**HOMESCIENCE CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION**

**PAPER 2**

**PRACTICAL**

**DECEMBER 2021**

**2 ½ HOURS**

A pattern of a child’s dress bodice is provided. You are advised to study the sketches, instructions and layout before you begin the test.

1. **MATERIAL PROVIDED**

Pattern pieces

A front bodice

B Back bodice

C Back yoke

D Collar

E Back neck facing

2. Light weight cotton fabric 50cm long by 91cm wide.

3. Sewing cotton thread to match.

4. One large envelop.

**The test**

Using the materials provided, cut out and make the right half of a child’s dress bodice as shown in the sketch to show the following.

1. Working of a bust dart.
2. Gathering of the front bodice ready for attaching the yoke Do not remove gathering stitches
3. The attachment of the back yoke to the back bodice using overlaid/lapped seam.

Do not neaten

1. The working of a machine fell seam at the shoulder.
2. The working of an open seam at the side of the bodice.
3. The joining of the back and the front neck facings at the shoulder.
4. The preparation of the collar and attaching it to the bodice.
5. Under stitching the facing and the free edge.
6. The working of a button hole.

At the end of the exam, remove all pins and unnecessary tacking from your work. Sew on a label bearing your name and index number on a single fabric. Fold and place it in the envelop provided. Do not put scraps of fabric in the envelop