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		*
		√ 2€
\checkmark	*	✓
*	*	\checkmark
This would be	This would be	This would be
worth 0 marks.	worth one mark.	worth one mark.

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Manchester	
Paris	
Southampton	

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Edinburgh			✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Manchester	✓	×	✓	✓	✓				✓	
Paris				✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Southampton	✓	×		✓		✓	✓		✓	
Score:	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	NR

Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers		Additional Guidance
1	а		nucleus (1)	[1]	accept phonetic spelling
					accept indication on diagram
	b			[1]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg
			to store glucose from digestion		underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			to describe how to make proteins 🗹 (1)		
			to release energy by respiration		
			to release energy by respiration		
			to transport materials around the d		0
			ATCI		AC X
	С			[1]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg
			very long DNA molecules 🗸 (1)		underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
				_	
			very short DNA molecules		0.00
			very short chromosomes		206
			vo.y onert ememocernoe		.0150
			very long chromosomes		
			Total	[3]	

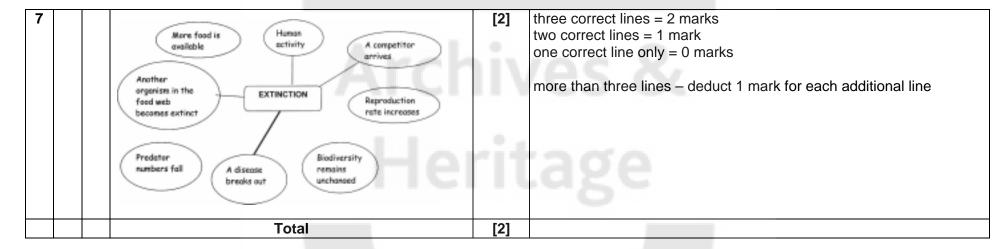
Qι	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
2	а		23 (1)	[1]	accept underline, tick, all four distractors crossed out
	b		both from her mother both from her father neither	[1]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			one from and one from		
	С		one dominant allele.	[1]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			two dominant alleles.		
			one recessive allele.	rit	200
			two recessive alleles. (1)		
			one and one		
			Total	[3]	
	ı	ı		T	
3			discussion of privacy issue eg right to know vs right not to tell (1)	[3]	responses must clearly indicate Amrit/employee or Raj/ employer
			any correct statement to Amrit (1)		
			any correct statement to Raj (1)		
			Total	[3]	

Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
4	4 a		using high frequency sound.	[2]	3 correct responses = 2 marks 2 or 1 correct responses = 1 mark if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg
			engulfing them.		underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			drowning them.		
			digesting them.	225	
			making antibodies.	hix	10c 8.
			using an electrical impulse.	1117	E3 00
			making antigens.		
			using high speed collisions.	rit	200
			injecting them with hormones.	-111	.484

Qı	ıesti	on	Expected Answers	3	Marks	Additional Guidance
4	b		presence of nitrogen gas		[3]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			acidic			
			cold			
			wet	(1)		
			presence of food	(1)	in	10C &.
			dry		117	C2 00
			warm	✓ (1)		
			presence of carbon dioxide	Hei	rit	age
	С	t 1	any three from: saliva – enzymes/chemicals; sweat - acidic / chemicals; tears - enzymes / chemicals; stomach – acid; mucous/wax – traps microorganisms		[3]	name of barrier must be linked to correct method of operating allow 'clots and scabs covering wounds' ignore non-biological names ignore gut
			Total		[8]	

Qι	esti	n Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
5	а	smoke cigarettes	[2]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
		exercise regularly (1)		
		drink a lot of alcohol		
		have a poor diet		
		reduce his stress level (1)	ric	10c 8.
	b	artery;	[2]	all four correct = 2 marks
		decrease;		two or three correct = 1 mark
		oxygen;		one correct = 0 marks
		heart;		
				accept clear deletion of incorrect alternative
	С		[2]	four correct = 2 marks
		high risk low risk		three or two correct = 1 mark
		CA		
		В		ignore same letter in both boxes
		D		the letters must be clear
		Total	[6]	

Qı	Question		Expected Answers		Additional Guidance
6	а		Peter (1)	[1]	
	b		Ranjit (1)	[1]	
	С		Stella (1)	[1]	
	d		Jane and Ranjit (1)	[1]	either way round
			Total	[4]	



Qι	esti	on Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
8	а	Dead Sea Scrolls	[2]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
		stories		
		the fossil record (1)		
		on other planets		
		in DNA (1)	.:.	1000
		internet	117	E2 or
	b	could;	[1]	two correct = 1 mark accept clear deletion of incorrect alternative
	С	some species find it hard to survive / become extinct (1) new adaptations become favourable (1)	[2]	one mark is for differential survival / or clear named example a second mark for some being better adapted
		Total	[5]	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers					Marks	Additional Guidance
9	а							[1]	shading may be extended into the 'L' shape then give mark
			years E	urope	Africa	Asia	America		shaded area must not extend significantly beyond the L shape
			200 000	7		Homa habili Australopi	4	ni\ rit	shading must not go into central area
	b	i	All	commo	on ancesto	or.	✓ (1)	[1]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			Only on	ie (common a	ancestor.			
			Australo	opithecus	S				
			None	com	mon ance	estor.			
			Homo e	erectus					

Qı	ıesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
9	b	ii	central evolution. convergent evolution. divergent evolution. negative evolution.	[1]	if no ticks, allow any other indication of correct response eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
		iii	Homo sapiens (1)	[1]	accept humans
	С		any two from: idea that brain got bigger / larger / complex / developed; (better chance of) survival / breeding / pass on genes; idea of intelligence eg brighter / smarter; example of intelligence e.g. using tools / speech / talking / writing / fire;	[2]	ignore live longer ignore learning / knowledge / thinking / self aware / memory ignore communication / building / hunting / farming / use of hands/ bipedal
	d		any two from: idea that not enough evidence / data / results; idea of conflicting data/evidence/results / two different explanations or interpretations; loss of sponsorship etc;	[2]	ignore reference to God ignore arguments about loss of face; ignore reference to "thinking you are right" ignore no evidence ignore reference to different experiments. do not credit specific reference to Darwin or theories of evolution
			Total	[8]	

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Qı	iestio	Expected Answers		Additional Guidance
1	а	Y (1)	[1]	accept Y or Y with chromosome above
	b	gene causes development of testes (1)		accept gene codes for/causes production of testosterone/androgens/TDF ignore SRY ignore reference to male sex organs
	С	height (1)	[1]	
		Total	[3]	

2	а		mum and dad (1)	[1]	accept parents reject one of her parents / mum OR dad
	b	i	recessive (1)	[1]	63 64
		ii	A (1)	[1]	
		iii	B, C and E (1)	[1]	three correct = 1 mark accept any order
		iv	we do not know if E has passed on the CF allele (1) we do not know if E's wife has the CF allele / is a carrier (1) if E's wife has got the CF allele we do not know if she's passed it on (1)	[3]	NB "Her mum" = "E's wife"
			Total	[7]	

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3	а	any two from: he may not want to know; privacy; may affect his employment prospects; could affect insurance (costs); false neg / false pos / reliability arguments;		ignore moral or religious answers
	b	any staffing implication answer (1) any financial implication answer (1)	[2]	eg sacking / redeployment / H&S / suitability of roles ignore to see who is healthy, without implication eg sickness pay / cost company / loss of production
		Total		TESTICS!



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4	а		nucleus from a body cell (1)	[1]	
	b		asexual reproduction	[2]	three correct responses = 2 marks two correct responses = 1 mark if more than three boxes ticked then minus 1 mark for each incorrect answer allow any other indication of correct response if no ticks, eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
	С		environmental factors only (1)	[1]	accept any other indication of correct response
	d		unspecialised can develop ✓ (1) unspecialised cannot develop treat diseases. ✓ (1) grow different species specialised can develop specialised cannot develop	[2]	if more than two boxes ticked then minus 1 mark for each incorrect answer allow any other indication of correct response if no ticks, eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc
			Total	[6]	

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5	a b		D E C A D before E (1) E before C (1) C before A (1) hormonal high mutation hormonal low mutation immune high mutation immune low mutation nervous high mutation nervous high mutation reproductive high mutation reproductive low mutation reproductive low mutation	[3]	if more than one box ticked then 0 marks allow any other indication of correct response if no ticks, eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc	
			Total	[4]		
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7	а		Ben; Louise;	[1]	two correct responses = 1 mark responses must be in the correct order	
					if no response then open up full screen to check for answers elsewhere	
	b		what – inactive / fake / not real drug / look alike / blank (1)	[3]	accept used instead of actual drug	
			why - to test/compare results / idea of control (1)	۱i۱	accept to eliminate / control named factors ignore used in drugs trials – as that is in stem ignore to see if illness has a psychological cause	
			when - if health / life of patient would be at risk without effective treatment / if effective treatment is needed(1)	.:.	ignore should not be used on sick people ignore ill patients should be given the NEW drug being trialled / should not be given the placebo	
			Total	[4]	206	

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8	a	5 :	years ago 30 000 200 000 200 000 2 800 000	Africa	Asia Homo habilia Australopii		Marks [1]	shading may be extended into the 'L' shape then give mark shaded area must not extend significantly beyond the L shape shading must not go into central area
	b	i	All commonly one Australopitheconomy None conomy Homo erectus	common aus	ancestor.	(1)	[1]	allow any other indication of correct response if no ticks, eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc

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			idea of conflicting data/evidence/results / two different explanations, theories or interpretations;		ignore reference to different experiments / different ideas.
			Total	[8]	

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance		
9	It proves	[2]	if more than two boxes ticked then minus 1 mark for each incorrect answer		
	It increases (1)		allow any other indication of correct response if no ticks, eg underlining, cross, shaded, smiley face etc		
	It makes no difference				
	It decreases				
	It agrees with	rit	rac &		
	It disagrees with	11.	C3 CC		
	Total	[2]			

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1	а		proteins (1)	[2]	
			speed up (chemical) reactions / OWTTE (1)		eg make reactions faster
					accept are catalysts as an alternative to speed up reactions
	b		lock and key model (1)	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks
					accept any clear indication eg underlining
	С	i		[1]	more than one response = 0 marks
					accept any clear indication of the correct answer only
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			1	111	IOC V.
			temperature ✓ (1)		res or
	- 		ingress / OWITE (4)	F41	as he feeteween and well-a higher
		ii	increase / OWTTE (1)	[1]	eg be faster/speed up/ <u>be</u> higher
			Total	rea.	not higher on its own
			Total	[5]	2000
2	2 a			[3]	look at the responses to each of the three rows
_	u		chemical completely partly not	[0]	each correct row = 1 mark
			water (1)		Thank
			sugar (1)		allow urea tick in middle or right-hand column but not in both
			urea (1)		more than one response in any row = 0 marks for that row
					,
					accept any clear indication of the correct answer only
	b		volume (of urine produced) increases / OWTTE (1)	[3]	eg more urine produced
					not urinate more
			concentration (of urine produced) is more dilute (1)		accept concentration is weaker
					ignore references to colour changes in urine
			the water levels in the blood/body fall (1)		accept body is dehydrated/becomes dehydrated
			Total	[6]	

Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
а	i	the maintenance of a constant internal		accept 'inside body' = internal environment
				ignore references to internal temperature
	ii	energy gain is the same as energy loss /	[1]	accept 'input' = gain, 'output' = loss
		OWTTE (1)		accept 'they are the same'/balanced
				accept 'it' = energy gain
b		receptors (1)	[3]	if more than three responses, deduct 1 mark for each additional
		skin (1)		response
		brain (1)		candidate cannot score less than zero marks
				accept clear indication of correct response eg use of arrows
С		respiration (1)	[1]	accept a clear indication of correct response eg underlined,
		^ \ 1 1 @ a a		other options deleted
		/\ \C		more than one response ticked = 0 marks
		Total	[6]	
а			[2]	responses must be in the correct order
		DNA (1)		accept an arrow from correct word to correct space
b		23 (1)	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks
				accept any clear indication of the correct answer only eg
				underlining, tick etc
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[3]

Total

Qu	Question		Expected Answers		Marks	Additional Guidance
5	а				[1]	more than one response = 0 marks accept any clear indication of the correct response only
			Only some remain active.	(1)		
	b		hormones (1)	rch	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks accept any clear indication of the correct response only
	С		have specialised cells.		[1]	both answers need to be correct to gain 1 mark more than 2 responses = 0 marks accept any clear indication of the correct response only
			make specific proteins	\checkmark		
			Total		[3]	

Qι	Question		Expected Answers					Marks	Additional Guidance
6	а		description where the genetic code is found where proteins are made		labe		[1]	more than one response in each box = 0 marks accept any clear indication of correct responses eg use of linking arrows with diagram, correct description alongside label on diagram (A = genetic code, B = proteins) or nucleus = A, cytoplasm = B within the box	
	b		DNA strands bases bases shape	1 2 single circular	3 pairs cubic	3 triplets helix	4 5 fours zig-zag	[3]	four rows correct = 3 marks three rows correct = 2 marks one or two rows correct = 1 mark more than one response in a row, deduct 1 mark accept any clear indication of correct response eg tick, other options crossed out, clearly underlined, shaded
					Total		-	[4]	200
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Qι	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
7	а		brain (1)	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks
					accept any clear indication of the correct response only
	b			[1]	more than one response = 0 marks
					accept any clear indication of the correct response only
			storage and retrieval 🗸 (1)		
				in	10c 8.
	С		////	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks
					accept any clear indication of the correct response only
			short-term and long-term 🗸 (1)	0 ,	
			Не	ľI	age
	d		brain	[1]	two correct responses = 1 mark
			new		responses must be in the correct order
					accept arrow from correct word to correct space
			Total	[4]	

Qu	estic	n Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
8	а	protect itself (1)	[1]	accept stop itself being eaten/becoming prey / stop things trying to eat it / to avoid predators or predation ignore camouflage / hiding ignore references to damage unless referring to being eaten
	b	any two from: grasping; sucking; startle reflex eg jumping when they hear a noi plantar (foot curling); rooting reflex eg turning its head in response t cheek being stroked; pupil reflex;		not blinking not crying not pupils dilating unless qualified not reacts to sound
	С	brain (1) spinal cord (1)	[2]	if more than 2 responses deduct 1 mark for each additional response accept any clear indication of the two correct responses
		Total	[5]	200

Qι	ıesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance			
9	а		light sensory		both responses in the correct order needed for the mark accept clear indication of correct response eg use of arrows			
	b		moving away from fire is voluntary (1) jumping (in response to the spark) is involuntary (1)	[2]	accept for 1 mark a general statement explaining what is meant by voluntary and involuntary reflexes eg voluntary is something you choose to do whilst involuntary is something you cannot control/automatic examples used in response must be from the stem of the question			
	С	i	membrane (1)	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks accept any clear indication of correct response eg other options crossed out, clearly underlined, shaded, circled accept cross – only without ticks more than one response = 0 marks			
	ii		insulates the neuron (from surrounding cells) / OWTTE (1) increases the speed of the transmission of a nerve impulse (1)	[2]	ignore stops interference from surrounding cells accept a clear reference to saltatory response / jumping of impulse = increased speed of transmission accept sends information more quickly.			
			Total	[6]				

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1	1 a i		the maintenance of a constant internal environment (1)	[1]	OWTTE Accept 'inside body' = internal environment Ignore references to internal temperature
		ii energy gain is the same as energy loss (1)		[1]	OWTTE Accept 'input' = gain, 'output' = loss Accept 'they are the same'/balanced Accept 'it' = energy gain
	b		receptors (1) skin (1) brain (1)	[3]	if more than three responses, deduct one mark for each additional response candidates cannot score less than zero marks acept clear indication of correct response eg use of arrows
	С		respiration (1)	[1]	more than one response = 0 marks acept a clear indication of correct response eg underlined, other options deleted, tick
			Total	[6]	
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2	а		[1]	three correct lines = 1 mark
		detects any change proc	cessing	mre than one line from left hand boxes = 0 marks
		receives information rec	ceptors	
		adds more or less eff	fectors	
	b	mechanism/process use of a feedback loop/changes being re	[3] eversed (1)	accept correct scenario details for artificial systems – look for key marking points
		(conditions kept) constant / creates a bal (establish a) set point/normal level (1) detail within the process	lance /	
		(created due to action of) antagonistic ef OWTTE (1)	fectors /	
		Total	[4]	

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3	а		eating food (1) respiring (1)	[2]	if more than two responses – deduct 1 mark for each additional response Accept a clear indication of correct response eg. underlined, other options deleted, tick
	b	i	pituitary gland (1)	[1]	if more than one response = 0 marks Accept a clear indication of correct response eg. underlined, other options deleted, tick
		ï	any three from: more water in blood less ADH produced; less water reabsorbed by kidneys; (type of) urine produced is more dilute/ lower concentration; water level returns to normal;	[3]	responses must be in context of excess water ignore account of ADH under conditions of low water intake
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5	а		Jo and Ray (1)	Jo and Ray (1)		[1]	two correct responses = 1 mark more than two responses = 0 marks accept responses in either order accept linking arrows to correct people on the diagram	
	b		a set of chromosomes / different parent (1)	genes	from each	[1]	ignore reference to 50% chromosomes/ 'information' accept alleles/DNA	
	С			[2]	if more than two responses, deduct 1 mark for each additional response candidate cannot score less than zero marks responses must be in the correct order accept linking arrows to correct words in list			
		ii	The cells no longer contain the same genes. Some of the genes are no longer active. Each cell produces only the specific proteins it needs. The cells form different types of tissues.	true ✓	false	[2]	four rows correct = 2 marks three rows correct = 1 mark two or one rows correct = 0 marks accept a clear indication of correct response eg shaded, circled, crosses (if no ticks)	
			Total					

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	b		auxin (1)	1	more than one response = 0 marks accept a clear indication of correct response eg underlined, other options deleted, tick			
	С		stays the same unspecialised genes	chi	three correct = 2 marks two correct = 1 mark one or zero correct = 0 marks if more than three responses – deduct 1 mark for each additional response candidate cannot score less than zero marks accept clear indication of correct response eg use of arrows			
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8	а		F A D C E	2	F before A A before D D before C three correct steps = 2 marks one or two correct steps = 1 mark zero correct steps = 0 marks
				•	if B is included in overall response, continue to mark and look for sequence eg F before A
	b		the sensory neuron membrane does not contain the chemical receptor (binding sites) / OWTTE (1)	1	res oc
	С		serotonin not reabsorbed (by pre synaptic vesicles) / serotonin reabsorption site is blocked (1)	1	ignore 'serotonin stays in synapse'
			Total	[4]	200

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9	а		В					B before C (1 mark), C before A (1 mark) if more than two responses, deduct 1 mark for each additional response accept clear indication of correct response eg use of arrows
			A					
	b		The bell was used The conditioned reflex The dog learned	true ✓	false ✓			three rows correct = 2 marks two rows correct = 1 mark one or zero rows correct = 0 marks accept a clear indication of correct response eg shaded, circled, crosses (if no ticks)
			Total				[4]	

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Paris				✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Southampton	✓	×		✓		✓	✓		✓	
Score:	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	NR

Qu	estion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance				
1	а	any two from: no where to lay eggs/less breeding sites; no food / less food / more competition; exposure to predators / predators can see them; idea of migration;	[2]	ignore no where to live/no home				
	b	56 (1)	[1]	accept 56 out of 124 or 56/124 reject 45%				
	c action stop using (long) fishing lines (1) soon because population is being reduced (by 100 000 a year) / leading to extinction; low reproductive rate / lay only a small number of eggs / slow to mature / long time for population to recover (1)		[2]	res &				
	d	any two from: cannot count all/enough of the birds; difficult to count because birds spread over wide area / birds keep moving; by the time all the birds had been counted some would have died / been born;	[2]	ignore references to migration				
	е	ban use of/stop using diclofenac (1) remove the excess carcasses (as soon as the cattle dies) (1)	[2]					
	f	idea of world wide / gone forever / all dead (1)	[1]					
	g i	any two from: idea of fewer organisms; idea of fewer species / less variety; in a (specific) place eg ecosystem, habitat, world, Earth, planet, environment;	[3]	ignore extinction				
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1	g		idea of ecosystem more stable / effect on other species / keep food chains or webs going / maintains a potential resource for humans (1)		ignore reference to gene pool ignore extinction
	h		£5000 m (1)	[1]	accept 500 x 10 or £5 000 million or 5 000 000 000
			Total	[15]	

2	а		autotroph – rose / lettuce heterotroph – greenfly/ladybird/owl/shrew/	[1]	both required for mark
	b		caterpillar/robin autotrophs – make own food (1) heterotrophs – do not make own food / eat food (1)	[2]	ignore references to making energy
	С	i	sun (1)	[1]	
		ii	food / eating / feeding;	[1]	accept consume for eat
		iii	any two from: heat; movement; sound; respiration; excretion/urine; egestion/defecating/faeces; uneaten parts;	[2]	accept examples of movement eg flying ignore waste
			Total	[7]	

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance		
3 a	ВСА	[2]	B in first box (1) C before A (1)		
b	storage / converted into starch (1) respiration / energy (1) converted into other chemicals / growth / repair / making seeds (1)	[3]	do not accept list of chemical without qualification		
С	any three from: humus/dead organisms; biomass / living things; inorganic materials / clay/ sand / rocks / minerals or named minerals; air; water;	[2]	3 correct = 2 marks 2 or 1 correct = 1 mark ignore examples of dead things eg worm ignore examples of living things eg worm ignore reference to fertilisers ignore names gases		
	Total	[7]	2000		

4	а	temperature; carbon dioxide; light;	[2]	accept in any order ignore heat / water / minerals 3 correct = 2 marks 2 correct = 1 mark 1 correct = 0 marks
	b	any three from: errors in counting; do not know the volume of the bubbles/gases in bubble / bubbles different sizes; some of the oxygen is used by respiration; some bubbles will stick to the pond weed / not float to top; 1 minute not long enough;	[3]	ignore 'human error' on its own ignore mention changing variable such as temperature as it is only for 1 minute
		Total	[5]	

Qι	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance				
5	5 a		parasite benefits / feeds on other organism (1)	[2]	ignore 'lives off' unless qualified				
			host is harmed (1)		accept disease as harm				
	b		correct example (1)	[3]					
			feature 1 (1)		features described must be appropriate to parasitic life style				
			feature 2 (1)						
	c disease/illness		disease/illness/infection/death /	[1]	accept correct named illness eg malaria				
			less food production (1)						
			Total	[6]					

6	one mark for each set of words used correctly: idea that DNA is the cause of the problem / makes someone the carrier of the disease / faulty gene (1)	[4]	res &
	DNA/gene taken from white blood cells (1)		ignore reference to cheek cells
	gene probe attaches to (mutated) gene / DNA (1)		age
	use of autoradiography to locate gene probe (1)		ignore reference to UV and fluorescence
	Total	[4]	

7	а	carbon dioxide (1) water (1)	[2]	accept either way round
	р	any two from: to supply/use more energy/ATP; by respiration; to avoid anaerobic respiration / lactic acid build up; to contract faster / longer / idea of muscles working harder;	[2]	
		breathing rate increase (1) heart beat increases (1)	[2]	accept heavier/deeper breathing
		Total	[6]	

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			QWC (1)		QWC answer is clear on first reading even if incorrect.
	ii idea of ecosystem more stable / effect on other species / keep food chains or webs going / maintains a potential resource for humans (1)			[1]	ignore reference to gene pool ignore extinction
	b		idea of world wide / gone forever / all dead (1)	[1]	
	C		any two from: test dead vultures (for diclofenac); test live vultures (for diclofenac); then compare effect of different amounts / (work out) lethal amount;	[2]	test vultures for diclofenac = 1 mark ignore any reference to other drugs ignore ban diclofenac to see if numbers of deaths decreases ignore any reference to experiments on vultures as species is on verge of extinction and would not be allowed
	p		idea that numbers are only over a 26 year period / does not say when data collected / no dates specified / there is no graph (1)	[1]	ignore any reference to 2008 study
	е		idea that it may not be reliable / atypical results / idea of not enough data / need replication (1)	[1]	ignore accuracy
	f		they might be dying / problems caused in their winter (feeding) sites (1) they might be dying / problems caused on their migration routes (1)	[2]	ignore gone to different site allow the cause may not be in their summer nesting sites for 1 mark warning migration must refer to numbers falling not just moving from one site to another
	g		any two from: vultures smaller (body mass) / ORA; idea that vultures eat meat from lots of/many cows/cattle; idea that poison accumulates in vultures / concentrated; Total	[13]	ignore vultures eat cattle or cows containing diclofenac because the plural is not specific enough

Qu	estion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
2		transferred into glucose/sugar/starch/ photosynthesis (1)		accept word or symbol equation for 1 mark ignore make food / growth / repair / energy alone
		one example of what chemical energy is used for eg respiration / cellulose / protein (1)		3
		Total	[2]	

3	а	correct food chain (1)	[4]	food chain must have arrows pointing in the right direction.
		four or five trophic levels drawn (1)		
		each step getting smaller from bottom to top (1) correct label of organism (1)	۱۱۱ ۲۰۰۱	examples of food chains are: lettuce> caterpillar> shrew> owl lettuce> caterpillar> robin> owl rose> caterpillar> shrew> owl rose> caterpillar> robin> owl rose> greenfly> ladybird> robin> owl
				ignore producer / primary / secondary consumer
	b	idea that energy is transferred / shows energy at each level (1) takes into account the mass / size of an organism (1)	[2]	accept idea of ignoring numbers of organisms in pyramid of biomass. ignore references to the shape of the pyramid
		Total	[6]	

Qι	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
4	а		starch is not soluble / glucose is soluble (1)	[2]	
			so will stay where put (inside cells) / no osmotic effect (1)		ignore will not be lost
	b	i	12 noon / noon / mid day / 12pm (1)	[1]	ignore 12 reject 12am
		ii	7.30 am $= (1)$ pm $= (1)$	[2]	7.30 and 16.30 = 2 marks accept morning and afternoon
		iii	idea that photosynthesis is greater than respiration / cannot photosynthesise at night / ORA (1) idea of to make food or glucose or starch / have more energy (1)	[2]	do not credit reference to X and Y, only to respiration and photosynthesis ignore references to CO ₂ and oxygen do not penalise references to making / creating energy
			Total	[7]	.020

5	а	temperature; carbon dioxide; light;	[2]	accept in any order ignore heat / water / minerals
				3 correct = 2 marks
				2 correct = 1 mark
				1 correct = 0 marks
	b	any three from:	[3]	
		errors in counting;		ignore 'human error' on its own
		do not know the volume of the bubbles/gases in		
		bubble / bubbles different sizes;		ignore mention changing variable such as temperature as it is
		some of the oxygen is used by respiration;		only for 1 minute
		some bubbles will stick to the pond weed / not float		
		to top;		
		1 minute not long enough;		
		Total	[5]	

Qu	estio	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
6	а	any two from: mutated / faulty allele / changed gene or DNA; is co-dominant / recessive;	[2]	
		alters haemoglobin / shape of Red Blood Cell; idea of less oxygen;		
	b	idea that it protects against malaria (1)	[3]	
		idea that people with sickle cell are more likely to survive (than non carriers) / ORA (1)		ignore reference to natural selection
		and reproduce / pass (gene / sickle cell anaemia) on to next generation / ORA (1)	11	res &
		Total	[5]	

7	one mark for each set of words used correctly: idea that DNA is the cause of the problem / makes someone the carrier of the disease / faulty gene (1)	[4]	age
	DNA/gene taken from white blood cells (1)		ignore reference to cheek cells
	gene probe attaches to (mutated) gene / DNA (1)		
	use of autoradiography to locate gene probe (1)		ignore reference to UV and fluorescence
	Total	[4]	

Question		OH	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance	
8	а		(used) to make ATP (1)	[1]	accept released as heat	
	b		muscle contracts / shorter / fatter (1)	[1]	reject relax	
	С		any two from: different levels of fitness/physical condition/ exercise; do different sports; idea of different genetic makeup/age/gender;	[2]	ignore environmental factors such as life style / size and weight	
	d		glucose only on left (1) lactic acid only on right (1)	[2]	ignore 'energy'	
			Total	[6]	IOC X.	

9	а		B = (1)				antig			[2]	
					antibodies = (1			} = (1)			
	b				donor				[3]	O column correct = 1 mark	
					Α	В	АВ	0	ICI		AB row correct = 1 mark
				A	✓	×	×	1			rest are all '*'s = 1 mark
			recipient	В	×	✓	×	✓			
			-	АВ	✓	~	✓	✓			
				0	×	×	×	✓			
	С		blood will clot (1) idea of blocking blood vessels / stop blood flow /					op blo	od flow /	[2]	impage hoort attack
			stroke (1)		•	Total				[7]	ignore heart attack

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