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1 (a)
Katie
Stationery account

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2015 \\ & \text { May } 1 \end{aligned}$ | Details |  | \$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2015 \\ & \text { Dec } 6 \end{aligned}$ | Details |  | \$ |
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|  | Balance b/d |  |  |  | A1 Stationers | (1) |  |
| 12 | Cash | (1) | 95 | 2016 |  |  |  |
| Nov 30 | A1 Stationers | (1) | 217 | Apl 30 | Income Statement Balance c/d | (1)OF | 245 <br> 196 |
|  |  |  | $\overline{494}$ |  |  |  | $\underline{494}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 2016 \\ & \quad \text { May } 1 \end{aligned}$ | Balance b/d | (1) | 196 |  |  |  |  |

A1 Stationers account

| Date | Details |  | \$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2015 \end{aligned}$ | Details |  | \$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July 9 | Bank | (1) | 114 | May 1 | Balance b/d |  | 114 |
| Dec 6 | Stationery | (1) | 53 | Nov 30 | Stationery | (1) | 217 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 2016 \\ \text { Apl } 30 \end{array}$ | Balance c/d |  | 164 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 331 |  |  |  | $\underline{331}$ |
|  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2016 \\ & \text { May } 1 \end{aligned}$ | Balance b/d | (1)OF | 164 |

Commission receivable account

| Date | Details |  | \$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2015 \end{aligned}$ | Details |  | \$ |
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| $\begin{aligned} & 2015 \\ & \text { May } 1 \end{aligned}$ | Balance b/d |  | 1680 | 2015 Jun 16 | Bank | (1) | 1680 |
| 2016 |  |  |  | Sep 10 | Bank | (1) | 1710 |
| Apl 30 | Income Statement (1)OF |  |  | 2016 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\underline{3300}$ | Apl 30 | Balance c/d |  | 1590 |
|  |  |  | $\underline{4980}$ |  |  |  | $\underline{4980}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 2016 \\ & \text { May } 1 \end{aligned}$ | Balance b/d | (1) | 1590 |  |  |  |  |

## + (1) dates

(b) General/nominal ledger (1)
(c) Current assets (1)

It is an amount owing to Katie, payable in the next 12 months (1)

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2 (a) (i) Cost is the purchase price of the goods plus any additional costs incurred in bringing the inventory to its present condition and position (1)
(ii) Net realisable value is the estimated receipts from the sale of the inventory less any costs of completing or selling the goods (1)
(b) Inventory should always be valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

This is an application of the principle of prudence
Over-valuing the inventory causes the profit for the year to be overstated
Over-valuing the inventory causes the current assets to be overstated
Any 2 points (1) each
(c)

|  | overstated | understated |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| cost of sales | $\checkmark(1)$ |  |
| profit for the year |  | $\checkmark(1)$ |

(d)
(i) Either $\frac{\text { cost of goods sold }\}}{\text { average inventory }\}}$ (1) whole formula
Or $\quad \frac{\text { average inventory }\}}{\text { cost of goods sold }\}} \times \underline{365}$ whole formula
(ii) Either $\frac{49900\}}{7500\}}$ (1) whole formula $=6.65$ times (1)

Or $\quad \frac{7500}{49900} \times \underline{365}(\mathbf{1})$ whole formula $=54.86$ days $=55$ days (1)
(e) Unsatisfied (1)

Or OF based on answer to (d) (ii)
Not selling goods as quickly as previously (1)
OR OF based on answer to (d) (ii)
(f) Reduce inventory levels

Increase sales activity
Only replace inventory when necessary
Any one point (1)

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(g) (i) Cash represents the cash the trader possesses (1)

Bank represents an overdraft/what the trader owes the bank (1)
(ii) Not enough money in the account

Cheque unsigned
Amount in words and figures disagree
Cheque undated/out of date
Takes account into unauthorised overdraft
Or other acceptable reason
Any two reasons (1) each
(iii) Received (1)
(iv) $\frac{15}{(585+15)} \times \frac{100}{1}=2.50 \%$ (1)
(v) This is a contra entry (1)

Money was transferred from the cash into the bank (1)
(vi) Debited (1)
(vii) Cash balance $\$ 2$ debit (1)

Bank balance $\$ 638$ debit (1)

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3 (a)
Hillcrest Athletics Club
Café Income Statement for the year ended 30 April 2016

|  | \$ | \$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue |  | 10430 (1) |
| Less Cost of sales |  |  |
| Opening inventory | 790 (1) |  |
| Purchases (7998 (1) + 1137 (1)-1292 (1)) | 7843 |  |
|  | 8633 |  |
| Less Closing inventory | 850 (1) | 7783 |
| Profit on café |  | 2647 (1) OF |

(b)

|  | $\$$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Subscriptions received | 16910 (1) |
| Add Opening prepayment | $\frac{1045}{17955}$ (1) |
| Add Closing accrual | $\underline{285}$ (1) |
|  | 18240 |
| Less Opening accrual | $\underline{760}$ |
| (1) |  |
| Subscriptions for the year | $\underline{17480}$ |

## Alternative presentation acceptable

(c)

Hillcrest Athletics Club
Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 30 April 2016

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4 (a) $\$ 19360-(4 \% \times 80000(1))=\$ 16160$ (1)
(b) (i) $\frac{8000}{200000} \times \frac{100}{1}=4 \%$ (1)
(ii) $\frac{(6250+5000)}{(200000+50000)(1)} \times \frac{100}{1}=4.5 \%(1) \mathrm{OF}$
[3]
(c)

Nyeko Limited
Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 29 February 2016

|  | Ordinary share capital \$ | General reserve | Retained earnings \$ | Total <br> \$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On 1 March 2015 | 200000 | 34000 | 8000 | 242000 | (1) |
| Share issue | 50000 |  |  | 50000 | (1) |
| Profit for the year |  |  | 16160 | 16160 | (1)OF |
| Dividend paid (for year ended 28 February 2015) |  |  | (8000) | (8000) | (1) |
| Dividend paid (for year ended 29 February 2016) |  |  | (6250) | (6250) | (1) |
| Transfer to general reserve |  | 6000 | (6000) |  | (1) |
| On 29 February 2016 | 250000 | 40000 | 3910 | 293910 | (1) |
|  | OF | OF | OF | OF |  |


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(d) (i) $\frac{16160}{180200} \mathrm{OF} \times \frac{100}{1}$ (1) OF whole formula $=8.97 \%(1) \mathrm{OF}$
(ii) Increase gross profit

Reduce expenses Increase other income
Any 2 points (1) each
(e) (i) $\frac{16160}{242000} \mathrm{OF} \times \frac{100}{1}$ (1) OF whole formula $=6.68 \%(1) \mathrm{OF}$
(ii) Increase profit for the year Increase efficiency Use resources more efficiently Or other suitable point Any 2 points (1) each
(f) Reduction in profit available for ordinary shareholders

Prior claim on the profits of the company
Prior claim on the assets of the company in the event of a winding-up
Or other suitable comment
Any 2 points (1) each

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5 (a)
Samar
Provision for doubtful debts account

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2016 \\ & \text { Apl } 30 \end{aligned}$ | Income statement (1) Balance c/d | $\begin{array}{r} 38 \\ 436 \\ \hline 474 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2015 \\ & \text { May } 1 \\ & 2016 \\ & \text { May } 1 \end{aligned}$ | Details <br> Balance b/d (1) <br> Balance b/d (1)OF | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{474}{474} \\ & 436 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

+ (1) dates
(b)

Samar
Extract from Statement of Financial Position at 30 April 2016

Current assets
Trade receivables
Less Provision for doubtful debts

## \$

17440
436 (1)OF 17004 (1)OF
(c) A bad debt is an amount owing to a business which will not be paid by a credit customer (1) A provision for doubtful debts is an estimate of the amount which a business will lose in the financial year because of bad debts (1)
(d) Ensures that the profit for the year is not overstated (1)

Ensures that the trade receivables (current assets) are not overstated (1)
(e) Accruals/matching (1)
(f) Reduce credit sales/sell on a cash basis

Obtain references from new credit customers
Fix a credit limit for each customer
Improve credit control
Issue invoices and monthly statements promptly
Refuse further supplies until outstanding balance is paid
Invoice discounting/debt factoring
Any 2 points (1) each

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(g)

Samar Journal

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Debit } \\ \$ \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Credit } \\ \$ \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bank <br> Bad debts recovered <br> Recovery of debt previously written off | 49 | 49 | (1) (1) (1) |
| Alternative presentation <br> M Khan <br> Bad debts recovered <br> Bank <br> M Khan <br> Recovery of debt previously written off | 49 <br> 49 | 49 49 | \}(1) <br> \} <br> \}(1) <br> (1) |


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6 (a)
Wasim
Suspense account

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2016 \\ & \text { Mar } 31 \end{aligned}$ | Details <br> Difference on trial balance (1) <br> Balance c/d | $\begin{aligned} & \$ \\ & 495 \\ & 190 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Date } \\ & 2016 \\ & \text { Mar } 31 \end{aligned}$ | Details |  | \$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Purchases | (1) |  |
|  |  |  |  | Petty cash | (1) | 100 |
|  |  |  |  | Discount Alld | (1) | 250 |
|  |  |  |  | Discount Recd | (1) | 250 |
|  |  |  |  | Stationery | (1) | $\frac{67}{685}$ |
|  |  |  | 2016 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Apl 1 | Balance b/d | (1)OF | 190 |

(b)

Wasim
Journal

| Error <br> number |  | Debit <br> $\$$ | Credit <br> $\$$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | DDE Limited <br> DEC Limited <br> Correction of error - DDE Limited <br> wrongly credited | 150 | 150 |
| 4 | Motor repairs <br> Motor vehicles <br> Correction of error - repairs <br> wrongly debited | 283 | 283 |
| 5 | Fixtures <br> Office Supplies Company <br> Correction of reversal of entries | 4400 | 4400 |

## Any TWO of the above journal entries <br> (1) debit entry <br> (1) credit entry <br> (1) narrative

(c) Error of commission (1)

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(d)

| error number | affects profit for the year | does not affect the profit <br> for the year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | $\checkmark$ |  |
| 2 |  | $\checkmark(1)$ |
| 3 | $\checkmark(1)$ | $\checkmark(1)$ |
| 4 |  |  |
| 5 | $\checkmark(1)$ | $\checkmark(1)$ |
| 6 | $\checkmark(1)$ |  |
| 7 |  |  |

