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**0648 FOOD AND NUTRITION**

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**Paper 1 maximum raw mark 100**

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### Section A

- 1 (a) carbon - hydrogen - oxygen      **3 x 1 mark**      **[3]**
- (b) Functions of fat  
 warmth/heat  
 energy  
 energy store  
 protein sparing  
 insulation  
 protection of internal organs  
 conveys fat soluble vitamins/vitamins A and D  
 formation of cell membranes  
 increases calorific value of food without adding bulk  
 high satiety value  
**4 x 1 mark**      **[4]**
- (c) (i) Saturated fat  
 contains maximum hydrogen  
 single bonds  
 solid at room temperature  
**2 x 1 mark**      **[2]**
- (ii) Examples  
 butter - lard - dripping - cream - coconut oil etc.  
**2 examples = 1 mark**      **[1]**
- (iii) Polyunsaturated fat  
 can take up more hydrogen  
 more than one double bond in molecule  
 liquid/oil at room temperature  
**2 x 1 mark**      **[2]**
- (iv) Examples  
 sunflower oil - soya oil - corn/maize oil etc.  
**2 examples = 1 mark**      **[1]**
- (d) Digestion and absorption of fat  
 in duodenum - bile - from gall bladder - emulsifies fat -  
 lipase - from pancreatic juice - converts fats to glycerol - and fatty acid -  
 in ileum - lipase - from intestinal juice - converts fats to glycerol - and fatty acid  
**(allow action of lipase once)**  
 absorbed in ileum - into lacteal - of villi - then into lymphatic system  
**10 points = 5 marks**      **[5]**
- (e) Excess of saturated fat in the diet  
 stored as fat - under skin - as adipose tissue - hypertension  
 or round internal organs - causing obesity - breathlessness -  
 lethargy - problems during surgery - lack of self-esteem -  
 cholesterol - deposited in blood vessels - narrows - blocks -  
 heart problems/CHD etc.  
**8 points = 4 marks**      **[4]**

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- 2 (a) Functions of NSP  
 absorbs water - makes faeces soft - and bulky - easier to expel -  
 stimulates peristalsis - absorbs toxins - lowers cholesterol level etc.  
**6 points = 3 marks** [3]
- (b) Lack of NSP  
 constipation - diverticular disease - hernia - haemorrhoids -  
 cancer of colon  
**2 points = 1 mark** [1]
- (c) Sources of NSP  
 bran - wholegrain cereals - wholemeal bread - brown rice -  
 wholemeal pasta - pulses - green vegetables - fruit skins and seeds -  
 potato skins etc.  
**4 examples = 2 marks** [2]
- 3 (a) Uses of water in the body  
 vital to life - 70% of all human body is water  
 constituent of body cells - 65% water in protoplasm  
 keeps linings of mucous membranes moist - throat/digestive tract etc.  
 maintains body temperature - evaporates from skin to cool body  
 excretion - as sweat/urine/in faeces  
 transports nutrients - dissolved in water in blood  
 digestion - food converted to liquid form/chyme  
 absorption - nutrients dissolved for efficient absorption  
 body fluids - digestive juices/blood/saliva/secretions etc.  
 lubricant in joints - knees/elbows etc.  
**5 well-explained points - 1 mark each** [5]
- (b) Water balance  
 input of water = output of water  
**OR** water taken into the body in food, drinks and from respiration =  
 water lost from the body in urine, faeces, perspiration, breathing  
**1 well-explained definition - 1 mark** [1]
- 4 Choice and cooking of food for the elderly  
 small portions - appetite reduces with age -  
 remove bones/skin etc. - eyesight may be poorer  
 may need to cut into small pieces/mince - if few teeth  
 fewer carbohydrate foods - less active  
 need protein foods - to repair worn out cells  
 iron - to prevent anaemia  
 vitamin C - to absorb iron  
 calcium/phosphorus - maintain bones/teeth - blood clotting -  
 muscle function  
 vitamin D - to absorb calcium  
 soft foods - easier to eat  
 low in fat - easier to digest - reduce risk of CHD  
 reduce salt - reduce risk of hypertension/high blood pressure  
 reduce sugar - tooth decay/link to diabetes  
 fruit and vegetables - dietary fibre - less risk of constipation  
 give variety of colour - flavour - texture - to add interest/make appetising  
 reduce spices and strong flavours/less easily tolerated  
 snacks should be nutritious - include plenty of milk daily - etc.  
**12 points = 6 marks** [6]

[Section A Total: 40 marks]

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### Section B

- 5 (a) Nutrients in milk  
protein - fat - calcium - carbohydrate/sugar/lactose -  
vitamin A - vitamin D - riboflavin  
**6 points = 3 marks** **[3]**
- (b) Rules for storing milk  
cool place/refrigerate  
clean container  
covered  
away from strong smells (cheese/fish etc.)  
do not mix old and new milk  
**4 points = 2 marks** **[2]**
- (c) Milk products  
cheese - butter - yoghurt - cream  
**4 examples = 2 marks** **[2]**
- (d) Souring of milk  
lactic acid bacteria - act on lactose - converting it into lactic acid -  
curdles - separates into curds and whey -  
**4 points = 2 marks** **[2]**
- (e) (i) Pasteurising  
heated to 62°C - 65°C - held there for 30 minutes -  
**or** heated to 72°C - held there for 15 seconds -  
cooled rapidly - to below 10°C  
destroys pathogenic bacteria - reduces spoilage bacteria  
**6 points = 3 marks** **[3]**
- (ii) Ultra Heat Treatment  
heated to 132°C - for 1 second - sealed - in foil-lined containers -  
all bacteria destroyed - entry of more bacteria prevented  
**6 points = 3 marks** **[3]**

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6 (a) Reasons for cooking food

to make it safe to eat - bacteria in meat killed by heat etc.  
 give hot food in cold weather - soup in winter etc.  
 reduces bulk of food - cooked green vegetables etc.  
 makes food more digestible - cooked starch digested more readily than raw etc.  
 changes colour of food - meat from red to brown/crust on bread etc.  
 change of texture - egg sets on heating etc.  
 change of flavour - extractives in meat developed during cooking etc.  
 add variety of foods - eggs can be poached, fried, boiled, scrambled etc.  
 make new products - jam, pickles, condensed milk etc.  
 mix together different foods - cakes, sauces, casseroles etc.  
 preserves food - milk scalded, fruit made into jam etc.  
 smell stimulates flow of digestive juices - curry, fried bacon etc.

**5 reasons + 5 examples - 10 points = 5 marks** [5]

(b) (i) Steaming

Advantages little attention required  
 food easily digested  
 little loss of nutrients  
 soft texture etc.

Disadvantages slow  
 kitchen may be hot/causes condensation  
 flavour not developed  
 colour of food pale and insipid/not developed  
 soft texture/lacks 'bite' etc.

**6 points = 3 marks** [3]

(ii) Frying

Advantages quick method of cooking  
 food becomes brown  
 crisp surface  
 flavour developed etc.

Disadvantages adds fat to product  
 needs constant attention during cooking  
 fried food may be difficult to digest  
 can be a dangerous process etc.

**6 points = 3 marks** [3]

(iii) Using a microwave oven

Advantages quick  
 cook and serve in same dish  
 saves washing up  
 kitchen does not get hot  
 no preheating oven needed  
 food does not burn on dish/sides of oven  
 oven easy to clean etc.

Disadvantages food does not brown.  
 flavours not developed  
 dish does not become crisp  
 'hot spots' may develop  
 food needs stirring during cooking  
 only suitable for thin or small pieces of food  
 impossible to judge when food is cooked etc.

**8 points = 4 marks** [4]

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- 7 (a) Method of making and baking  
cream fat and sugar - with wooden spoon/electric mixer -  
until light and fluffy – traps air - beat eggs – add gradually -  
beating well between each addition - sift flour – traps air/removes lumps  
fold into mixture - with a metal spoon - a little at a time -  
to make a soft, dropping mixture -  
grease and line tin/grease and flour tin etc. - preheat oven -  
gas mark 4 or 325°F/160°C - 40-45 minutes -  
bake until golden brown/firm to the touch/springs back when pressed/  
shrunk from sides of tin/skewer comes out clean - cool on a cooling rack  
(Do not credit points on decoration)  
**10 points = 5 marks** [5]
- (b) Variations  
cocoa - coffee - lemon/orange - coconut - cherries - chopped nuts -  
currants/raisins/sultanas - vanilla essence - almond essence - pandan leaves etc.  
**2 examples = 1 mark** [1]
- (c) (i) Choice of flour  
white flour - gives lighter texture - easier to raise -  
soft - low gluten content - crumbly texture -  
wholemeal - adds colour - flavour - texture - contains NSP -  
SR flour - contains raising agent - in correct proportion  
**4 points = 2 marks** [2]
- (ii) Choice of sugar  
caster sugar - finer crystals - dissolves easier when creaming -  
soft brown sugar - adds colour - flavour  
**4 points = 2 marks** [2]
- (iii) Choice of fat  
butter - flavour - colour - more difficult to cream -  
solid at room temperature - more expensive -  
soft margarine - creams easily - cheaper - colour - flavour  
**4 points = 2 marks** [2]
- (d) Changes during baking  
fat melts - sugar melts - protein coagulates - dextrinises -  
sugar caramelises - brown surface - crust forms - air expands -  
carbon dioxide produced - pushes up cake/cake rises -  
sets in risen shape - starch absorbs melted fat etc.  
**6 points = 3 marks** [3]

**Section B Total : 45 marks**

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### Section C

#### 8 (a) Different raising agents and their uses in the preparation of dishes.

The answer may include the following knowledge and understanding.

##### **Principles of raising agents**

gases expand when heated - mixture enlarges/expands/swells -  
 steam has a larger volume than water -  
 hot gases rise - push up mixture  
 heat sets risen shape - protein in other ingredients coagulates -  
 e.g. egg, gluten in flour etc.

##### **Air**

gives a light texture - no change in colour - or flavour -  
 must be introduced before cooking - expands on heating -  
 sieving flour - air trapped between grains of flour -  
 creaming fat and sugar - traps air as tiny bubbles -  
 rubbing-in fat and flour - air trapped as mixture falls -  
 whisking egg white - meringues - ovalbumin stretches -  
 entangles 7x own volume of air -  
 whisking whole egg and sugar - traps less air - due to fat in egg yolk -  
 used in cakes e.g. Swiss roll  
 folding and rolling - flaky pastry/puff pastry - air trapped between layers -  
 sealed to prevent air loss - expands on heating - pushes layers apart etc.

##### **Carbon dioxide**

bicarbonate of soda - with moist heat - gives off carbon dioxide -  
 residue of sodium carbonate - washing soda - yellow colour - bitter flavour -  
 used in dishes where this would be hidden - e.g. gingerbread etc.

bicarbonate of soda and cream of tartar - moist heat -  
 gives off carbon dioxide - colourless and tasteless residue - Rochelle salt -  
 e.g. scones etc.

bicarbonate of soda and sour milk - as above - acid + alkali

baking powder - contains correct proportion of bicarbonate of soda and cream of tartar -  
 e.g. suet pastry, scones, cakes etc.

self-raising flour - plain flour + baking powder - as above

yeast - feeds on sugar - moisture - warmth - ferments sugar - produces alcohol - and  
 carbon dioxide - continues to produce under favourable conditions - heat of oven kills  
 yeast - fermentation stops - e.g. bread etc.

##### **Steam**

used in mixtures with a high proportion of liquid e.g. choux pastry, Yorkshire puddings etc.  
 hot oven - water changes to steam -

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8 (a)

<b>Mark Bands</b>	<b>Descriptors</b>	<b>Part Marks</b>	<b>Total</b>
High	<p>The candidate is able to name all gases</p> <p>The candidate demonstrates a clear understanding of how gases are introduced</p> <p>Good examples used to illustrate</p> <p>Correct terminology used where appropriate</p> <p>Candidate can state clearly how raising occurs and how shape is set</p> <p>Comments are precise and related to named examples.</p>	11-15	15
Middle	<p>The candidate can name at least 2 gases</p> <p>Can give a few examples of how gases are introduced</p> <p>Factual information is sound but not always linked to specific examples to illustrate</p> <p>Information may be accurate but not all issues are considered</p>	6-10	
Low	<p>The candidate can give 1 or 2 examples of gases</p> <p>Action of gases may be considered in simple terms</p> <p>Fails to use correct terminology</p> <p>Information will be general and lacking in specific detail</p> <p>Limited knowledge of the topic will be apparent</p>	0-5	



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8 (b) Different fats and oils and their uses in the preparation of dishes

The answer may include the following knowledge and understanding.

**Types of fats and oils**

fats are solid at room temperature - oils are liquid at room temperature - saturated fats hold as much hydrogen as they can - may include a diagram - molecule has single bonds - e.g. butter, lard, suet - may include diagram - found in animal products - e.g. milk, cream, bacon, meat etc. cholesterol in saturated fat - deposited in arteries - narrows - blocks - associated with coronary heart disease - excess causes obesity - oils can be monounsaturated - one double bond - oleic acid - in olive oil - can take up more hydrogen - at double bond - to make single bonds - polyunsaturated fats - more than 2 double bonds - linoleic acid - hydrogenation - nickel catalyst - hardens oils - changes uses - oils hydrogenated to make margarine - if process not complete fat is softer - fats and oils made up of different fatty acids and glycerol - different fatty acids produce fats and oils of differing 'hardness' - 'soft' margarine is easier to cream - 'hard' margarine easier to rub in - at least 40 different fatty acids known - butyric, oleic, stearic etc. - all have different properties - taste, decomposition point etc. - choose fat or oil according to use - oils usually from plants - e.g. corn, sunflower, soya etc. - some animals produce oil - fish oils, whale oil etc. some plants produce solid fat - cocoa butter - fats and oils have different smoke points - high smoke points for frying - fats decompose into glycerol and fatty acid on heating - irreversible - butter decomposes at too low a temperature for frying - corn oil at a high temp. - fatty acids have different flavours - butyric acid in butter pleasant - etc.

**Uses**

spreading on bread - butter, margarine  
frying - corn oil, sunflower seed oil, dripping  
sauce-making - margarine, butter  
aeration - margarine traps air when creamed with sugar in cake-making  
pastry-making - holds layers apart in flaky and puff pastry  
shortening - crumbly texture of shortcrust pastry, rock buns  
adding flavour - butter used in cake making  
improve keeping quality - rich cakes e.g. Christmas cake remains moist  
sealing - melted butter/margarine on pate to retain moisture  
adds calories without adding bulk - fried food  
dressings - French dressing,  
form an emulsion - mayonnaise  
basting - adds moisture to meat cooked by dry heat/grilled/roasted etc.  
vegans will not use animal fat - those with CHD choose polyunsaturated fats etc.

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<b>Mark Bands</b>	<b>Descriptors</b>	<b>Part Marks</b>	<b>Total</b>
High	<p>The candidate is able to state different types of fats and oils</p> <p>Can describe compositions of fats</p> <p>May give scientific information</p> <p>Can name a variety of fats and oils</p> <p>Can give many uses of fats and oils -</p> <p>Demonstrates a clear understanding of the topic</p> <p>Comments are precise and related to named examples</p> <p>Specific terminology is used where appropriate</p> <p>Information is generally accurate</p>	11-15	15
Middle	<p>The candidate can state some of the different types of fats and oils</p> <p>Gives some additional information in support of statements</p> <p>Several uses of fats and oils named</p> <p>Examples often given to illustrate</p> <p>Some scientific information may be attempted</p> <p>Information accurate but not all issues are considered</p> <p>Response tends to be factual</p> <p>Does not always seem to understand the points made</p>	6-10	
Low	<p>Can give a few facts about different fats and oils</p> <p>Little attempt to explain differences</p> <p>Does not consider a wide range of uses</p> <p>A few examples given</p> <p>Information is general and lacks specific detail</p> <p>Limited knowledge of the topic will be apparent</p>	0-5	

**Section C Total : 15 marks**