

Mark schemes

Q1.

- (a) 1, 2 and 3. Mark in rows;;;

	Prokaryote cell	Nucleus	Chloroplast
	✓		✓
	✓	✓	✓
		✓	

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- (b) 1. and 2. Correct calculated answer of 20(%) =
- 2 marks**
- ;;

1. and 2. incorrect calculated answer but evidence of $0.72 / 720\,000$ and $0.18 / 180\,000$ (correct readings from the Figure) = **1 mark**

OR

$0.9 / 900\,000$ (correct total number of deaths) = **1 mark**

OR

Correct calculation using incorrect graph readings = **1 mark**

OR

0.2 (correct answer but not expressed as a percentage) = **1 mark**;

(Incorrect mathematics step)

3. Used 0.72
- not**
- 0.9 (as denominator)

OR

0.9 was not the denominator

OR

0.72 was the denominator = **1 mark**;

Accept used 0.72 if 0.9 is also shown as the denominator in the calculation

Accept divided by for denominator

Accept the incorrect calculation shown e.g. $0.18 \div 0.72$

Accept description of incorrect method e.g. 'The associated not the total is used'

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- (c) Vaccinate more people to reach herd immunity against bacteria that cause diseases common in human populations.

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Q2.

- (a) 1. Sequence/order of amino acids;
2. (Joined by) peptide bonds; 2
- (b) 1. (Universal) The same codon/triplet always codes for the same amino acid;
2. (Non-overlapping) Each base is only part of one triplet/codon

OR

(Adjacent) codons/triplets do not overlap;

Accept '3 bases' for triplet

Accept 'base/triplets/codons only read once'

3. (Degenerate) More than one codon/triplet codes for each amino acid;

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Q3.

- (a) 1. Nucleus;
2. Nucleolus/nucleoli

OR

Nuclear membrane/envelope;

3. Mitochondria/chloroplast contain DNA;
Accept 'membrane bound nucleus' = 2 marks

2 max

- (b) (In prokaryotes) Circular not linear

OR

Not associated with proteins/histones

OR

No introns;

*Ignore 'loop'**Ignore 'plasmid'***1**

- (c) 1. Diaphragm (muscles) contract **and** diaphragm flattens/pulled down;
2. External intercostal muscles contract **and** ribcage pulled up/out;
3. (Causes) volume increase **and** pressure decrease in thoracic cavity (to below atmospheric pressure);
Accept lungs or thorax for 'thoracic cavity'

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- (d) 1. (Thicker capsule so phagocytes) less likely to bind to **murein** (in cell wall)

OR(Thicker capsule so phagocytes) less likely to be stimulated by **murein** (in cell wall);

2. Reduced phagocytosis **so** more bacterial growth/division/reproduction/binary fission;
Accept replicate/ multiplication but reject mitosis

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