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Instructions to candidates

1. Write your name and index Number in the spaces provided above.
2. Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above
3. This paper consists of **THREE** sections **A, B** and **C**.
4. Answer **ALL** questions in section **A** and **B** and **ANY TWO** questions from section **C**.
5. Answer to **ALL** questions **MUST** be written in this booklet.
6. Candidate should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

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Section	Questions	Maximum Score	Candidates Score
A	1-17	40	
B	18	20	
C	18-20	40	
		100	

SECTION A: 40 MARKS

Answer ALL questions in the section in the spaces provided

1. Name two methods of disinfecting clothes other than chemical disinfectants. (2mks)

2. List any two types of drainage systems. (1mks)

3. Give two reasons why silk is expensive. (2mks)

4. State two effects of strong heat on proteins. (2mks)

5. Give two points to consider when buying spinach. (2mks)

6. Define Refuse. (1mks)

7. Highlight two qualities to consider when choosing needles. (2mks)

8. Suggest two remedies for fabrics that cling to the body in wear. (2mks)

9. Give any two effects of steeping a woolen article in hot water. (2mks)

10. Suggest two reasons why disposal of sewage in water – bodies is prohibited. (2mks)

11. State any two reasons for ironing clothes. (2mks)

12. Mention two advantages of using a wooden spoon when cooking food. (2mks)

13. Name four items in a first aid kit that can be used to manage burns. (2mks)

14. Name any two conspicuous seams. (1mks)

15. Suggest three reasons why clothes should be mended. (3mks)

16. Suggest any two conditions that encourage breeding of cockroaches. (2mks)

17. List down two complications that may arise from obesity. (2mks)

18. Give two precautions to take when laundering woolen. (2mks)

19. Mention two uses of carbohydrates in the body. (2mks)

20. Give any two functions of salt in laundry work. (2mks)

21. Give two reasons why there should be a door leading to the outside of the house from the kitchen. (2mks)

SECTION B (CUMPULSORY) - 20MARKS

Answer question 22 in the spaces provided.

22. Your mother is out for a seminar and she has left you with the responsibility of taking care of the house and your younger brother.

- a) Describe the procedure you will use to clean your plastic kitchen dustbin and leave it ready for use. (5mks)
- b) Give the procedure you will follow to thorough clean aluminum sufuria you will use.(7mks)
- c) Outline steps you will follow in laundering a white cotton handkerchief used by your younger brother. (8mks)

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SECTION C

Answer ALL questions from this section in the spaces provided at the end of this section

23. (a) Discuss four ways in which to prevent and control the spread of cholera. (8mks)
(b) State five sanitary practices that age 2-5 year old child would be taught. (5mks)
(c) Explain the procedure for removing an oil stain from article. (7mks)
24. (a) Explain three considerations to make when selecting a storage facility for dry maize. (6mks)
(b) Give five reasons for finishing wooden surfaces. (5mks)
(c) Discuss properties of linen which make it important for hospital linen. (7mks)
(d) List down two types of fractures. (2mks)

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