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Hunter Boot Ltd is a very successful Scottish company making Wellington boots.

The company has launched a website and recently moved production to China.



(a) Hunter Boot Ltd is a:

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	Tick (/) the correct answer
Private limited company	
Public limited company	

(b) Hunter Boot Ltd is a large business.Identify 2 features of a large business.

	Tick (✓) the 2 correct answers
Employs large numbers of staff	
Sales are very low	
Owned by one person	
Operates in more than one country	

(c) Suggest **one** reason why Hunter Boot Ltd created a website.

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(d) Hunter Boot Ltd now manufactures its boots in China. Identify **2** possible reasons for choosing a business location.

	Tick (✓) the 2 correct answers
Language barriers	
Low cost of raw materials	
Skilled workers	
High cost of premises	

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2.



Schuh is a Scottish based retail company who have been selling shoes for over 30 years. They now have over 70 shops.

(a) Identify 2 ways in which Schuh could grow in size.

	Tick (✓) the 2 correct answers
Close down shops	
Merge with another shoe shop	
Employ less staff	
Introduce new products	

(b) Suggest **one** benefit of growth for Schuh.

(c) Identify 2 ways of carrying out market research.

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(<i>d</i>)	Schuh uses their website to inform customers of new products. Suggest 2 other methods it could use to communicate with its customers.		
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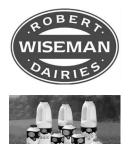
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Rises in the price of fuel have increased costs for Wiseman Dairies.

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Wiseman Dairies have now had to increase their selling price to cover these costs.



(a) Other than fuel, suggest 2 possible costs for Wiseman Dairies.

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2 _____

(b) Give **one** reason why Wiseman Dairies needs to cover its costs.

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(c) Wiseman Dairies produces milk. This is an example of:

	Tick (✓) the correct answer
a good	
a service	





3. (continued)

(d) Using the word bank below, label the stages of production for a carton of milk.

Input

Process

Output

Stages of Production



Milk is delivered to shops



Milk is turned into skimmed, semi-skimmed and full fat milk



Milk from cows is received in the dairy

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4.



Miss COCO is owned by Sarah Finlay. The business produces handmade chocolates.

(a)	Give 2 advantages of being a sole trader.
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	2
	2

(b) When Sarah started Miss COCO she would have completed a Business Plan.

Place the following information under the correct headings from the Business Plan.

Number of
Employees

Results from Market Research

Cash Budget

Business Plan Headings	Information
Human Resources	
Finance	
Marketing	

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(c) Identify Miss COCO's Factors of Production from the pictures below. Use the following word bank.

Capital **Enterprise** Land Labour





Cocoa Beans

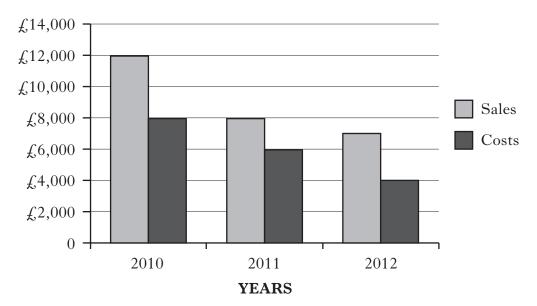
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Ambrose Entertainments offer a variety of services including discos, bouncy castle parties, clowns and comedians.

SALES AND COSTS FOR AMBROSE ENTERTAINMENTS



(a)	Identify	the year	with the	lowest	costs
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(b) Identify the year with the highest sales.

(c) Suggest 2 reasons why sales may have fallen.

Reason 1

Reason 2

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(d) Ambrose Entertainments offer many different services.

Suggest **one** reason why Ambrose Entertainments offers more than one type of service.

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(e) Ambrose Entertainments used a spreadsheet to produce a graph.Match the tasks given below with the most suitable software application.

Each software application can only be used once.

Presentation software

Word processing software

Database software

Task	Software Application
Store and sort customer names and addresses	
Prepare a business letter	
Prepare slides to show at a meeting	

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Asif Ali is the Managing Director of Palladium Executive Hire which offers luxury car hire in cars such as Rolls Royce Phantom, Bentley Flying Spur and Mercedes S Class.

The chart below shows the organisation structure of Palladium Executive Hire.



(a) Place each of the following job titles in the appropriate box in the organisation chart above.

Advertising
Assistant

Human
Resources
Manager

Production
Assistant

(b) From the chart above identify the person the Accounts Assistant would report to if the Finance Manager was absent.

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6. (continued)

(c)	Palladium	Executive	Hire	are	committed	to	supporting	staff	through
	different w	orking patt	terns.						

Match the following terms with the definitions given below.

Use each term only once.

The first one has been done for you.

Permanent Full-time Job Share

Temporary Part-time Flexi-time

Definition	Term
Employee has job for as long as they want it.	Permanent
Working "nine-to-five" 5 days a week.	
Two employees sharing one job.	
Working only 2 days a week.	
Employees choose the hours they work.	
Employment is for a short period.	

(d) Suggest 2 ways Palladium Executive Hire could reward its staff.

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Purdie's Ltd make and sell a range of natural organic products including soaps, body creams and shampoos.

(a) Purdie's Ltd operates in the following sector:

	Tick (✓) the correct answer
Private Sector	
Public Sector	
Voluntary Sector	

(b) (i) Suggest 2 ways Purdie's Ltd could improve its products.

Suggest one source of these improvements.	finance	Purdie's	Ltd	could	use	to	make

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(c)	Suggest 2 ways in which Purdie's Ltd	could advertise its products.		
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(<i>d</i>)	Identify which of the following Purchoosing a supplier.	rdie's Ltd would look for w	hen	
		Tick (✓) the correct answer		
	High prices			
	High quality			
	No discount		1	
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8.





Scottish SPCA is Scotland's animal welfare charity. One of its main aims is to prevent cruelty to animals.

(a)	Other than preventing cruelty to animals, suggest 2 aims that this charity may have.		
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(<i>b</i>)	Suggest 2 ways in which the Scottish SPCA could raise money.		
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(c)	Identify one stakeholder in a charity.	_	
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