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International General Certificate of Secondary Education

MARK SCHEME for the November 2004 question paper

0648 FOOD AND NUTRITION	
0648/01	Paper 1 (Theory), maximum mark 100

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	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:			
		A	C	E	F
Component 1	100	75	60	40	30

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C.
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SYLLABUS/COMPONENT: 0648/01

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(Theory)

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Section A

- 1 (a) growth maintenance/repair energy
production of secretions/hormones/enzymes/antibodies
any 3 x 1 mark [3]
- (b) carbon - hydrogen - oxygen - nitrogen
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (c) (i) HBV protein
contain all indispensable amino-acids - in adequate amounts
1 well-explained point - 1 mark [1]
- (ii) meat - fish - eggs - milk - cheese – soya/TVP
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (d) (i) LBV protein
lacks - at least one - essential amino-acid
1 well-explained point - 1 mark [1]
- (ii) cereals - pulses - nuts - gelatine (max 2 examples of any)
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (e) (i) Complementary proteins
2 protein foods - eaten together
deficiency in indispensable amino-acid in one - made up by the other
2 well-explained points - 2 marks [2]
- (ii) beans on toast - lentil soup and bread - etc.
2 examples - 1 mark [1]
- (f) Digestion and absorption of protein
in the stomach - rennin - clots milk – pepsin/gastric juice - in presence of acid (HCl) -
converts protein to peptones/peptides/polypeptides - enterokinase – converts
trypsinogen to trypsin
in the duodenum - trypsin - from pancreatic juice - converts protein to
peptones/peptides/polypeptides
in the ileum - erepsin - from intestinal juice - converts peptones to amino-acids -
amino-acids absorbed in villi - into blood capillaries
(must be at least 2 points on absorption)
12 points 2 points = 1 mark [6]
- (g) Deamination
nitrogen/ammonia removed - in liver - toxic - excreted as urea/in urine - via
kidneys
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- 2 (a) NSP in the body
helps in excretion
absorbs water - makes faeces soft - and bulky - easier to eliminate -
encourages peristalsis - gives feeling of fullness - removes toxins -
prevents constipation - diverticular disease - cancer of colon - hernia -
haemorrhoids -
lowers cholesterol (max 2)
8 points 2 points = 1 mark [4]

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- (b) whole grain cereals - brown rice - whole-wheat flour - whole-wheat bread - green vegetables - celery - rhubarb - fruit skins - tomato seeds - dried fruit - oats - plums - pulses - bananas
(allow fruit and vegetables once if no examples given)
4 examples - 2 marks [2]
- 3 (a) Water balance - replaces salt lost - in sweat/blood etc. -
to replace water lost 1 mark
for body fluids - blood, sweat, tears etc. 1 mark
chloride forms part of HCl - in gastric juice
flavour - in savoury dishes 1 mark [3]
- (b) hot climates - water lost to cool body
heavy manual work - water lost in perspiration
exercise/sports - fever - water lost to cool body 2 x 1 mark [2]
- (c) muscle cramps 1 mark [1]
- (d) less bacon, salted fish, cheese, etc. - salt added to preserve or in manufacture
less processed food - convenience foods, stock cubes, dried soup etc.
replace with potassium chloride - similar flavour but no sodium
use when cooking food or when serving - not both
use other flavourings - herbs, spices etc.
less soya sauce/MSG
fewer salty snacks - nuts, crisps etc.
soak ham before cooking or bring to boil - salt dissolves in water, can be discarded
choose unsalted versions of foods - such as butter etc.
6 well-explained points [6]

[TOTAL for Section A: 45]

Section B

- 4 (a) Nutrients in red meat
protein - fat - iron - vitamin A - vitamin D - thiamine - riboflavin - nicotinic acid - cobalamin (B₁₂) - (or allow vitamin B once)
6 points 2 points = 1 mark [3]
- (b) Tenderising meat before cooking
beating - mincing or cutting into small pieces - hanging - scoring
soak/marinade - in acid (wine/vinegar/lemon juice) -
use of enzymes - papain (papaya) bromalin (pineapple)
(Do not allow 'use of tenderising powders' or 'meat tenderiser')
4 named methods x 1 point 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (c) (i) Moist methods of cooking
braising - boiling - stewing - pressure cooking
2 methods - 1 mark [1]
- (ii) Changes during cooking
insoluble - collagen - changes to gelatine - which is soluble -
fibres fall apart - fat melts - colour changes from red to brown - shrinks
extractives squeezed out - protein coagulates -
8 points 2 points = 1 mark [4]

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(d) (i) Reasons to reduce red meat
narrows arteries - cholesterol deposited in artery walls
contains saturated fat - high in cholesterol - blocks arteries -
can lead to coronary heart disease - high blood pressure - strokes
can cause obesity/weight gain - can result in breathlessness etc.
6 points 2 points = 1 mark [3]

(ii) Alternatives to red meat
white meat (or named e.g. - chicken, turkey) - fish - soya beans - TVP -
pulses (or 1 named example) - cereals - nuts - mention of protein
complementation or mixing LBV protein or eating a variety of LBV proteins -
eggs - milk - cheese
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]

5 (a) Sieve (dry ingredients/flour) - before folding in flour in creamed mixtures etc.
rub fat into flour - plain cakes, shortcrust pastry, scones etc.
creaming fat and sugar - Victoria sandwich cake etc.
beating - adding egg into creamed mixtures etc. 1 stage
cake making
rolling and folding - flaky and rough puff pastry
{ whisking egg whites - meringues, souffles etc.
{ whisking whole eggs and sugar - Swiss roll, sponge flan etc.
5 x 1 mark for method + example [5]

(b) Scones
sieve dry ingredients - aerate, mix dry ingredients together, remove lumps
rub in fat - break into small pieces, to mix thoroughly with
dry ingredients, fingertips - coolest part
stir in sugar and other dry ingredients - to mix evenly
add liquid/milk - mix with round-bladed knife - cold - keeps in air - soft but not
sticky dough
draw together gently - with fingertips - pressure knocks out air
knead lightly - to avoid developing gluten - gives a tough result
form into round shape - less waste when cutting round shapes
press or roll gently - until 1½-2 cm thick
work on lightly-floured board - to prevent sticking, to avoid altering proportions
cut into shapes - same size and thickness - for even baking
brush with egg/milk for savoury scones or water and sugar for sweet scones -
to give a brown, shiny surface/a brown, crispy surface
bake at 225°C/450°F or gas mark 8 - for 8-10 minutes -
not much fat so quick cooking needed to prevent drying - grease tray, hot
oven, preheat oven
hot oven causes carbon dioxide to be produced quickly - to raise scones
when well-risen, set and golden brown - remove onto cooling tray
12 points 2 points = 1 mark [6]

(c) Variations
cheese - sugar - dried fruit - (or currants, raisins or sultanas) - walnuts -
glace cherries - herbs (or named example) - potatoes
2 examples (avoid repetition e.g. not 2 dried fruit) 1 mark [1]

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- (d) (i) Carbon dioxide 1 mark
- (ii) (a) produced by the action of moist heat - on baking powder
- (b) gases expand on heating - pushing up mixture -
leaves a colourless and tasteless residue -
heat of oven sets risen shape - protein coagulates
- 4 points to cover (i) and (ii) 2 points = 1 mark 2 marks [2]
- 6 (a) (i) Causes of food spoilage
yeasts - moulds - bacteria - enzyme action
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (ii) Conditions
warmth - moisture - food - time - oxygen - correct pH
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (b) (i) low temperature -18°C stops growth of bacteria
water unavailable
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (ii) fast freezing -25°C small ice-crystals form within cell walls
do not rupture cell walls contents do not escape from cells when thawed
4 points 2 points = 1 mark [2]
- (c) (i) 4°C (1-7°C) 1 mark [1]
- (ii) (a) too high - warm enough to allow bacteria to multiply more quickly -
food will not keep for so long
(b) too low - water in eggs, green vegetables etc. will freeze -
texture of food will be damaged
2 points = 1 mark [1]
- (iii) Rules for using a refrigerator
use food in rotation - prevents waste
wipe milk bottles - to prevent dirt from outside being brought in
keep raw and cooked food separate - prevent cross-contamination
raw meat at bottom - prevent juices dripping onto cooked food
temperature must be approx. 4°C - to slow down growth of micro-organisms
do not put hot food into refrigerator - increases temperature inside
throw away old food - could be dangerous to eat
cover strongly smelling food - to prevent tainting other food
use clean containers - free from bacteria from other food
clean regularly - to ensure free from bacteria
keep door closed
box for get at bottom
cover or wrap food - to prevent drying out
do not overcrowd - to allow cold air to circulate etc.
5 well-explained points [5]

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7 (a)

Reasons for cooking

- to make it safe by destroying bacteria
- to make it more attractive by developing colour
- to make it more palatable by developing flavour
- to tenderise so that it is easier to eat
- to make it more digestible by cooking starch etc.
- to preserve by destroying micro-organisms and denaturing enzymes
- to provide variety in the diet by combining flavours etc.
- to provide hot food in cold weather
- to combine ingredients to make new dishes etc.

Saving money when buying food

- importance of planning meals - buy correct quantities
- make a shopping list - do not buy unnecessary foods
- shop around for best value for different foods
- use special offers/loss leaders
- fresh foods usually cheaper than processed foods
- know how to recognise fresh products - meat, fish, fruit, vegetables etc.
- buy food in season - cheaper price and best quality
- buy local foods - no transport costs included
- buy sufficient to preserve when in season - use when expensive
- buy in bulk/large pack - if storage is available
- do not buy more than can be stored - will deteriorate, may have to throw away
- prepare the exact amounts needed - or make use of left-overs
- look for reduced goods at end of day/at end of 'sell by' date - if they can be used
- do not have a rigid idea of meals for the day - make use of bargains etc.

Cooking food

- peel fruit and vegetables very thinly
- use left-over foods in rechauffe dishes e.g. Shepherd's Pie
- use raw fruit and vegetables where appropriate
- use all shelves when baking/cooking a meal
- cook entire meal in oven or on hob
- use fuel-saving equipment - steamer, slow cooker, pressure cooker, microwave oven
- cook extra portions to freeze for later
- do not overcook foods
- flames not too high - not up sides of pan
- base of pan to fit hotplate - no heat wasted at base of pan
- minimum water when boiling vegetables or in kettle
- lid on pan - loss of heat, loss of water by evaporation etc.

30 points to include facts, explanations and examples

At least 4 points from each area - reasons for cooking, buying and cooking food

2 points = 1 mark

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