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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Section A

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q01 (a)	The only correct answer is C – Neck (atlas and axis)	
	Incorrect options:	
	A – This is a ball and socket joint	
	B – This is a hinge joint	
	D – This is a ball and socket joint	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q01 (b)	The only correct answer is B – To join bone to bone.	
	Incorrect options:	
	A – Where blood vessels connect, this is through the	
	capillaries	
	C – This is the role of tendons	
	D – Muscles are not joined together	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q01 (c)	The only correct answer is C – The muscular wall of	
	an artery or vein.	
	Incorrect options:	
	A – Biceps are skeletal muscle	
	B – Hip flexors are skeletal muscle	
	D – The outer layer surrounding the lungs is not made of	
	muscle, it is a membrane.	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark	
Q01 (d)	The only correct answer is B – Sagittal plane about the frontal axis.	
	 Incorrect options: A - Frontal plane about the sagittal axis - the frontal plane allows sideways movements, e.g. adduction/abduction required in a cartwheel C - Transverse plane only allows twisting or rotation movements, so it is not possible to achieve the flexion required for the tuck D - Transverse plane only allows twisting or rotation movements, so it is not possible to achieve the flexion required for the tuck 	(1)

Question	Answ	er			Mark	
Number	AO1 – 4 marks; AO2 – 2 marks					
Q02	One r	mark for ea	ch correct respoi	nse.		
(a&b&c)						
		(a) Bone (b) Function of bone (c) Example of use				
		Femur	Lever(age)	Running Kicking		
	A		Muscle attachment	Squat/ lunge/equivalent		
		(1)	(1)	(1)		
	В	Carpals	Weight bearing	Handstand /equivalent		
		(1)	(1)	(1)		
	Accep	ot other app	propriate respons	ses.	(6)	

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 2 marks; AO2 – 1 mark	
Q03 (i)	 One mark for each correct response. Flat (1) Heart/lungs/vital organs (1) If punched (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(3)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 2 marks	
Q03 (ii)	One mark for each correct response.	
	Irregular (1)Protection/muscle attachment (1)	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO2 - 1 mark; AO3 - 1 mark	
Q04 (i)	One mark for any of the following points (up to three marks).	
	The (antagonistic pair are the) biceps and triceps (1). The triceps contract/are the agonist (1) causing extension at the elbow (1)	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	
	One mark for linked antagonist pair (AO1). One mark for linking correct agonist muscle action to cause movement (AO2).	
	One mark for analysis of joint action in image (AO3).	(3)

Question	Answer	Mark
number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO2 - 1 mark; AO3 - 1 mark	
Q04 (ii)	One mark for any of the following points (up to three marks).	
	The antagonistic pair are the gastrocnemius and tibialis anterior/anterior tibialis (1). The gastrocnemius contracts/acts as agonist (1) causing plantar flexion at the ankle (1)	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	
	One mark for linked antagonist pair (AO1). One mark for linking correct agonist muscle action to cause movement (AO2).	
	One mark for analysis of joint action in image (AO3).	(3)

Question	Answe	r			Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO2 – 3 marks				
Q05	One m	ark for each	n correct response.		
(a&b&c)					
		(a) Fibre	(b) Characteristic of	(c) Example	
		type	fibre type	use	
		Type IIx	Fast/quick (speed of)	Taking off in	
	Dow		<u>contraction</u>	high jump	
	Row A		Produce large force.		
		(1)	(1)		
		Type 1	Most resistant to	Marathon	
	Row		fatigue	Long-distance	
	В				
		(1)		(1)	
	Accept other appropriate responses.				

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
Q06 (i)	One mark for identification of role, one mark for linking to performer and one mark for impact/importance to training.	
	 For example: Fight infection/engulf pathogens/disease/stop viruses (1) to remain healthy/protect against illness (1) so Amari can continue to train/avoid reversibility/avoid loss of fitness (1). 	
	Accept other appropriate responses. One mark for role of white blood cell (AO1). One mark for application of this to performer (AO2).	
	One mark for impact on training (AO3).	(3)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
Q06 (ii)	One mark for identification of role, one mark for linking to performer and one mark for impact/importance to training.	
	 For example: Transports red blood cells (1) carrying oxygen (1) so Amari's muscles can continue to work aerobically/she can delay fatigue to improve quality of training (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	
	One mark for role of plasma (AO1). One mark for application of this to performer (AO2). One mark for impact on training (AO3).	(3)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO3 – 1 mark	
Q07 (ai)	One mark for correct response	
	Figure 4	
	Second class	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 2 marks	
Q07 (aii)	One mark for each correct response.	
	Effort (1)Fulcrum/pivot (1)	
	Accept in any order.	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
Q07 (b)	One mark for appreciation of short resistance arm and one mark for linking this to mechanical advantage for performer. For example: • The resistance arm is shorter than the effort arm (1) which means they can move a larger load with relatively little effort (1) • The effort arm is long(er)/fulcrum furthest from effort (1) so can lift so can move the load relatively easily/easier to lift more (1) Accept other appropriate responses.	
	One mark for analysis of resistance/effort arm (AO3). One mark for impact on performance (AO2).	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark	
Q07 (c)	One mark for correct response. For example:	
	 Take off in high jump/long jump (1) Going on toes to reach a ball in tennis (1) Going on toes in dance/gymnastics (1) Jumping in volleyball (1) Lay up in basketball (1) Running in a race (1) Calf raises in gym (1) Pushing off in a sprint start (1) GK diving to save a shot (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO3 – 1 mark	
Q08 (ai)	One mark for correct response.	
	First	(1)

Question Number	Answer AO3 – 1 mark	Mark
Q08 (aii)	One mark for correct response.	
	• Third	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark	
Q08 (b)	One mark for correct response.	
	 The ball (1) The football (1) The weight of the ball (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(1)

Section B

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO3 – 1 mark	
Q09 (a)	The only correct answer is A – Continuous training.	
	 Incorrect options: B - Fartlek uses changes in intensity so heart rate would fluctuate C - Interval uses changes in intensity so heart rate would fluctuate D - Plyometric uses changes in intensity so heart rate would fluctuate 	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q09 (b)	The only correct answer is D – Weight training.	
	Incorrect entions:	
	Incorrect options: A – Fartlek – used to improve cardiovascular endurance	
	B – Interval used to improve cardiovascular endurance or	
	speed	
	C – Plyometric used to improve power	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q09 (c)	The only correct answer is D – Increased vital	
	capacity.	
	Incorrect options:	
	A – A drop in resting blood pressure is a training effect on the cardiovascular system	
	B – Increased maximum cardiac output is a training effect on the cardiovascular system	
	C – Increased resting stroke volume is a training effect on	
	the cardiovascular system	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark	
Q09 (d)	The only correct answer is B – Overtraining.	
	Incorrect options:	
	A – FITT is used to structure training so aids planning	
	C – Progressive overload is planned, gradual increase in	
	workload	
	D – Thresholds of training is used to plan and monitor	
	training intensity	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 2 marks	
Q10 (a)	Up to two marks for interpretation of data and one mark for reason why therefore this made it the hardest section for the performer. For example: It takes Carron the longest time to complete (1) despite covering the same distance (1) this must be because the terrain is hilly increasing the intensity	
	of the section so she cannot cycle as quickly (1) Accept other appropriate responses.	
	Two marks for relevant use of data (AO3). One mark for application of this to performer (AO2).	(3)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q10 (bi)	 One mark for correct response. Hypertrophy/more muscle mass (1) Stronger muscles (1) Increased strength of tendons (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q10 (bii)	One mark for correct response.	
	 Increased bone density (in legs/skeletal areas where stress is applied) (1) increased bone strength (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
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	core (1) needed to maintain posture/technique (1) Accept other appropriate responses. One mark for <u>reasoned</u> judgement of yes/no (AO2).	
	One mark for expansion to give justification of reason (AO3).	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
Q11 (a)	One mark for identifying why fitness should be measured and one mark for appropriate expansion. For example: See his strengths/weaknesses (1) so his training can be designed to meet his individual needs (1) Fitness testing will provide him with baseline data	
	 (1) so he can set appropriate starting weights/targets (1) Accept other appropriate responses. One mark for reason he should measure his fitness (AO2). 	
	One mark for expansion to justify reason (AO3).	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 2 marks	
Q11 (b)	One mark for each correct response within the linked description. For example: • Arm (straight/slightly flexed) by your side/elbow by your side (1) squeeze the dynamometer as hard as possible (1)	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO3 – 1 mark	
Q11 (c)	One mark for the correct response.	
	Average (1)	(1)

Question	Answer			Mark
Number	AO1 – 2 mark	s; AO2 – 2 marks		
Q11 (d&e)	One mark for	each correct respons	5e.	
	Fitness test	(d) Component of fitness tested	(e) Method of training or fitness class to improve component of fitness	
	Flexibility Flexibility Sit and PNF reach Yoga			
	Harvard step test	(1) Cardiovascular/CV (fitness)/ Aerobic (fitness) CV endurance	Continuous Fartlek Aerobics	
	Accept other a	(1) appropriate response	(1) es.	(4)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO2 – 1 mark	
Q11 (f)	One mark for identifying why body pump would be a good choice and one mark for appropriate expansion. For example: Body pump involves the use of weights/is a type of resistance training (1) increasing the amount of weight/resistance he lifts, his strength will increase (1) Body pump uses weights (1) which causes (additional) resistance on the muscles/makes the muscles work harder /causes microtears (1) Accept other appropriate responses.	
	One mark for knowledge of body pump (AO1). One mark for link to why strength increases (AO2).	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
Q11 (gi)	One mark for example and one mark for expansion. For example: He could increase the time at the station (1) for	
	 example, rather than running the station for 30 seconds he could sit-up for 45 seconds (1) Rather than just his body weight he should hold a weight when performing the sit-ups (1) for example a 5kg weight on his chest (1) 	
	Accept other appropriate responses.	
	One mark for analysis leading to relevant example (AO3).	
	One mark for example related to the training principle	(2)
	(AO2).	(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark	
11 (gii)	One mark for example and one mark for expansion. For example: • (Rather than just using body weight exercises) he could add weights when performing the stations (1) for example a 5kg weight on the body weight squats (1) • Replace cardiovascular endurance/muscular endurance-based stations (1) for example, rather than skipping he could add biceps curls with weights (1) • Change the exercises so they focus on strength (1) for example add a kettlebell deadlift station/equiv. Accept other appropriate responses. One mark for analysis leading to relevant example (AO3). One mark for example related to the training principle (AO2).	
		(2)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO1 – 1 mark	
Q12 (a)	One mark for correct response.	
	 Rest, ice, compression, elevation (1) Rest, ice, comfortable support, elevation (1) 	
	NB Must have all correct for mark.	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	AO2 – 1 mark	
Q12 (b)	One mark for correct example.	
	Leg swings/lunges/equiv. (1)Stretches (1)	
	Accept other appropriate low intensity responses.	(1)

Question	Answer	Mark			
Number	AO1 – 1 mark; AO3 – 1 mark				
Q12 (c)	One mark for example and one mark for expansion.				
	 For example: Narcotic <u>analgesics (1)</u> this is because they mask the pain so the athlete can perform at the same or similar intensity as when not injured. (1) 				
	Accept other appropriate responses.				
	One mark for correct identification of PED (AO1). One mark for evaluating why the PED is taken (AO3).	(2)			

Question	Answer Mark				
Number	AO1 – 1 mark				
Q12 (d)	One mark for correct response.				
	Diuretics (1)Diuretic (1)				
	Accept phonetic spelling.				

Section C

Question	Indicative content Ma				
Number	AO1 – 3 marks; AO2 – 3 marks; AO3 – 3 marks				
Q13	Reward acceptable answers. Responses may include, but are not limited to, the following:				
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	Knowledge and understanding of ways to reduce injury (AO1):				
	Correct application of the principles of training				
	Correct application and adherence to the rules				
	Use of appropriate protective clothing and equipment				
	Checking of equipment and facilities before use				
	Application of knowledge, linking 'method' with relevant example(s) (AO2):				
	Correct application of the principles of training (AO1), for example rest and				
	recovery/progressive overload (AO2)				
	 Correct application and adherence to the rules (AO1), for example no two- footed tackles (AO2) 				
	• Use of appropriate protective clothing and equipment (AO1), for example use appropriate shin guards/pads (AO2)				
	 Checking of equipment and facilities before use (AO1) for example, state of 				
	the pitch (holes/uneven/foreign objects) (AO2)				
	Evaluation of topic – making reasoned judgement(s) about the importance to the performer remaining injury free (AO3):				
	Correct application of the principles of training (AO1), for example rest and				
	recovery/progressive overload (AO2) so the muscles have time to heal/repair				
	between sessions/so the player does not suffer overuse injuries/overtrain (AO3)				
	 Correct application and adherence to the rules (AO1), for example no two- 				
	footed tackles (AO2) otherwise could result in fractures/torn ligaments stopping them from training (AO3)				
	 Use of appropriate protective clothing and equipment (AO1), for example use 				
	appropriate shin guards/pads (AO2), vital to prevent a direct blow to the leg				
	causing fracture meaning the players will be out of the game (AO3)				
	 Checking of equipment and facilities before use (AO1) for example, state of 				
	the pitch (holes/uneven/foreign objects) (AO2) if uneven the players could				
	twist an ankle and tear ligaments/cartilage resulting in rehabilitation (AO3)				
	These methods help reduce the risk of injury, however if a player does get				
	injured, they should <u>seek medical attention and rest</u> to increase the chance				
	of playing in the final.				
	Students who only show achievement against AO1 will not be able to gain marks				
	beyond Level 1.	(9)			

Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
1	1-3	 Demonstrates isolated elements of knowledge and understanding, with limited technical language used (AO1). Limited attempt to apply knowledge to question context (AO2). Generic assertions may be presented (AO3 - evaluation). 	
2	4-6	 Demonstrates mostly accurate knowledge and understanding, including appropriate use of technical language in places (AO1). Applied knowledge to question context (AO2). Attempts at drawing conclusion, with some support from relevant evidence (AO3 – evaluation). 	
3	7-9	 Demonstrates accurate knowledge and understanding throughout, including appropriate use of technical language (AO1). Applied detailed knowledge to question context throughout (AO2). Reaches a valid and well-reasoned conclusion supported by relevant evidence (AO3 – evaluation). 	

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