# Science - Biology

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Que	estion		Marking details		
1	l <i>(a)</i>		) fruticose;		
	(b)	(i)	west;	1	
		(ii)	E;	1	
		(iii)	A;	1	
			Question 1 total	[4]	

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
2	(a)	(i)	E;	1
		(ii)	A or B;	1
		(iii)	A, B or C;	1
	(b)	(i)	3;	1
		(ii)	5;	1
		(iii)	4;	1
	(c)	(i)	I 16.00-20.00; Accept 16-20	1
			II 04.00-07.00; Accept 4-7	1
			(either order)	
		(ii)	Most/ more of the hamsters; Accept 90%	2
			Reject All	
			Are {below ground/ below surface/ in their burrows/ do not	
			come out} at {night/ when it is dark};	
			reverse argument	
			Less hamsters; Accept only 10%	
			Are {above ground/ active} when it is {dark//at night};	
			Reject All	
			Question 2 total	[10]

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
3	3 <i>(a)</i> (i)		23;	2
		(ii)	46;	
	(b)		50%;	1
			Question 3 Total	[3]

Question	Marking details	Marks Available
4 <i>(a)</i>	algae/ (water) plants/ moss/ named plants; accept weeds/ algal bloom	1
(b)	bacteria; fungi; Reject germs/ microbes	2
(c)	oxygen; accept correct symbols	1
	Question 4 Total	[4]

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
5	(a)	(i)	liver;	
		(ii)	brain;	1
		(iii)	<pre>harm/ hurt/ damage/ reduce growth of } {baby/ child/ foetus/ embryo};</pre>	1
	(b)	(i)	4.5;	2
		(ii)	1.5 (ecf);	
	(c)		Deter people from drinking/ cut down consumption of alcohol/	1
			less people spending money on alcohol/ people buy less	
			alcohol;	
			Reject stop people drinking/ buying alcohol;	
			Question 5 Total	[6]

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
6	(a)		Kills the weeds/ plants (reject animals/ pests);	2
			Reject stop weeds growing	
			that compete (with the crop)/ {more room/ nutrients/ light} for	
			crop;;	
	(b)	(i)	2 4 (5) 3 1 6 ;;;;	4
			5 correct = 4	
			4 correct = 3	
			3 correct = 2	
			2 correct = 1	
			1 correct = 0	

ii)	Argument	√ or ×
Ir	ncreased crop yield	given
L	ess herbicide used	given
R	educed biodiversity	×
С	heaper food	<b>√</b>
L	ong term effects unknown	×

All 3 correct for 1 mark;

(iii) Any two from,

2

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Cost of extra herbicide/ farmers have to buy extra herbicide;
Competition from (resistant)soya/ description of competition;
Herbicide kills maize;

**Question 6 Total** 

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Question			Marking details	
7/1	(a)		growth (response) shown by plants;	1
			to a {one sided/unilateral} stimulus;	1
			Accept example of growth of plant towards {light source/ pull of	1
			gravity/ source of gravity} / sun;	
	(b)	(i)	shoot drawn growing up from the horizontal;	2
			root shown growing down from the horizontal;	
			Must show at least slight curvature in the correct direction	
			Shoot should have leaves/ root should have an end	
		(ii)	I <u>positive</u> gravitropism/ geotropism;	2
			Accept negative gravitropism/ geotropism if relates to drawing	
			Reject negative phototropism	
			II positive phototropism;	
			(Accept: negative gravitropism/ geotropism)	
			ANSWERS MUST RELATE TO THEIR DRAWING	
			Question 7 Total	[6]

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Question	Marking details	Marks Available
8/2 <i>(a)</i>	Any 2 from:	2
	the more overweight the greater the chance (of early death);	
	the more overweight a person is initially the greater the chance	
	(of <u>early</u> death) after losing weight;	
	losing weight decreases the chance (of early death);	
	Reject greater chance of death (not qualified by 'early')	

(b)	(i)	John's lunch	kJ	
		large portion of chips (300g)	3195	
		4 slices of bread and butter	2080	
		large fried fish 250g	1375	
		2 cups of black coffee with 4 teaspoons of sugar per cup	1360	
		200g portion of apple pie	2400	
		50 g portion of custard	250	
		Total energy content of John's lunch	10,660	

Foods = 1 mark;

Total = 1 mark; (ecf)

Question		Marking details	Marks Available
	(ii)	160 (kJ);	1
		Allow ECF from (b)(i) as long as candidate's answer is greater	
		than 10 500	
	(iii)	19%	1
		Question 8/2 Total	[6]

Question 9/3 (a)		Marking details A <u>erector</u> muscle;			Marks Available 2
		В	sweat pore;		
	(b)	Any tw	vo of the followin	g.	4
		1 marl	k for response 1	mark for explanation(2x2)	
		Respo	onse	hairs flattened; NOT hairs relax/ lie	
				down	
		Explar	nation	{thin layer of / insulating layer of/ less}	
				air trapped so more heat {can escape/	
				be lost}; NOT no air trapped	
		Respo	onse	sweat (present)/ sweating/ sweat	
				produced;	
		Explar	nation	heat lost by evaporation/ heat	
				{removed from the body/ used} to	
				evaporate sweat;	
		Respo	onse	vasodilation/blood vessels wider;	
				NOT larger/ increase in size/ grow/	
				expand/ bigger	
		Explar	nation	more blood near skin surface more	
				heat lost;	
				NOT blood gets nearer to skin surface	

# **Question 9/3 Total**

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Question	Marking details	Available
10/	Indicative content	6
	Carbon dioxide taken up by plants for photosynthesis. Carbon used in manufacture of carbohydrates/ sugar/ starch/ protein/ fat. Plants eaten by animals.	

Plants and / or animals respire and return carbon (dioxide) to air

Plants and/ or animals die.

Decay/ named organisms release carbon (dioxide) to air.

Reference to fossilisation due to lack of decay.

Combustion/ burning of fossil fuels releases carbon (dioxide).

### 5-6 marks

The candidate constructs an articulate, integrated account correctly linking relevant points, such as those in the indicative content, which shows sequential reasoning. The answer fully addresses the question with no irrelevant inclusions or significant omissions. The candidate uses appropriate scientific terminology and accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar.

### 3-4 marks

The candidate constructs an account correctly linking some relevant points, such as those in the indicative content, showing some reasoning. The answer addresses the question with some omissions. The candidate uses mainly appropriate scientific terminology and some accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar.

#### 1-2 marks

The candidate makes some relevant points, such as those in the Indicative content, showing limited reasoning. The answer addresses the question with significant omissions. The candidate uses limited scientific terminology and inaccuracies in spelling, punctuation and grammar.

#### 0 marks

The candidate does not make any attempt or give a relevant answer worthy of credit

## **Question 10/4 Total**

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