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5096 HUMAN AND SOCIAL BIOLOGY

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Paper 2 (Theory), maximum raw mark 100

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- 1 (a) St. moves out / up / left;
Di flattens / moves down, contracts.
- (b) volume increases;
pressure decreases. [2]
- (c) (i) mucus traps; particles / bacteria / dust; R lubrication [2]
(ii) move mucus; upwards / away from lungs. R filters [2]
- (d) 1 more mucus;
2 cilia shorter / less developed / damaged. Ignore number refs i.e. less, fewer [2]
- (e) (i) tar.
(ii) nicotine.
(iii) carbon monoxide. [3]
- (f) (i) exercise requires respiration / energy; R refs to oxygen
more carbon dioxide formed / released;
carbon dioxide triggers / stimulus for (brain / breathing). [max. 2]
(ii) automatic / AW;
can go to sleep / think of other things etc. [2]
- (g) more carbon dioxide now exhaled;
lowers carbon dioxide levels (in blood); ignore refs to oxygen,
takes longer (for carbon dioxide);
to reach threshold level / to make you breathe. [3]

[Total: 20]

- 2 (a) X = brain / hypothalamus / osmoreceptors
Y = pituitary gland
Hormone = ADH [3]
- (b) (i) decreases;
(ii) increases;
(iii) decreases. [3]

[Total: 6]

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- 3 (a) (i) larger relative surface area / s.a. large relative to volume;
so more heat lost / less heat generated.
- (ii) blood closer to surface; so heat lost more easily. **R** refs to insulation here.
- (iii) less insulation; [1]
- (iv) generates less heat. **A** opposite – shivering generates heat [1]
- (b) (i) foil reflects body heat / keeps heat in / so body heat not lost; **R** insulates
- (ii) prevents evaporation / slows sweating / reduces loss by sweating. [2]
- [Total: 8]
- 4 (a) (i) bacteria / germs / microbes; (**A** only once) **R** viruses.
entered A (from air);
grew / reproduced in A;
could not enter C / C corked / C no bacteria. **A** A not corked. [max. 2]
- (ii) disinfectant; added in D;
no growth of bacteria / inhibits / kills bacteria. [max. 2]
- [Total: 4]
- 5 (a) A = pupa
B = larva **R** wriggler [2]
- (b) oil / paraffin on water; insecticide in water. [2]
- (c) (i) introduce fish to eat them / Gambusia.
- (ii) Bacillus / B. thuringiensis. [2]
- (d) non-polluting / ref. to build up in food-chain of chemicals / no harm to humans;
A opposite disadvantages of chemicals, **R** cost refs
no resistance to them is possible. [2]
- [Total: 8]

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- 6 J = to fovea;
K = to edge of retina;
L = to blind spot.
M = to ciliary muscle.
N = to iris [5]

[Total: 5]

- 7 P = viruses
Q = Fungi
R = Bacteria
S = Protozoa [4]

[Total: 4]

[Section A = 55]

- 8 (a) **Distinguish between the terms *signs* and *symptoms* of a disease, giving an example of each for *cholera*.**
sign is what an observer sees in a patient; watery stools / diarrhoea / sweating vomiting. (2)
symptom is what patient feels; fever / feels hot / cramps / stomach ache / thirst / headache. (2) [4]

- (b) **What is the causative organism of cholera?**
bacterium / Vibrio. [1]

- (c) **Explain why after a natural disaster, such as an earthquake or flood, an outbreak of cholera may occur.**
earthquake can fracture pipes; so (treated) water can be contaminated with faeces / pathogens / sewage.
flooding can wash sewage (from latrines / fields); into water supplies. [4]

- (d) **Vaccines are available for many diseases.**
Explain
(i) **what is meant by the term *vaccine*.**
mark (d) straight through up to 6.
is active (immunisation);
(ii) **how vaccines provide protection against infectious diseases.**
dead / weakened / inactive / attenuated bacteria / viruses injected into patient;
white blood cells / lymphocytes;
make antibodies;
which clump / agglutinate / lyse pathogens;
system has memory / has memory cells; **R** blood remembers
takes some time to develop / need vaccinating before disease arrives;
disease dealt with, if met, before it can affect person/before symptoms;
A prepares body to fight disease if linked.
longer lasting / antibodies stay in system / in blood / in body;
can be boosted by further injections / treatments at intervals. [max. 6]

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- 9 (a) Define the term enzyme and describe the main features that all enzymes have in common.
- is a catalyst;
 - made in cells / in living organism / is biological; *biological catalyst* = 2
 - speeds up reaction; **R** alters reaction.
 - does not alter products;
 - is not altered itself;
 - effective in small amounts.
 - is a protein;
 - sensitive to pH; **R** all have own pH.
 - is specific;
 - temp. sensitive / has optimum temp. / inactivated at low temp.;
 - destroyed by boiling / above 80°C; **R** at high temp.
 - easily poisoned / inhibited / denatured;
- [max. 7]

- (b) Given a solution of starch and a solution of saliva, describe how you would show that it is an *enzyme* in saliva that converts the starch to sugar.

- two tubes / suitable containers
 - same amount;
 - * of starch added;
 - * add saliva to one;
 - * add **boiled** saliva / **acidified** saliva to second / no saliva / water;
 - same amount;
 - * leave for same time / suitable time / up to 30 mins / test every 5 mins;
 - at same temp. / suitable temp / 20°–60°;
 - * test each for sugar; **OR**
 - * **how**: boil;
 - * with equal volume;
 - * Benedict's solution;
 - * red / brown colour / ppt. shows sugar;
 - * here boiled / acidified saliva = no sugar / stays blue;
 - * so active principle must be an enzyme.
 - * since boiling / acidification destroys enzyme.
 - * test each for starch;
 - * add iodine (solution);
 - * a few drops;
 - * blue-black / black = starch;
 - * brown / yellow = no starch;
 - * stays blue / black ;
- [max. 8]

If only one tube used i.e. only boiled saliva or only saliva, credit points marked * up to 5.

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EITHER

10 (a) Using fig. 10.1 to help you, describe the steps by which a blow on the tendon is converted to a movement of the lower leg.

(blow) stretches muscle;
 (receptor converts stretch into) impulses;
 (impulses) up / via sensory neurone:
 into dorsal root;
 of spinal cord;
 synapse; **R** refs to relay neurone
 via chemical transmission / or named one;
 (impulses down) motor neurone;
 through ventral root;
 to (thigh) muscle;
 muscle contracts;
 pulls on tendon;
 pulling / raising / moving lower leg / tibia.

[max. 8]

(b) Both bone and muscle are *tissues*. State how the structure of bone differs from the structure of muscle.

bone has cells;
 and a matrix;
 (matrix of) calcium salts; **R** refs to hard, inflexible etc.
 and protein / collagen fibres;
 muscle has cells;
 no matrix;
 muscle cells are long (cylindrical) fibres;
 ref. to protein here. **R** refs to flexibility etc.

[max. 5]

(c) Write an equation for the process that supplies the muscle cells with energy.

glucose (sugar) + oxygen; **A** chemicals, if correct formulae. (1)
 carbon dioxide + water (+ energy) (1)

[2]

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OR

10 (a) State 4 pollutants that may enter the river as it flows from A to B, and for each pollutant you name, describe its effect on the river water.

One mark for pollutant; one for effect; ×4. First 4 only.

- nitrate / fertiliser; eutrophication / renders water unsafe to drink etc.;
- phosphate / fertilisers; eutrophication / lowers oxygen levels;
- herbicides; damage water plants / algae;
- pesticides / insecticides; kill insect life / kill fish / concd. via food chains;
- (power station releases) hot water; lowers oxygen levels;
- sewage; spreads disease / named one / lowers oxygen (on decay);
- and worms / flukes / eggs of gut parasites; named example;
- petroleum products / oil; damage to birds / lowers O₂ (on decaying)
- detergents / soaps; frothing slows entry of O₂; etc.
- heavy metals / chemicals; toxic to life / build up via food chains.

[max. 8]

(b) River water contains bacteria. Explain how *filtration* and *chlorination* make river water safe to drink.

- filter contains sand / gravel;
- covered in film / slimy layer;
- traps / filters bacteria;
- protozoa ingest bacteria;
- algae release O₂;
- which kills some bacteria;
- chlorine sterilises / kills all microbes; R removes here
- water in closed tanks;
- to give time to act / prevent escape of chlorine.

[max. 5]

(c) Write out a word equation for the biological process that increases oxygen levels in a river.

- carbon dioxide + water; A formulae here if correct, (1)
- glucose (sugar) + oxygen (1)

[2]