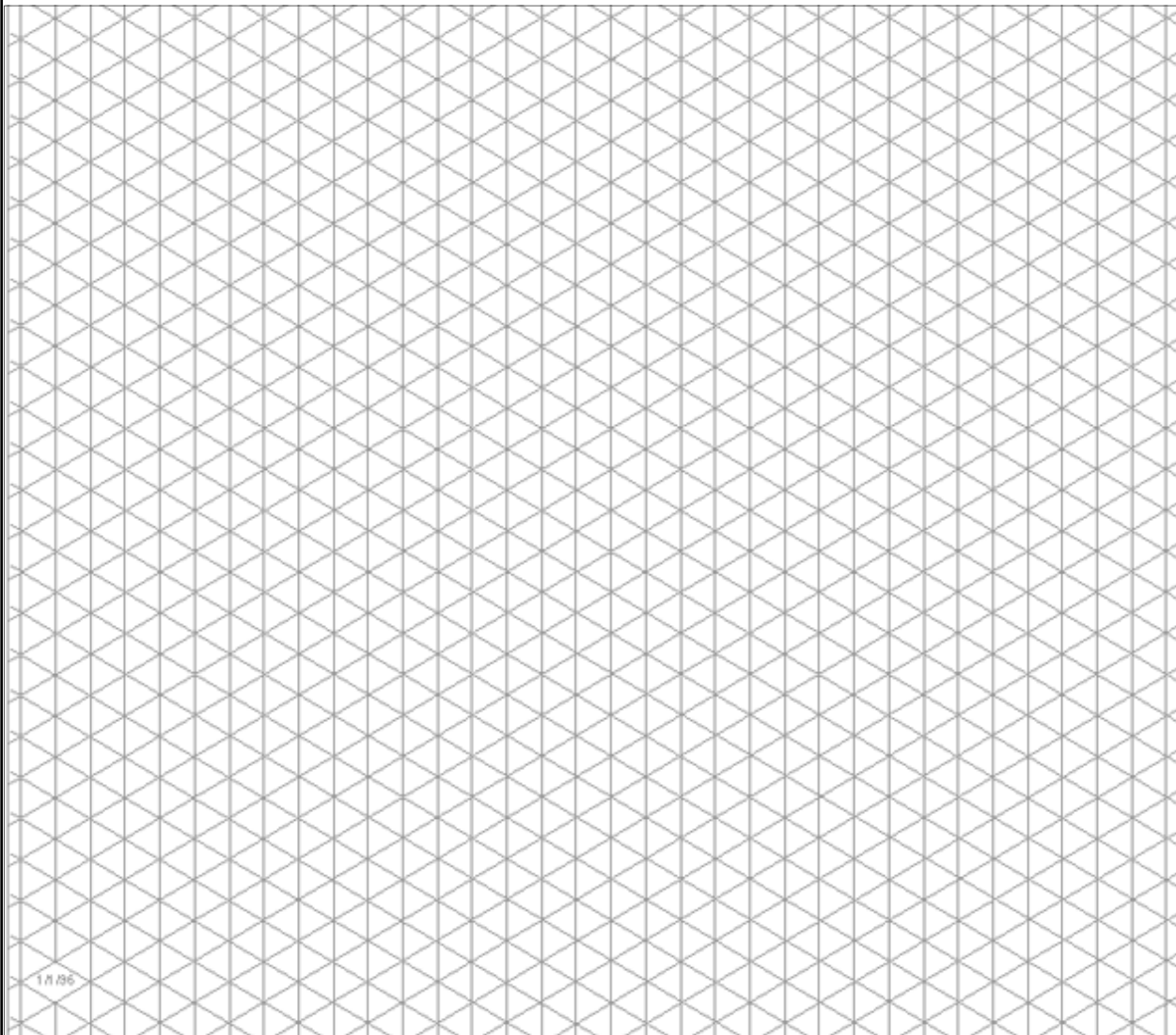
Draw well proportioned sketches of the following views:

- (a) (1) A front elevation looking in the direction of the arrow A.
- (a) (2) A plan looking in the direction of the arrow B.



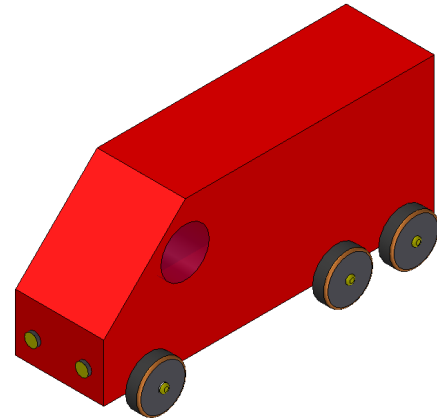
(b) The pictures show open and closed views of a CD storage box.

Draw, in the space provided a well proportioned isometric sketch of the CD storage box in the closed position



(c) The image shows the model of a bus

Draw a well proportioned sketch of the surface development of the model bus, excluding the wheels.



Section 2

(135 Marks)

Answer ANY THREE Questions from this section.

1. Construction

(a) (1) Explain why it is necessary to control planning?

(a) (2) List **TWO** types of planning permission.

1. _____

2. _____

(a) (3) List **TWO** documents required for planning permission.

1. _____

2. _____

(b) A vertical section through the eaves of a slated roof is shown below.

Name any **FIVE** of the parts shown.

1. _____

2. _____

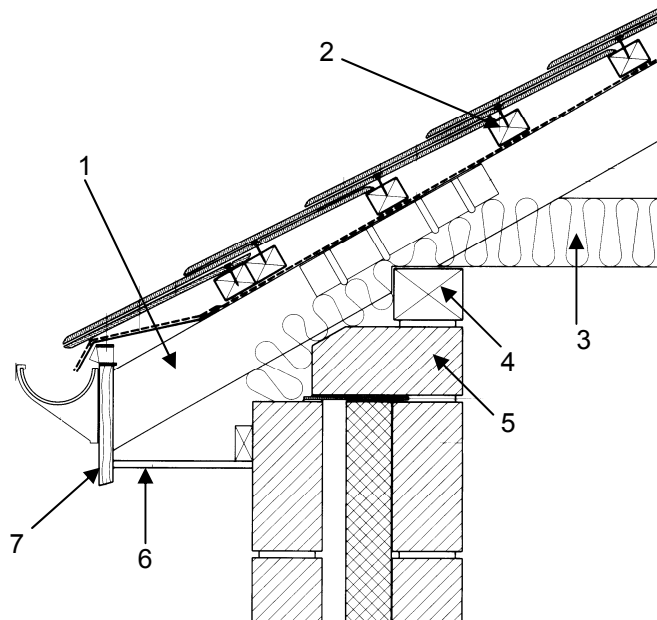
3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____



- (c) (1) Name the **THREE** types of window shown below.
Suggest a different material from which each window could be made.



Name: _____
Material: _____



Name: _____
Material: _____



Name: _____
Material: _____

- (c) (2) Discuss **TWO** methods that can be used in the design of new windows to make windows more energy efficient.

2. Building Services

(a) (1) A diagram of a central heating system is shown below.

Name any **FIVE** of the parts shown.

1. _____

2. _____

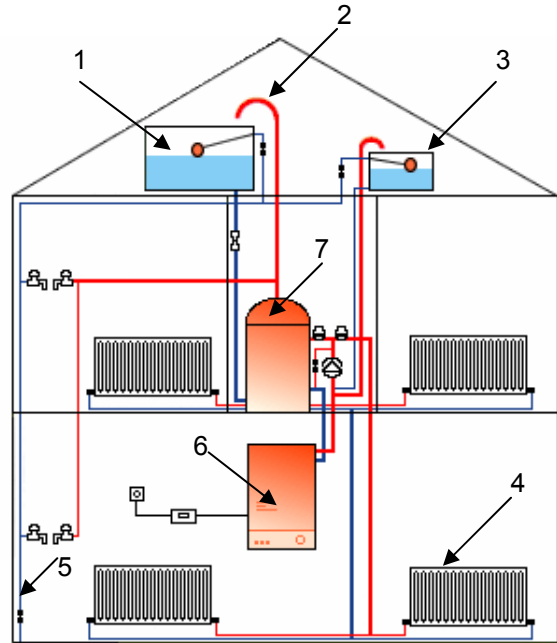
3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____



(a) (2) Select any **THREE** of the parts identified and explain the function of each.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

(b) (1) Name **THREE** alternative energy sources used to generate electricity in Ireland.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

(b) (2) Explain how electricity is distributed from its source to the home.

(c) The diagram shows an appliance label for a washing machine on the left and a washer / dryer on the right.

Energy Washing Machine	
1	Manufacturer Model
	More efficient
2	
	Less efficient
3	Energy Consumption kWh cycle 0.95
4	Washing Performance A B C D E F G
5	Spin Drying Performance A B C D E F G
6	Spin speed (rpm) 1500
7	Capacity (cotton) kg 5.0
8	Water Consumption 50
9	Noise (dB(A) re pw) Washing 10 Spinning 12

Energy Washer / Dryer	
1	Manufacturer Model
	More efficient
2	
	Less efficient
3	Energy Consumption kWh cycle 4.5
	Washing (only) 1.9
4	Washing Performance A B C D E F G
5	Spin speed (rpm) 1500
6	Capacity (cotton) kg washing 4.5 drying 2.25
7	Water Consumption 91
8	Noise (dB(A) re pw) Washing 10 Spinning 12 Drying 10

(c) (1) What is the purpose of attaching appliance labels to electrical items?

(c) (2) Which of the above machines is more energy efficient? Explain your answer.

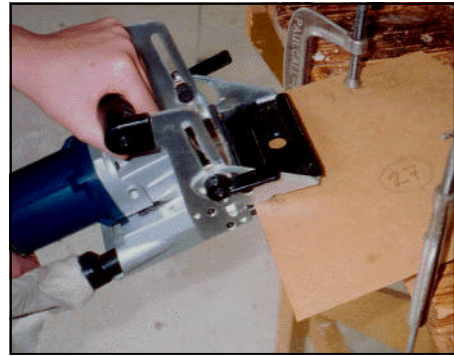
3. Woodcraft

(a) A picture of a power hand tool is shown opposite.

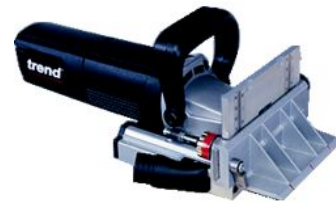
(a) (1) Name the tool.

Answer _____

(a) (2) Explain what this tool is used for.



(a) (3) Describe how the tool is used and the safety precautions to be observed with its use.



(b) The diagram shows a picnic table

(b) (1) Name a suitable wood for this picnic table.

(b) (2) Name a suitable treatment to prolong the life of the picnic table.



(b) (3) Name **TWO** adhesives suitable for exterior use.

1. _____

2. _____

(c) The diagram shows a wooden storage chest.

(c) (1) Name a suitable wood for this storage chest.



(c) (2) Briefly describe how you would make this project.

(c) (3) The chest measures 1500mm long x 450mm wide x 400mm high. Prepare a cutting list of materials for the chest by completing the table below. Assume it is made from boards measuring 100mm x 20mm.

Cutting List

	Quantity	Length mm	Width mm	Thickness mm
Front				
Back				
Two sides				
Top				
Bottom				
Cleats				

4. Design and Manufacture of Educational Toys

(a) Two wooden pull-along toys on wheels are shown below.



(a) (1) State **TWO** advantages of giving wooden toys to children.



(a) (2) What age group are toys similar to the ones shown suitable for?

(a) (3) In the space below, draw a design for a pull-along toy based on an elephant.

- (b) A pull-along toy is shown.
 (b) (1) Suggest a suitable material for this toy.

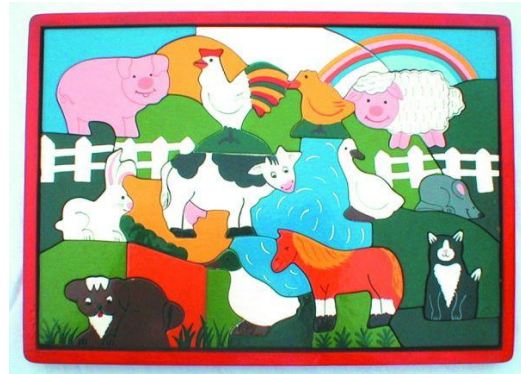


- (b) (2) What changes would you make to the toy which would allow it to be used as a ride-on toy?

- (c) Two educational toys are shown below.



Learning Frame



Puzzle

- (c) (1) Outline **THREE** advantages of each toy.

Frame: _____

Puzzle: _____

- (c) (2) In your opinion, which of the above toys is of most benefit to children?

- (c) (3) Give a reason for your answer.

5. Computer Aided Design

- (a) The following relative co-ordinates are used to draw a shape using a CAD package. Draw the shape using the given co-ordinates starting from point A.

+ ← Point A

From point A

To point: @-30,-30

To point: @20,0

To point: @0,-30

To point: @20,0

To point: @0,30

To point: @20,0

To point: @-30,30.

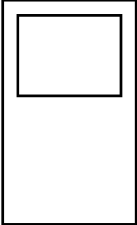
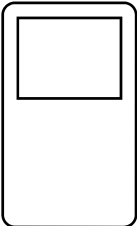
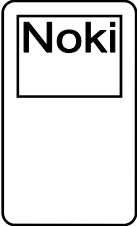
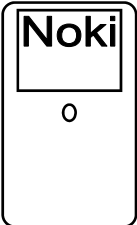
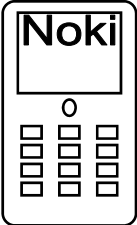
- (b) Shown below are media for the storage of computer files. Name any **THREE** and state one advantage and one disadvantage for each.

NAME:

ADV. / DISADVANTAGE:



- (c) Shown in the table below are FIVE steps used to sketch a mobile phone using a CAD package.
Identify the **FIVE** CAD commands used as the sketch progresses through each stage.

	Drawing	CAD Command.
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

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	Marks Awarded
Section 1 Q1	
Section 1 Q2	
Section 2 Q1	
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Section 2 Q3	
Section 2 Q4	
Section 2 Q5	
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