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Unit 1: Written Paper

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## Section A

| 1 | (a) | (i) | Give two design criteria for the textile product for a child. Examples are given below:- <br> Must be inspired by the theme of worldwide transport Must be educational and interactive <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> No answer worthy of credit <br> - Be functional <br> - Develops skills/manual dexterity/sensory/spacial awareness <br> - Be safe/soft/no small parts/non allergenic/suitable for a child <br> - Include decorative textile techniques <br> - Appeal to children/target market/appropriate to age <br> - Be colourful/bright <br> - Be hardwearing/ washable/easy care <br> - Be fashionable/on trend <br> - Makes reference to a particular design feature e.g. squeaker <br> - Include modern materials/range of fabrics/components <br> - Cost/budget/price point information <br> - Size information <br> - Easy to store away <br> - Environmentally friendly <br> 1 mark each for any relevant point. | 0 | Max 2 marks |
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Marks awarded as follows:

- No answer worthy of credit
- Weak unimaginative idea, poorly presented. Little or no detail shown of fabrics/components and/or techniques, or idea may have little appeal to children with minimal educational or interactive features. Little reference to worldwide transport theme. May have little or no annotation to explain thinking.
- A design that will appeal to children and that is inspired by the theme of worldwide transport. Fabrics/components and/or techniques will be evident. One or more features to educate and encourage interactive play. Candidate will communicate ideas. Idea is fairly well presented with some annotation to explain thinking.
- A quality design that is highly creative and original. Inspiration taken from the theme of worldwide transport. Thoughtfully selected fabrics/components and/or techniques will be included. Will appeal to children, with at least two exciting educational and interactive features. Candidate will communicate ideas very clearly with excellent presentation and annotation to explain thinking and how the product works.
Design should be neat and clear for full marks. If both ideas are similar, mark first as it stands; alter second (1-3 marks instead of 6 ).

Max 12 marks





| $\mathbf{1}$ | (c) | (ii) | Circle the correct safety symbol to put on the child's textile <br> product. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> No answer worthy of credit <br> Correct/answer:- | 0 |  |
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| 2 | (a) | (i) | Explain why silk is suitable for the wedding dress. <br> Absorbent, soft, comfortable next to skin, cool, warm, natural sheen/lustrous, lightweight, smooth, strong when dry, drapes well, luxurious appeal/special occasion wear. <br> Do not allow dyes well. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - Simple explanation that gives 1 or 2 reasons. <br> - Detailed answer with an understanding of the properties and characteristics of silk. | 0 1 2 | Max 2 marks |
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| $\mathbf{2}$ | (a) | (ii) | Give two disadvantages of using silk for this wedding dress. <br> Expensive, weaker when wet, may not wash well/dry clean <br> only, stains easily/watermarks, may crease easily, standard silk <br> involves cruelty to living creatures. Moth damage. <br> Do not allow manufacturing issues. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> No answer worthy of credit <br> 1 mark for each correct disadvantage. | 0 |  |
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| 2 | (a) | (iii) | Name a synthetic fibre which could be used to make a similar fabric for this wedding dress. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - Polyester. Accept micro fibre, polyester satin. <br> Do not accept nylon/just ‘satin'/viscose/rayon/polyester cotton It must be a fibre not a fabric | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} 0 \\ 1 \end{array}$ |  |
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| 2 | (c) | (ii) | Explain why this production system is best for large orders of <br> simple dresses. <br> Large numbers of identical products can be manufactured <br> using a production line to make items that are in demand over <br> a long period of time. Each machine operator works on a <br> section of the product before passing it along to make <br> process cost effective and time efficient. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - One reason given, such as costs less to make a dress <br> or quicker/fast production <br> More detailed explanation to include more than one <br> point. <br> Detailed explanation with a clear understanding of <br> mass production. | 21 | 2 |
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| 3 | (b) | (i) | Name the type of fabric construction in the diagram above. <br> Woven twill/ twill weave. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - 1 mark for woven/weave/weaving or 1 mark for Twill. <br> - Woven twill/twill weave. | 0 1 2 | Max 2 marks |
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| 3 | (b) | (ii) | Name a suitable work wear fabric made from this construction <br> method. <br> Denim/canvas/gabardine/drill/twill |  |  |
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| Marks awarded as follows: |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\bullet$ No answer worthy of credit |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\bullet 1$ mark for any correct fabric name. |  |  |  |  |  |


| 3 | (b) | (iii) | Give two reasons why this fabric is fit for purpose. <br> - Hardwearing <br> - Washable <br> - Comfortable/flexible <br> - Strong <br> - Durable <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - 1 mark for each correct reason, up to 2 marks. <br> If 3 b (ii) is a fibre but correct and relevant fibre properties given then award marks. | 0 | Max 2 <br> marks |
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| 3 | (c) | Explain why some school trouser labels include the following <br> symbol. <br> This symbol tells the consumer that a Teflon treatment or <br> finish has been applied to the fabric that instantly repels oil <br> and water based stains causing liquids to bead or roll off of <br> the surface of the fabric. Ground in dirt is released during <br> laundering/ easy care /wash. The candidate may know that <br> molecules that make up Teflon® are hydrophilic or water <br> loving and they attract water and detergent into the fabric, <br> releasing the stains and leaving the fabric clean. <br> Nanotechnology may be referred to. | Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> 'stain resistant' <br> Candidate will explain simply what is meant by stain <br> resistance. <br> Detailed explanation with a higher level of <br> understanding and may refer to nanotechnology. <br> Not about strength of fabric. No to durability or quality <br> unless linked to stain resistance. | 21 |
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| 3 | (d) | Describe two fabrics which can be used to make clothes safe <br> for someone working in low light conditions. <br> Accept 'high visibility fabric' give additional 1 mark for <br> expansion to explain why it is highly visible. Candidates may <br> give trade names for particular fabrics - Reflective material, <br> fluorescent fabric, accept 'neon', glow in the dark fabric. | Marks awarded as follows: <br> $\bullet \quad$ No answer worthy of credit <br> $\bullet 1$ mark for each correct name or description of fabric up <br> to 2 marks. | 0 |
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| No to strong, warm or LED lights. |  |  |  |  |


| 4 | (a) | (i) | List three types of computer research useful to designers. <br> An example is given below. <br> Trend forecasts |  |
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| Use of search engines to find websites, images and video <br> clips/fashion show online. Research on websites. <br> Communication with client base or target market to seek <br> opinions e.g. questionaires, surveys. Finding out about <br> existing products/fashion colours/fabrics/materials/price, <br> popular culture, other designers work. Researching sales <br> data, watching video clips, reading blogs. Information <br> purchased online such as databases and resource libraries. <br> Making a moodboard/themeboard/colour forecast <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> Any 3 points 1 mark each or 2 points with expansion. | 0 |  |  |  |


| 4 | (a) | (ii)Explain how computer technology and communication are <br> used to present research findings. <br> This question is about presenting research. <br> Power point presentation, video, excel data spread <br> sheets/charts/tables, 'publisher' documents, images/text <br> made into presentation <br> sheet/portfolio/moodboard/themeboard. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> Any 4 points 1 mark each or 3 points with expansion <br> such as emailing or video <br> conferences/webinars/saving and editing. | 0 |  |
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| 4 | (b) | (i) | Discuss the advantages of using computers to link the stages <br> in the diagram above. <br> This question is about communication. <br> Speed, and time and costs efficiency increased for design <br> development and modification, design approval, stock <br> ordering and control, speeds up communication, information <br> can be sent as word, image, sound, video, reduces need for <br> travel. Conferences held between different parts of process. <br> Confidence to make decisions based on data and images <br> rather than actual seen fabric or garment samples. Buyers <br> have a close relationship with suppliers, manufacturers and <br> retailers. New designs based on modifications to previous <br> best sellers. Shared library of resources. Rapid sample <br> making where CAD linked to CAM. Instructions sent to <br> machines in a different location, tracking. Garments sold on <br> line. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - Basic understanding one or two points made. Quicker, <br> cheaper, more efficient - if no explanation is given, 1 <br> mark only. <br> Good understanding with some examples given for <br> some aspects of cycle of communication. <br> - Excellent understanding with a wide variety of <br> examples given through the whole cycle of <br> communication. | $2-3$ | $4-5$ |
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| 4 | (b) | (ii) | Explain how a retailer will use this data. <br> Repeat orders in red. Designer will include more emphasis on red materials and red colour ways when modifying designs for further orders for current year. The product range might be expanded to include additional different red garments or accessories. May include reference to retail display to promote red products. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> - Simple explanation - order/'make more red garments'. <br> - More detailed explanation | 0 1 2 | Max 2 marks |
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|  |  | Qxcellent understanding of a wide variety of <br> techniques with accurate and detailed information. <br> Candidate will refer to fabric and component choice <br> linked to technique. Response is well structured with <br> good use of appropriate Design and Technology <br> terminology and shows a good grasp of grammar, <br> punctuation and spelling. If bullet points are used to <br> structure answer, then full, detailed sentences must <br> be employed. | $7-8$ |  |
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| $\mathbf{5}$ | (a) | (iii) | Give three different components that could be used instead <br> of buttons. <br> Any suitable fastenings. e.g. zip, press studs/poppers, <br> toggles, eyelets/lacing, Velcro, hooks and bars/eyes. <br> Ribbon, lace to tie. No to just 'lace'. |  |  |
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| Marks awarded as follows: <br> $\bullet \quad$ No answer worthy of credit <br> $\bullet$ <br> 1 mark for each fastening component up to 3 marks. | 0 | Max 3 <br> marks |  |  |  |


| $\mathbf{5}$ | (b) | (i) | List three principles of Fairtrade. <br> No child labour, fair wage, good working <br> conditions/environment/regular breaks, support for <br> families/community, promotion of country and its people, <br> sustainable sourcing of materials, environmentally friendly, <br> fair price paid to producer, design and manufacturing, ethical <br> products and production methods. <br> Marks awarded as follows: <br> $\bullet \quad$ No answer worthy of credit <br> 1 1 mark for each correct point, up to 3 marks. <br> Do not accept against gender discrimination | 0 |  |
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| 6 | (b) | List two different ways to test the prototype and give a reason <br> for each test. <br> An example is given below. <br> Test: compare it to a similar existing product <br> Reason: to compare use of materials |  |
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| Tests: Testing or checking against the design criteria or <br> product/manufacturing specification, trialling or testing the <br> product to gain consumer feedback/public <br> opinion/questionnaire. Test the strength/suitability/wash test <br> of harness materials and construction using testing <br> equipment. Trying the harness on a dog/dummy/model with <br> owner trying out harness. Check visibility. | Reasons: To test fitness for <br> purpose/size/safety/appeal/quality/if it works/find out if <br> materials used are suitable/would it sell. | Marks awarded as follows: <br> - No answer worthy of credit <br> Any 2 tests, 1 mark each <br> Any appropriate reason for each test, 1 mark each | 0 |


| 6 | (c) | Name two components that could be included in the harness <br> design to make the harness adjustable in size. <br> Buckle/belt with belt holes, 2 rings/double ring/elastic strap, <br> Velcro, tri-glide/slide adjuster/ladderloc adjuster/bar <br> adjuster, press studs. <br> No to buttons, lacing | Marks awarded as follows: <br> $\bullet \quad$ No answer worthy of credit <br> $\bullet 1$ mark for any correct component, up to 2 marks. | 0 | Max 2 <br> marks |
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