Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 a i	37.5 (°C) (1)	1	allow answer in range 35-40 (°C) allow single number, e.g. 37 (°C) or range, e.g. 37-38 (°C)
ii	(as temperature increases) time gets longer / rate gets slower (1) reaction stops / protein no longer broken down / AW	3	allow time increases allow any specific time greater than 6
	enzyme / pepsin denatures (at high temperatures) (1)		allow time would be infinite / tube would not go colourless/ no reaction / the reaction won't work ignore it would not work if referring to enzyme only and not reaction
			allow description of denaturing in terms of changing shape of active site ignore protein is denatured
b i	The volume of carbon dioxide is less than the volume of oxygen / 2 nd box (1)	1	more than one answer = 0 allow other unambiguous answers, e.g. X in box, underlining, circle
ii	max three from structural (1) e.g. collagen / keratin (1) hormones (1) e.g. insulin (1) carrier molecules (1) e.g. haemoglobin (1) enzymes / biological catalyst (1) e.g. amylase (1)	3	only award marks for examples if have already gained the function mark ignore pepsin
	Total	8	allow antibodies (1) receptors (1) muscles / growth / repair (1)

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2 (a)	supports claim (that found in stomach) because it works best/optimum around pH 2 (1) does not support claim that it is a protease since there is no evidence (to support or reject claim) (1)	2	allow optimum pH matches stomach pH allow idea it could be another type of enzyme
(b)	any four from: (protein) not digested in mouth/oesophagus or is digested in stomach (1) no protease in mouth/oesophagus or protease is in stomach (1) protease needed to digest coat of tablet (1) protease needed to digest wall of beads (to release medicine) (1) early release from thin beads / later release from thick walled beads (1)	4	allow break down as an alternative for digestion ignore acid if answer clearly refers to protease (or protein-digesting enzymes) then do not need to keep repeating this to gain subsequent marks
	Total	6	

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3 a	amino acids (1)	1	allow C, H, O, N.
b	denatures protein (1) as quickly as possible (1)	2	allow denaturing enzymes rather than proteins allow so stops acting as a poison (1) ignore idea of sterilising wound
С	(poison) gene is switched off (in all but the spine cells) (1)	1	allow allele is switched off allow higher level answers e.g. transcription prevented
d	any two from: (no – no mark) idea that small individual risk/small number of incidents (1) no serious harm caused (1) idea that can wear footwear (1) fish may move to other beaches (so will not stop the problem) (1) increase awareness of the danger (1) go on beach but not in the water (1) possible adverse effect on tourism/economy/jobs (1) (yes – no mark) idea that stings may be dangerous to some people / some people may have allergy (1) idea of liability if danger known and people not warned (1) idea that if many of the stings happened on a small number of beaches, they should be closed (1)	2	allow easily treated
	Total	6	

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4 a	undifferentiated cells / unspecialised cells (1)	2	
	idea that can develop/change into different types of cells (1)		ignore can change into anything
b	made from skin cells (1)	2	allow made from differentiated cells
	normal stem cells come from embryos (1)		allow stem cells come from bone marrow / umbilical cord
С	any two from: (no –do not credit) produced by meiosis (1) genetically / DNA different / contain different combinations of chromosomes (1) only contain one of each pair of chromosomes (1)	2	Yes = 0 allow phonetic spelling e.g. miosis
d	idea that just because it was successful in mice this does not mean it will be successful in humans/human cells might react differently (1) idea that this is germline treatment / that if anything goes wrong it can affect all descendants (1)	2	ignore it's unethical / immoral / against God etc. ignore any social/cultural aspects come under the umbrella of unethical ignore simply 'cost' but allow expanded economic argument e.g. money spent on this will be money taken away from other treatments/preventions (1)
е	energy (source) (1)	1	allow for swimming / movement ignore respiration reject producing energy allow release energy allow higher level, specific answers, e.g. active transport
fi	protein synthesis / make proteins / join amino acids together (1)	1	allow higher level answer: translation
ii	mRNA / messenger RNA (1)	1	ignore just RNA
iii	A, T, C, G (1)	1	must have all four ignore order ignore U / uracil allow names: adenine, thymine, cytosine, guanine
	Total	12	

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5 a i	amino acids (1)	1	
ii	EAR = 7.2 (g) (1)	1	allow 0.0072 kg allow 7.20 (g)
iii	15 year olds body mass is larger (1)	2	allow 15 year olds are bigger / heavier ORA allow idea of growth spurts/adolescence/puberty(needing more protein) ignore just growth / growth stages
	EAR is calculated using body mass (not age) (1)		allow weight for mass
b	parent genotypes/gametes (1) offspring genotypes (1) 0.25 / 25% / ½ / 1 in 4 / 1 to 3 of having beta thalassaemia (1)	3	T t TT Tt t T t T TT Tt TT TT TT TT TT T
			If no marks awarded allowed ecf for max 1 mark for either offspring genotypes or ratio allow alternative letter code
	Total	7	

C	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6	(a)	$6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2$	1	
	(b)	Level 3 (5–6 marks) RQ for both seeds calculated correctly. Compares calculated results to food type table and links pea seed	6	This question is targeted at grades up to C.
		with carbohydrate and peanut with a combination fat+protein. Quality of written communication does not impede communication of the science at this level.		Indicative scientific points at level 2 and 3 may include: consider following point with reference to RQ
		Level 2 (3–4 marks)		RQ for carbohydrate = 1.0 so peas must be/use RQ for fat = 0.7
		RQ for both seeds calculated correctly. Compares calculated results to food type table and links pea seed with carbohydrate or peanut with a combination fat+protein. Quality of written communication partly		RQ for protein = 0.9 peanuts must be/use combination of protein and fat
		impedes communication of the science at this level.		Indicative scientific points at level 1 may include: RQ for pea seed = 1.0
		Level 1 (1–2 marks) RQ for both seeds calculated correctly or one correct RQ with a correct link to food source. Quality of written		RQ for peanut seed = 0.80 (allow 0.798)
		communication impedes communication of the science at this level.		allow pea is <u>0.6</u> and peanut is <u>13.0</u> for 1 mark 0.6
		Level 0 (0 marks) Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of credit.		 for 2 marks need to be clear which RQ is which but both RQs correct in the table will score 2 marks 1 RQ correct only will score 1 mark at L1
				Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris. Do not use ticks.

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	(c)	enzyme activity would stop (1)	2	allow enzyme is inactive
		because enzyme and substrate cannot bind / enzyme has lost its 3-D shape / active site destroyed / enzyme denatured / protein coagulates / irreversible change (1)		not enzyme killed
		Total	9	