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Materials required/recommended for this paper

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This Question/Answer booklet Multiple-choice answer sheet

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Standard items: pens (blue/black preferred), pencils (including coloured), sharpener,

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Structure of this paper

Section	Number of questions available	Number of questions to be attempted	Suggested working time (minutes)	Marks available	Percentage of examination
Section One Multiple-choice	30	30	40	30	30
Section Two Short answer	7	7	90	107	50
Section Three Extended answer Part 1	2	1	50	40	20
Part 2	2	1			
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Section One: Multiple-choice 30% (30 Marks)

This section has **30** questions. Answer **all** questions on the separate Multiple-choice answer sheet provided. For each question shade the box to indicate your answer. Use only a blue or black pen to shade the boxes. Do not use erasable or gel pens. If you make a mistake, place a cross through that square, then shade your new answer. Do not erase or use correction fluid/tape. Marks will not be deducted for incorrect answers. No marks will be given if more than one answer is completed for any question.

Suggested working time: 40 minutes.

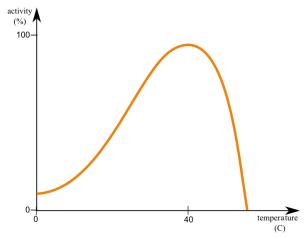
- 1. Cardiac muscle cells are joined end to end by structures known as
 - (a) intercalated discs.
 - (b) sarcomeres.
 - (c) synapses.
 - (d) striations.
- 2. The test for Covid-19 analyses samples for the presence of antibodies in the body. The cells, which produce these antibodies and act to protect the body from foreign invaders, are known as
 - (a) thrombocytes.
 - (b) erythrocytes.
 - (c) platelets.
 - (d) leucocytes.
- 3. Sebaceous glands in our skin secrete an oily substance known as sebum that contains lipids. Which cell organelle would you expect to find in high numbers within the cells of these glands?
 - (a) Ribosomes
 - (b) Mitochondria
 - (c) Smooth endoplasmic reticulum
 - (d) Golgi body
- 4. The human diet contains acid producing foods. Which of the following occur to hydrogen and ammonium ions in the kidney to maintain blood pH within its normal range of 7.4-7.5?
 - (a) Both would be secreted into the filtrate.
 - (b) Both would be reabsorbed into the filtrate.
 - (c) Only hydrogen would be secreted into the filtrate.
 - (d) Only ammonium ions would be reabsorbed into the filtrate.

Questions 5 - 7 refer to the diagram below of a person undertaking a common exercise known as a bicep curl.



- 5. What motion is shown by the bicep curl?
 - (a) Extension
 - (b) Rotation
 - (c) Flexion
 - (d) Abduction
- 6. Which of the following structures connects the bones of the arm together to help stabilise the motion of the bicep curl?
 - (a) Tendons
 - (b) Ligaments
 - (c) Insertions
 - (d) Joints
- 7. As the bicep muscle contracts, the tricep muscle will relax. These pair of muscles are referred to as
 - (a) antagonists.
 - (b) agonists.
 - (c) prime movers.
 - (d) extensors.
- 8. The two sets of convolutions in the nephron allows for
 - (a) decreased concentration gradients for better reabsorption.
 - (b) an increase in surface area for reabsorption and secretion.
 - (c) a rise in blood pressure for increased filtration.
 - (d) minimal loss of filtrate during urine production.
- 9. The function of the cilia found in the epithelial cells of the trachea is to help move
 - (a) mucus and debris out of the lungs.
 - (b) air into the bronchioles.
 - (c) mucus into the lower respiratory tracts.
 - (d) air out of the mouth and nose.

Question 10 refers to the following graph showing the activity of an enzyme over a range of temperatures.



- 10. Which of the following explains the reduction in enzyme activity in the graph shown above?
 - (a) Action of inhibitors increases
 - (b) Substrates begin to break down
 - (c) Active site changes shape
 - (d) Product concentration increases
- 11. During a scientific investigation, several trials are run. Which of the following is the best reason to explain this?
 - (a) Increase validity
 - (b) Reduce effect of random errors
 - (c) For the scientist to improve their skills
 - (d) Increase accuracy
- 12. Which of the following is **not** an example of an appendicular bone?
 - (a) Humerus
 - (b) Fibula
 - (c) Vertebrae
 - (d) Pelvis
- 13. A typical pair of adult human lungs contains 480 million alveoli. The reason for this high number is to
 - (a) increase surface area for gas exchange.
 - (b) increase the number of muscles to breath.
 - (c) maintain the shape and keep the lungs inflated.
 - (d) decrease pressure allowing air to be inspired.

- 14. Familial hypercholesteremia results from the failure of specific receptors on the cell membrane. The receptors allow low-density lipoproteins to be engulfed and ultimately lowers blood cholesterol levels. Patients suffering this genetic disorder are at risk of cardiovascular disease. The movement of these lipoproteins into the cells is best known as
 - (a) facilitated transport.
 - (b) exocytosis.
 - (c) active transport.
 - (d) endocytosis.

Question 15 refers to the diagram below of a human skull.



- 15. The irregular lines on the skull indicate where different bones join. What is the name given to this type of joint found in the skull?
 - (a) Synovial
 - (b) Fibrous
 - (c) Cartilaginous
 - (d) Plate

Question 16 refers to the diagram below that shows a sample of epithelial tissue.

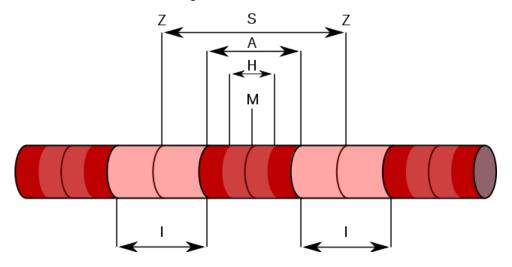


- 16. In which of the following structures would you expect to find this type of epithelial tissue?
 - (a) Oesophagus, to protect from abrasions whilst breathing
 - (b) Urethra, to allow for expansion during excretion
 - (c) Distal convoluted tubule, allowing for secretion and absorption
 - (d) Lymphatic vessels, to allow materials to pass via diffusion

17. The enzyme found in the human mouth starts the digestion of carbohydrates. Which of the following correctly identifies the name and optimal pH for this enzyme?

(a) Amylase; pH 5(b) Maltase; pH 9(c) Amylase; pH 7(d) Maltase; pH 5

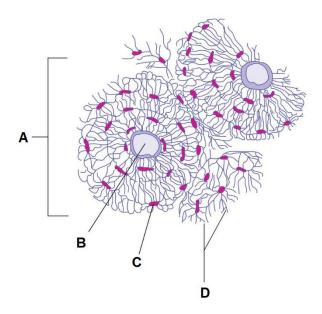
Questions 18 and 19 refer to the diagram below of a unit of muscle fibre.



- 18. Which of the following are located in the zone indicated by the letter H?
 - (a) Actin only
 - (b) Myosin only
 - (c) Actin and myosin
 - (d) Calcium ion receptors
- 19. What happens to the zone indicated by the letter A when muscles contract?
 - (a) Stays the same width
 - (b) Decreases in width as actin slides over myosin
 - (c) Increases in width as actin slides over myosin
 - (d) Decreases in width as myosin slides over actin
- 20. Which of the following tissue types would **not** be classified in the same category as bone?
 - (a) Adipose tissue
 - (b) Fibrocartilage
 - (c) Blood
 - (d) Muscle

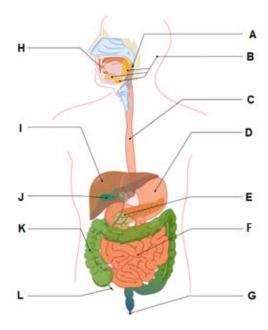
- 21. Which of the following statements **correctly** identifies the difference between elimination and excretion?
 - (a) Excretion occurs mainly through faeces, whilst elimination occurs through urine.
 - (b) Excretion removes indigestible material, whilst elimination removes metabolic wastes only.
 - (c) Elimination occurs in several different organs, whilst excretion occurs only in the kidneys.
 - (d) Elimination is the removal of indigestible material and metabolic waste, whilst excretion removes metabolic wastes only.

Question 22 refers to the diagram below that illustrates a section of bone.



- 22. Transport of nutrients and wastes between osteocytes, shown at label D, occur through the
 - (a) lacunae.
 - (b) canaliculi.
 - (c) osteons.
 - (d) haversian canals.
- 23. Calcium is deposited by bone cells along with collagen to give bone its stiffness. Which of the following **correctly** identifies where this deposition occurs?
 - (a) Lamellae
 - (b) Periosteum
 - (c) Lacunae
 - (d) Haversian Canal

Questions 24 and 25 refer to the diagram below that shows the different organs associated with the digestive system.



- 24. Achlorhydria is an autoimmune disease that damage parietal cells and can cause impaired digestion of food. In which organ would these cells be found?
 - (a) Organ D
 - (b) Organ E
 - (c) Organ F
 - (d) Organ J
- 25. Which of the following is **not** a function of the organ labelled K?
 - (a) Absorption of water and vitamins
 - (b) Formation and storage of faeces
 - (c) Breakdown of organic matter
 - (d) Production of enzymes for chemical digestion
- 26. Coenzyme Q10 is required for the synthesis of adenosine triphosphate. Which of the following **best** explains how a coenzyme works?
 - (a) Small organic and inorganic molecules that bind to the enzyme and change the shape of the active site
 - (b) Large protein molecules that permanently bind to enzymes and act as catalysts
 - (c) Organic molecules that temporarily bind to an enzyme and change their shape
 - (d) Inorganic molecules that produce chemical reactions between enzymes and substrates

- 27. Which of the following **best** explains why eating less fat can help with weight loss?
 - (a) Fats are nutrient dense, producing the most energy.
 - (b) Fats are associated with heart disease and therefore less exercise.
 - (c) Fats are used to create more cells in the body.
 - (d) Fats are metabolised slower than other nutrients.
- 28. Pulmonary hypertension (high blood pressure), causes the blood vessels of the lungs to become narrowed or blocked. Although there is no cure, treatment can be given to help reduce the symptoms. Which of the following would you **not** expect to be a symptom of pulmonary hypertension?
 - (a) Chest pressure and/or pain
 - (b) Cyanosis (blue lips)
 - (c) Decreased heart rate
 - (d) Shortness of breath
- 29. A scientist receives a histopathology report regarding a patient with polychondritis, which causes recurrent episodes of inflammation within cartilage. The sample, taken from the trachea, was glossy in appearance, with no visible fibres present, and contained clusters of chondrocytes. Which of the following types of cartilage is this sample representative of?
 - (a) Fibrocartilage
 - (b) Hyaline
 - (c) Connective
 - (d) Elastic
- 30. The lymphatic structure which absorbs lipids into the intestine is known as a
 - (a) lacteal
 - (b) lymphatic duct.
 - (c) collecting vessel.
 - (d) vein.

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Section Two: Short answer 50% (107 Marks)

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Question 31 (17 marks)

Chronic fatigue is most common in people between 40 and 60 years of age. D-ribose supplementation helps chronic fatigue by providing a substrate for cellular respiration to occur.

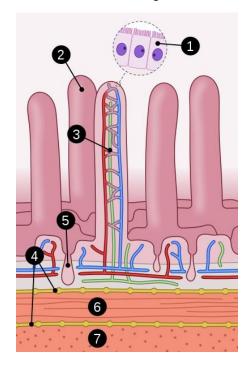
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(a)	Complete the word equation for cellular respiration, which uses glucose as its substrate. (1 mark)
Glucos	se + + Carbon Dioxide +
(b)	Is the equation in part (a) an example of a catabolic or anabolic reaction? Justify your answer. (2 marks)
(c)	Wastes produced from cellular respiration need to be excreted from the body. Identify which organ carbon dioxide is excreted from and describe how it is transported there. (5 marks)

A study in Great Britain found that 70% of patients suffering from Chronic Fatigue Syndrome had irregular mitochondrial structures.

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e) During exercise, chronic fatigue patients often experience a burning se muscles along with a lack of strength. Explain why this occurs.	
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Question 32 (12 marks)

The diagram below shows a cross section of an organ within the digestive system.



(a)	Identify the organ of the digestive system illustrated in the diagram above. Justify your answer. (2 marks
(b)	Name the cell identified by label 1 and explain why these cells are lined with microvilli. (3 marks

(c)	Describe the shape and appearance of the muscle cells you would find in digestive organ, as identified by labels 6 and 7.	this (3 marks)
	digestive organ, as identified by labels o and 7.	(3 marks)
(d)	Describe how the longitudinal and circular (transverse) muscles move ingesthrough the digestive system.	ested food (4 marks)

Question 33	(17 marks)
In 2010, a patient at Westmead hospital in New South Wales, Australia, receincorrect blood during a transfusion resulting in an ABO incompatibility reaction	
(a) Describe how type A and type B blood types differ.	(4 marks)
(b) Describe what occurs to the newly transfused blood during an ABO in reaction.	compatibility (1 mark)
(c) Treatment of ABO incompatibility reactions aim to prevent kidney failure presence of glucose in the urine suggests decreased function of the kithe part of the nephron that is responsible for glucose reabsorption.	
The loop of Henle creates an osmotic gradient throughout the nephron, which the reabsorption of water and ions.	n helps increase
(d) State where in the kidney the loop of Henle is found and describe what when a large volume of water is ingested.	at would occur (3 marks)
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Movement of substances, such as water and ions, can occur through several different processes.

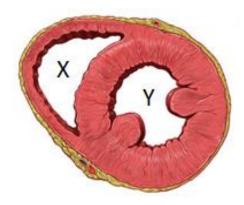
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	Another symptom of kidney failure is high levels of urea in the blood. Explaurea is formed.	
		ain how (4 marl

Question 34 (17 marks)

Covid-19 leads to blood clots in an estimated 30% of critically ill patients.

(a)	Identify the component of blood that is associated with clotting and give a it is important that blood clots.	eason why (2 marks)

The inferior view of a heart, which has been dissected horizontally across its short axis, is shown below.



(b)	Identify the section labelled X and explain why its structure differs to that of section labelled Y.	f the (3 marks)

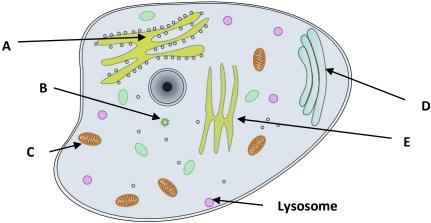
(0)	Covid-19 has also been shown to cause enlargement of the heart muscles. how this would affect the structure and function of the section labelled Y.	
		(3 marks
(ما/	Identify and contract the two main types of blood vessels in the bypes body	
(d)	Identify and contrast the two main types of blood vessels in the human body	
(d)		/. (5 marks
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Stenosis refers to the abnormal narrowing of a blood vessel or other tube-like organ in the body.

(e)	State one lifestyle factor that may cause stenosis within the cardiovascular and briefly outline the effects of this disease on the body.		

Question 35 (14 marks)

The diagram below illustrates a simplified version of an animal cell.



(a)	Identify the following organelles from the diagram above: (2	2 marks)
	C:	
	E:	
(b)	Describe how Organelle A and Organelle D work together to create lysosome (2)	es. 2 marks
(c)	Describe the relationship between body systems and specialised cells. (3	3 marks)

A group of Year 11 students were asked to investigate the effect of surface area to volume ratio on the exchange of materials across a cell membrane.

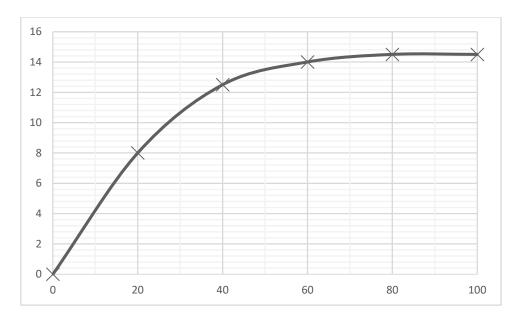
(d) Complete the following table by calculating the missing values. (3 marks)

Length of each side (mm)	Volume (mm³)	Surface Area (mm²)	SA: Vol ratio
2	8	24	
4		96	3:2
6	216		1:1

(e)	Explain the importance of cells being small.	(4 marks

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	on of proteins occurs in the stomach and small intestine through the activity of pepsin osin enzymes, respectively.
	Would you expect trypsin to have a higher or lower optimal pH level as compared to pepsin? Give a reason for your answer. (2 marks)
	Enzymes are specific to certain molecules. Draw a labelled diagram to illustrate the lock and key model during an anabolic reaction. (4 marks)
(c)	Explain why biochemical pathways are multistep and controlled by specific enzymes. (3 marks)
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The enzyme catalase breaks down hydrogen peroxide (H_2O_2) to form water and oxygen. The reaction rate can be calculated by measuring the height of bubbles formed per second. The incomplete graph below shows the results of an experiment that investigated the effect of substrate concentration in percentage on the activity of catalase.



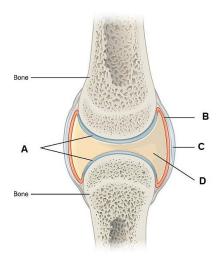
(d) Using the data points from the graph, construct a table to illustrate the results. (5 marks)

(e) Identify the saturation point for catalase in this experiment and describe how enzyme function is affected once saturation point is achieved. (3 marks)

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(a)	It is often said that a broken bone is better than a tear in cartilage. Discuss heals faster than a tear in cartilage.	why bone (3 marks)
(b)	State the differences in structure between compact and spongy bone.	(3 marks)

(c) The following diagram illustrates the structure of a knee joint.



(i)	State the name given to this type of joint in the body.	(1 mark)

(ii)	Briefly describe how the structures labelled B a	nd D prevent injury to these
	types of joints.	(2 marks)

(iii) Complete the table below to identify the specific type of joint illustrated and provide **one** location for each. (4 marks)

Type of joint:	
Location of joint:	

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Section Three: Extended answer 20% (40 Marks)

Section Three consists of **four** questions.

Questions 38 and 39 are from Part 1. Question 40 and 41 are from Part 2. Answer **one** question from Part 1 and **one** question from Part 2.

Use black or blue pen for this section. Only graphs and diagrams may be drawn in pencil. Responses can include: labelled diagrams with explanatory notes; lists of points with linking sentences; labelled tables and/or graphs; and/or annotated flow diagrams with introductory notes.

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Suggested working time: 50 minutes.

Part 1

Choose either Question 38 or Question 39.

Indicate the question you will answer by ticking the box next to the question. Write your answer on pages 29 - 33. When you have answered your first question, turn to page 34 and indicate on that page the second question you will answer.

	Question 38	(20 marks)
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(a) Smoking increases the risk of osteoporosis. Tobacco, one of the chemicals found in cigarettes, alters the activity of the cells associated with bone formation.

Differentiate between the cells associated with bone metabolism. Explain how osteoporosis develops and identify common symptoms of the disease.

(10 marks)

(b) The normal heart rate for a healthy adult at rest is 60 to 70 beats per minute. Irregular heartbeats, such as during a heart attack, can affect the flow of blood through the heart and may even result in death.

Describe how blood normally flows through the heart and explain the effect on blood flow in the heart if the valve between the left atrium and ventricle was ineffective. (10 marks)

Q	uestion 39	(20 marks)
(a)	Filaments are long chains of proteins found in muscles and connective that produce movement of body parts.	e tissue
	Identify the filaments associated with the musculoskeletal system and how they are involved in producing movement.	outline
	now they are inverved in producing movement.	(10 marks)
(b)	The ketogenic diet is based on the premise that an intake of low-carbo high-fat foods will promote weight loss.	ohydrate,
	Explain how fats are digested in the small intestine and describe why in carbohydrates can be dangerous.	a diet low
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Part 2	
Choose either Question 40 or Question 41.	
Indicate the question you will answer by ticking the box next to the question. Write you answer on the pages provided.	our
Question 40 (20) marks)
(a) Alzheimer's is a degenerative brain disease that is thought to be the result plaque sticking to the neurons of the brain and compromising the cell me	
Outline the structure of the cell membrane and describe how plaque depocould affect the function of nervous tissue.	osits
(1	0 marks)
(b) Asthma is a chronic (long-term) condition that affects the airways. Inflamm the airways, along with excess mucus production, results in the narrowing bronchioles and increased difficulty to exhale.	
Outline the process of exhalation and explain how asthma affects gas exclude (1	hange. 0 marks)
Question 41 (20) marks)
(a) Kidney stones, which are crystals of uric acid, can form in the renal pelvis symptom associated with damage caused by kidney stones is the preser proteins in the urine.	
State how uric acid is produced and outline the route a kidney stone will be excreted. Explain why protein in the urine would be a sign that kidney have caused damage to the kidney.	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0 marks)
(b) Water intoxication is a potentially deadly condition arising from excessive	water
intake.	
Briefly describe where water is absorbed in the digestive system. Explair effect of excess water consumption on the cells of the body.	the 0 marks)

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