

# HOME SCIENCE

(Theory)

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Candidate's Signature ..... Date .....

### Instructions to candidates

- Write your name and index number in the spaces provided above.
- Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above.
- This paper consists of **three** sections; **A, B** and **C**.
- Answer **all** the questions in section **A** and **B** and any **two** questions from section **C**.
- Answers **must** be written in the spaces provided.
- This paper consists of 16 printed pages.**
- Candidates should **check** the question paper to ascertain that **all the pages are printed as indicated** and that **no questions are missing**.
- Candidates should **answer the questions in English**.

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Section	Questions	Maximum Score	Candidate's Score
<b>A</b>	1 – 21	40	
<b>B</b>	22	20	
<b>C</b>		20	
<b>Total Score</b>			<b>100</b>



**SECTION A (40 marks)**

*Answer all the questions in this section in the spaces provided.*

1. Give the meaning of the term food hygiene. (2 marks)  
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2. Identify **two** functions of fats and oils in the body. (2 marks)  
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3. Highlight **two** reasons why reheating food is discouraged. (2 marks)

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4. State **one** use of each of the following kitchen utensils: (2 marks)

- (a) sauce pots .....  
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- (b) casseroles .....  
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5. State **two** advantages of blanching vegetables. (2 marks)

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6. Define the term cosmetics. (2 marks)

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7. Outline **three** practices that help to maintain healthy teeth. (3 marks)

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8. State **two** reasons why weaning a baby too early is discouraged. (2 marks)

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9. Name **two** types of brushes used to remove dirt from surfaces in the home. (1 mark)

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10. State **two** causes of poor sanitation.

(2 marks)

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11. Highlight the importance of pouring hot detergent water into a kitchen sink after cleaning it.

(1 mark)

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12. Identify **two** points to consider when buying land for a family house.

(2 marks)

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13. Define the term goods.

(1 mark)

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14. State **two** advantages of buying goods using hire purchase method.

(2 marks)

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15. Give **two** points to consider when choosing pegs. (2 marks)

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16. Identify **two** laundry processes that may be carried out before washing a cotton shirt (2 marks)

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17. Name **two** balance marks used on patterns in clothing construction. (1 mark)

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18. Give **one** use of each of the following stitches: (2 marks)

(a) Oversewing  
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(b) Overcasting  
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19. State **one** function of each of the following parts of a sewing machine:

(3 marks)

(a) pressor foot

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(b) tension disc

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(c) spool pin

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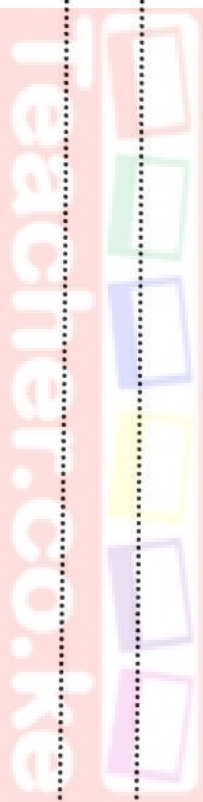
20. Identify **two** types of pockets used on a boy's trouser.

(2 marks)

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21. Differentiate between natural and man-made fibres.

(2 marks)

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