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SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE LEVEL 2020 MAIN SESSION

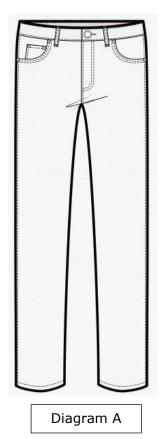
SUBJECT: Textiles and Design

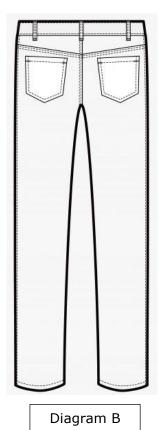
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DATE: 30th September 2020 TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.

Answer **ALL** questions.

1. The following diagram shows the front (Diagram A) and back (Diagram B) view of a woman's jeans trousers.





Source: http://wpa.wpart.co/pants-template/

- a. On the diagrams (A and B), label **SIX** fashion features of the jeans trousers. (3)
- b. Jeans styles never go out of fashion.
- i. Mention **TWO** reasons why a pair of jeans is considered to be a versatile piece of clothing to own.

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.....(1)

ii. Name a fabric that jeans can be made out of.	
iii. Give TWO reasons why the type of fabric mentioned in part b.ii. is suitable for making jeans. •	(4)
c. Describe how male and female trousers models are different in: i. size and style;	_ (1)
ii. rise;	(2)
iii. colour and pattern.	(2)
d. Using the diagrams below, explain how you would shorten a pair of trousers by 6 cm.	(2)
i. Source: https://bit.ly/2Q0xdig	
ii. Source: https://bit.ly/2Q0xdig	(4)

e.	Anne will be constructing a pair of trousers for herself.
i.	State how many pattern pieces are required to cut the following:
	Trousers Front: Cut
	Trousers Back: Cut
	Hip Pocket: Cut
	Waistband: Cut

ii. Fill in the table below by putting the steps for making the trousers in order.

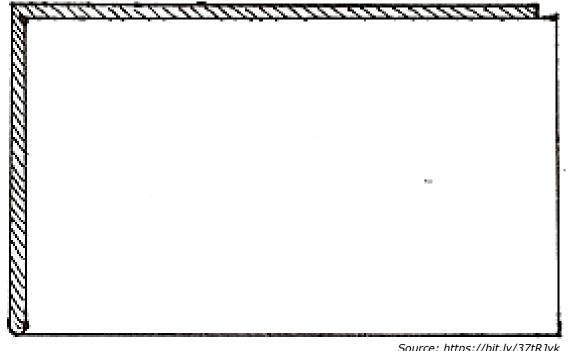
Patch Pocket: Cut _______

Step	Method
	Sew along the crotch.
	Pin, tack and sew hip pockets. Attach to trouser front.
	Sew the inside leg seam of the trouser.
	Pin trouser legs together and sew along the outer edge.
	Attach waistband, zipper and turn up hem.

(5)

(2 1/2)

iii. In the space provided below, draw the layout of the pattern pieces mentioned in part e.i..



Source: https://bit.ly/37tRJvk (5)

iv. Label the fold and the selvedge on the diagram in part e.iii..

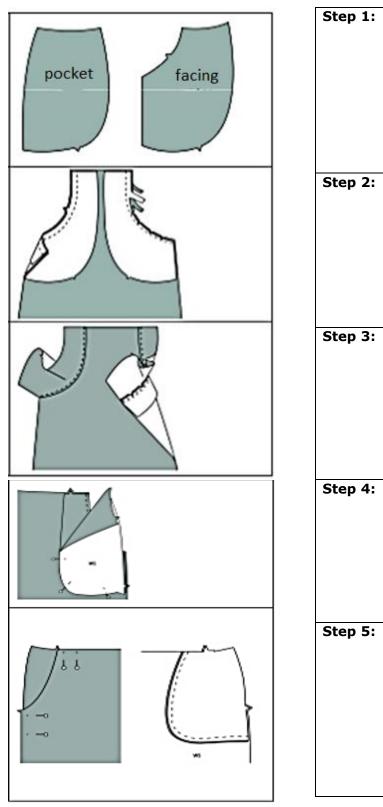
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v. Calculate how much fabric is required to make the trousers (length 95 cm) from 150 cm wide fabric.

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f. A double stitched seam is a common seam used on jeans. Name ONE advantage of using this seam.

g. Using the diagrams below, explain how you would attach a hip pocket.



Step 1:		
Step 2:		
Step 3:		
Step 4:		
Step 5:		

Source: https://bit.ly/35gE8WQ

h. Zippers are commonly used as a fastener in jeans. i. In the box provided state which type of zipper is shown in the diagram. (2) Source: https://owips.com/clipart-11312104 ii. Which type of zipper would be most suitable for jeans? (1/2) i. Waistbands and facings are commonly used when constructing trousers. i. Explain the use of a facing. $_{-}(1)$ ii. Why is a waistband used? (1)iii. Use the diagrams below to describe how you would attach a waistband. Step 1: Step 2: Step 3:

Source: https://bit.ly/35gE8WQ

for a pair of je	ans?	
		(1)
		(4)
s clothing. Expl	ain its use.	(1)
		(1)
		ONE blouse/shirt (2)
	Female	
an be worn.		(1)
	Occasion:	
	s clothing. Expl ouse/shirt suit	an be worn.

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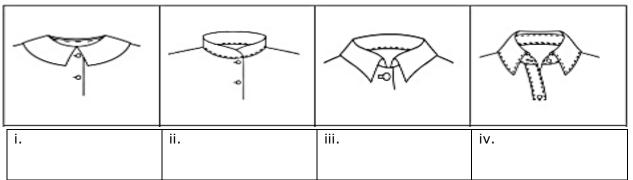
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2. The following pictures show skirts with different types of pleats.

a. Name the different	t types of pleats shown	on the skirts.	
i.	ii.	iii.	iv.
	Source: https:	//bit.ly/2ZU7c5h	(4)
b. Describe the differ	ence between pleat nu	mber ii. and pleat numb	er iv
			(2
c. In the space prov	vided below, draw and	d label TWO textiles h	nousehold items which have
:] [::	
i.		ii.	(4)
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Pleats can be either pressed or unpressed. Describe the difference between pressed unpressed pleats.	and
	(2)
Use the diagrams below to describe how to construct the type of pleats shown in diagra part 2.a.i.	m for
Source: https://bit.ly/37AxxrG	(3)
Temporary stitches are often used when constructing pleats.	
Give ONE reason why temporary stitches are used.	
	(1)
Which type of temporary stitch is most commonly used when constructing pleats?	
	(1)
. Give a reason for your answer.	
	(1)
. Which type of thread is used to sew temporary stitches?	
	(1)
Give a reason why this type of thread is used.	
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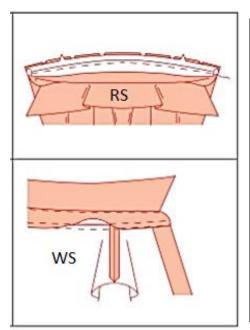
- 3. The diagrams below show different types of collars.
- a. Label the collars shown in the diagrams.

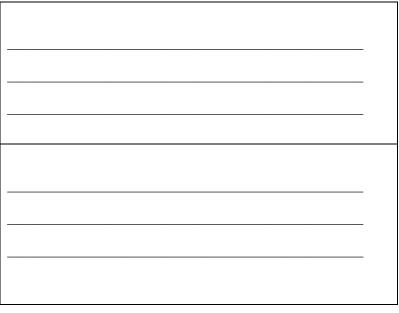


Source: https://bit.ly/35gE8WQ

(4)

b. Use the diagrams below to explain how to attach collar number iv..





Source: https://bit.ly/35gE8WQ

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- c. Embellished collars are highly fashionable.
- i. Suggest **TWO** pieces of clothing (apart from shirts) which may contain an embellished collar.
 - _____
 - _____



Source: https://bit.ly/37BwSX7 (1)

- ii. Mention **THREE** items that can be used on embellished collars.
 - _____
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 - _______ (3)
- iii. In the space provided below, add embellishment to the collar. Colour and label your design.



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(Total: 16 marks)

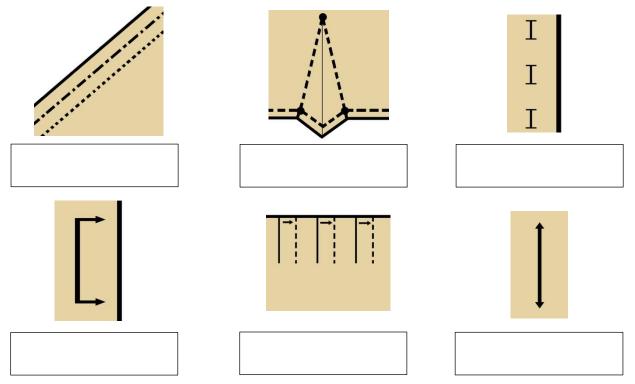
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- 4. Commercial pattern envelopes/magazines are popular with people who like sewing at home.
- a. List **FOUR** pieces of information found on a pattern envelope.

i.	
ii.	
iii.	
iv.	

(4)

b. Give the meaning of the following commercial paper pattern symbols.



Source: https://bit.ly/2QLy6YX

(6)

- c. List **TWO** important considerations before choosing a pattern style.
 - ______(1)
 - ______(1)

(Total: 12 marks)



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PAPER NUMBER: IIA

DATE: 1st October 2020 TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.

Answer **ALL** questions.

SECTION A (40 marks)

- 1. Careful consideration must be taken when purchasing sewing tools and equipment.
- a. List **TWO** considerations one must take before purchasing sewing tools and equipment.

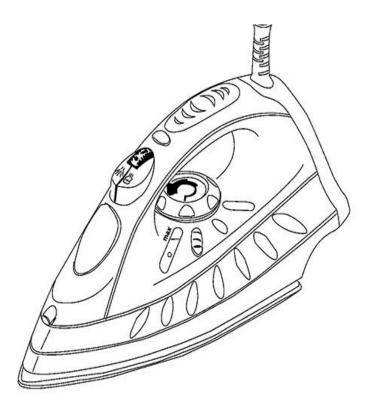
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- ______ (1)
- b. Fill in the following table about small sewing tools.

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Source: https://bit.ly/37xAYzq			(21/2)
Source: https://amzn.to/39IqK1h			(21/2)

c. Mention ONE safety precaution that must be taken when using the following	tools:
 measuring tape; 	
	(1)
rotary cutter.	
	(1)
d.i. List THREE types of sewing machines:	
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•	(3)
ii. Choose ONE sewing machine mentioned in part d.i. and describe its use.	()
Sewing machine chosen:	
Use:	
iii. Explain THREE potential hazards that one has to look out for when using se	wing machines.
•	(1)
•	(1)
•	(1)
e. The iron is an essential tool in the household.	
i. Describe the difference between a steam iron and a dry iron.	
	(2)

ii. Using arrows, label $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{FIVE}}$ parts on the diagram of the steam iron.



Source: https://bit.ly/2sA7gLv

(5)

iii. In the space provided below, draw, name and state the use of **TWO** other pieces of pressing equipment. (6)

Name:	Name:
Use:	Use:

(Total: 40 marks)

SECTION B (60 marks)			
2. Linen is a widely used natu	ıral fibre.		
a. Name the source of linen f	ibre:		(1)
b. The diagram below shows	various fibres under	the microscope. D	raw a circle around linen.
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	Source: https://b.	it.ly/37BsO9o	(½)
c. Use the following diagrams	s and key words to de	escribe how linen i	
cultiva	ating, scutching, harv	esting, retting, co	mbing
i	ii		iii

iv	V
Source http://www.m	Jadehow com/Volume-4/Linen html

d. Mention ${f TWO}$ clothing items and ${f TWO}$ household items that can be made from linen.

Clothing	Household
	(2)

e. List **TWO** positive properties and **TWO** negative properties of linen.

Negative Properties

(4)

(5)

f. Linen is often	pre-treated bef	fore it is sold to	the customer.		
i. Describe what	is pre-treatme	ent.			
					(1)
ii. Mention ONE	type of pre-trea	atment that ma	y be done on linen	ı fabric.	<i>(</i> 1)
				(Tota	(1) l: 14 ½ marks)
3. Stencilling car	be a very crea	ative way of em	bellishing a fabric.		
a. Using some of below.	or all of the fo	llowing stencil	templates, create	e a design on t	the table runner
Colour the desigi	١.				
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h Mention TUD	• other creative	ve tevtile techni	ques apart from s	tencilling	(4)
b. Mendon IAK	. L other creativ	Te textile teciliii	ques apait ii oiii si	T	

(Total: 5 ½ marks)

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4.	4. The burning test is an important procedure performed when choosing	g fabrics.
a.	a. Explain the use of the burning test.	
		(2)
b.	b. List FIVE tools needed to perform this test.	
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	•	(21/2)

c. The table below shows the results of a burning test. By looking at the given information, identify the type of fabric.

Fabric	Flame	Odour	Ash
	Burns quickly, yellow	Burning paper.	Light and feathery
	flame.		grey ash.
	Burns slowly, curls	Burning hair.	Round, shiny, black.
	away from flame.		Easy to crush.
	Melts, then burns	Celery.	Round, hard, greyish.
	slowly.		Won't crush.
	Burns slowly with	Chemical.	Round, hard, black.
	difficulty.		Won't crush.
	Burns slowly with	Strong burning hair.	Crisp dark ash.
	small flickering flame,		Easy to crush.
	sizzles and curls.		

(5)

(Total: 9 ½ marks)

5.	Elastomeric fibres have a wide variety of uses in textile items because of their properties.	
a.	Mention TWO special properties that elastomeric fibres have.	
	•	(1)
	•	(1)
b.	State TWO textile items which can be made using elastomeric fibres.	
		(1)
c.	Describe why elastomeric fabric is not suitable for underwear.	
		(2)
d.	State the commercial name for elastomeric fibres.	
		(1)
	New fibres are continually being developed. One of these is Bamboo fibres. Mention TV reasons why this fibre is considered to be sustainable.	VO
	•	(1)
	•	(1)
	Read the following text about caring for bamboo fabrics, then fill in the care label symbol with the missing information.	ols
	It is recommend to wash bamboo fabric using the washing machine or by hand rather than dry cleaning. Bamboo fabrics will maintain their special qualities when washed in cold to warm water with a gentle detergent, free of bleach as chlorine bleach often causes yellowing.	
	Line drying in the sun is best. Machine drying on a mild setting is ok but do not leave them in for too long as over drying can result in damaged fabrics.	
	When bamboo fabrics are dry and ready to iron choose the lowest heat setting to avoid any damage and use light steam.	
	Adapted from: http://www.bamboofabricstore.com.au/view/care-instructions/36	1

	Source: http://bit.ly/2Lue4lr
	(5) (Total: 13 marks)
6. Textile recycling is constantly promoted.	
a. Explain what is textile recycling.	
b. Mention TWO reasons why fabrics are recycle	
c. State TWO benefits of recycling fabrics for fabrics for the environment.	the consumer and TWO benefits of recycling
Benefits for the consumer	Benefits for the environment

ocally, fabric can be disposed of in spec hese bins?	ial bins in different localities. What is the colou
	n part 6.d., and draw the item before and a
Before recycling	After recycling
Mention TWO tips for daily and seasonal o	care of clothes, to make them last longer.
he diagram below shows a sweater which	has a hole at the bottom.
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(Total: 17 ½ marks)

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DATE: 1st October 2020 TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.

Answer **ALL** questions.

SECTION A (40 marks)

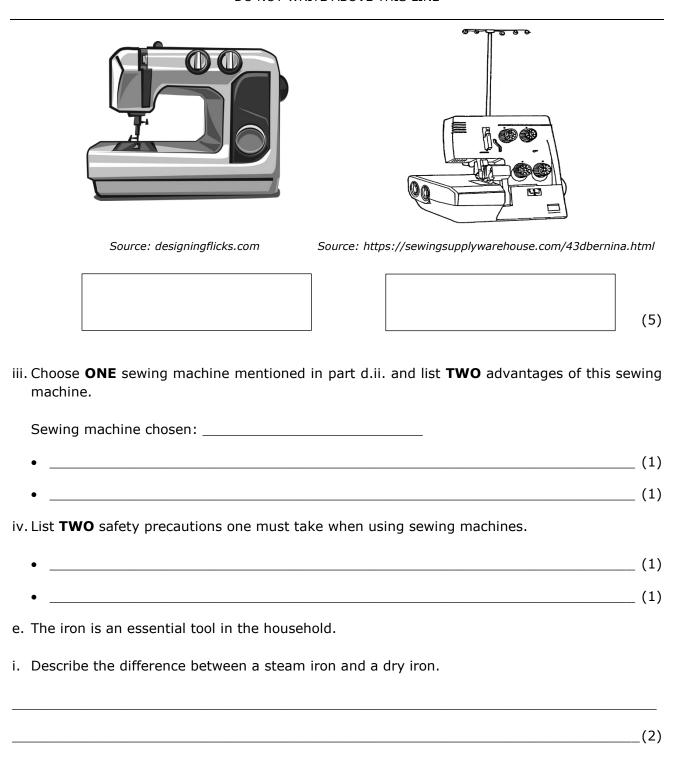
- 1. Careful consideration must be taken when purchasing sewing tools and equipment.
- a. When purchasing sewing tools and equipment one must think carefully. List **ONE** consideration one must take before purchasing this equipment.

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b. Fill in the following table about small sewing tools.

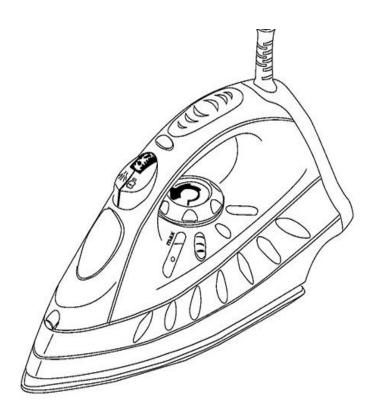
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Source: https://bit.ly/35jazDT		(2)
Source: https://bit.ly/37xAYzq		(2)
Source: https://amzn.to/39IqK1h		(2)

c. Mention ONE safety precautio	n one must take when using the fol	lowing tools:
measuring tape;		
		(1)
sewing needles.		
		(1)
d.i. In the space provided draw a	and name TWO other small sewing	tools.
		(4)
ii. The following pictures show di them correctly.	fferent types of sewing machines. l	Jse the words below to label
industrial, emb	roidery, overlock, mechanical, com	puterised
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ii. Using arrows and the words below, label the parts on the diagram of the steam iron.

sole plate, vertical cord, fabric guide, spray button



Source: https://bit.ly/2sA7gLv

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iii. In the space provided below, write the name of the **TWO** pieces of pressing equipment and state their use.

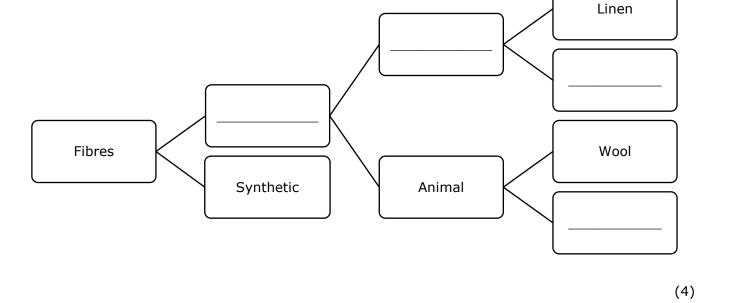
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Name:	Name:
Use:	Use:
	(4)
iv. Name TWO safety precautions when using t	the iron.
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•	(1)

(Total: 40 marks)

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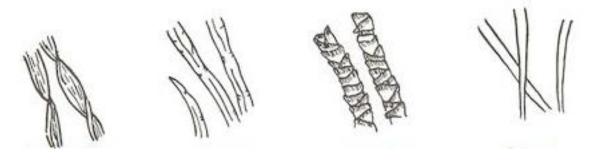
SECTION B (60 marks)

- 2. Linen is a widely used fibre.
- a. Complete the fabric classification table.



c. The diagram below shows various fibres under the microscope. Draw a circle around linen.

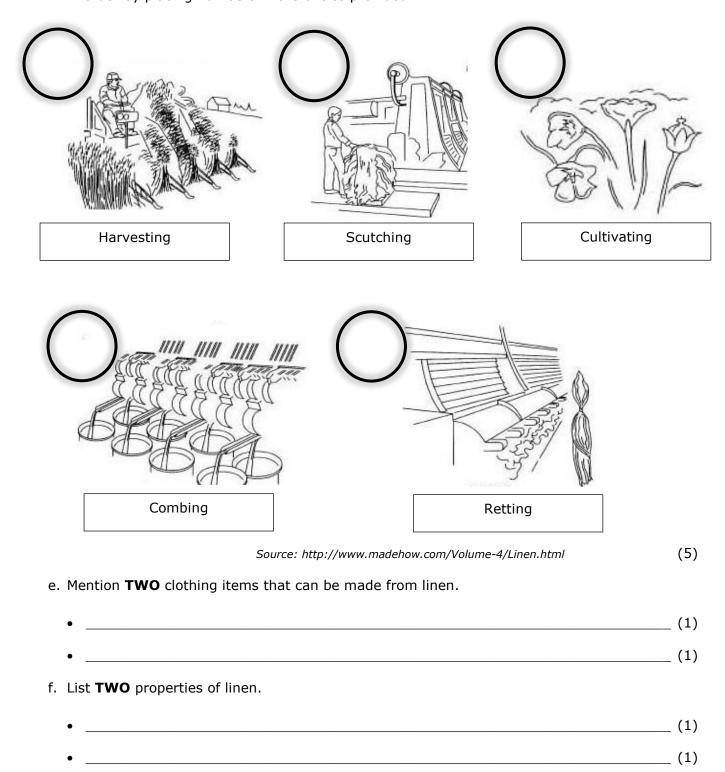
b. Name the source of linen fibre: _____



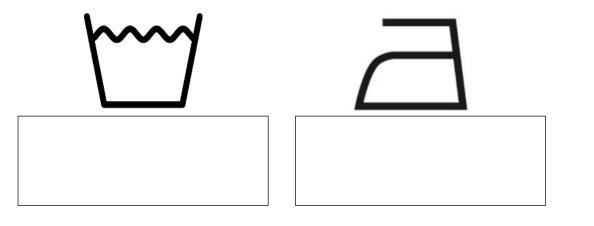
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d. The following pictures and keywords explain the production process of linen. Put the pictures in order by placing numbers in the circles provided.



g. Fill in and explain the care label symbol for washing and ironing linen.



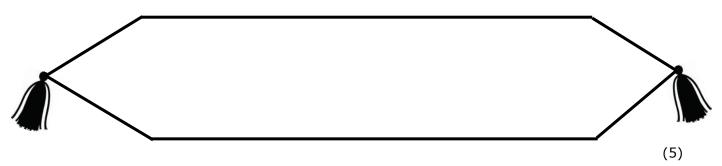
(Total: 18 ½ marks)

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- 3. Stencilling can be a very creative way of embellishing a fabric.
- a. Using some or all of the following stencil templates, create a design on the table runner below. Colour the design.



Source: https://bit.ly/2sLtY3e



b. Mention **THREE** other creative textile techniques apart from stencilling.



(Total: 6 ½ marks)

4. The burning test is an important test performed when testing out fabrics.	
a. List THREE tools needed to perform this test.	
•	(½)
•	(1/2)
•	(1/2)
b. Safety is very important when performing this test. Mention TWO items of safety pro one should wear before one does this test.	tection
	(2)
c. Mention ONE safety precaution when performing this test.	
	(1)
d. State TWO other examples of tests which can be performed on fabrics.	
	(0)
a. The table below shows the wegulte of a burning test. From the list below, place the	(2)
e. The table below shows the results of a burning test. From the list below, place the fabric next to its burning properties.	correct
Polyester, Nylon, Wool, Cotton	

Fabric	Flame	Odour	Ash
	Burns quickly, yellow flame.	Burning paper.	Light and feathery grey ash.
	Melts, then burns slowly.	Celery.	Round, hard, greyish. Won't crush.
	Burns slowly with difficulty.	Chemical.	Round, hard, black. Won't crush.
	Slowly with small flickering flame, sizzles and curls.	Strong burning hair.	Crisp dark ash. Easy to crush.
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(Total: 10 ½ marks)

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5. Elastomeric fibres ha	ve a wide variety of use	es in textile items bed	cause of their properties.
a. Identify ONE special	property of elastomeric	fibres.	
			(1)
b. Draw and name ONE	textile item which can	be made using elasto	omeric fibres.
			(2)
c. New fibres are contir	nually being developed.	 One of these is Bamb	
	,		in the care label symbols.
water with a gentle	detergent. Chlorine ble	ach often causes yell	chine using cold to warm owing. Do not dry clean
	sun is best. Machine on the iron to avoid any		ting is best. Choose the
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ii. List ONE textile item	tnat can be made from	bamboo.	

(Total: 9 marks)

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	Textile recycling is being encourage abrics/textiles.	iged as	an alternative to throwing a	way unwanted
a. \	Write down TWO reasons why fabric	is recycle	d.	
•				(1)
h ⁴	State THREE advantages of recycling			(1)
				(1)
•				
c. \$	Suggest THREE different ideas of red			_
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	n Malta, fabric can be disposed of in hese bins?	n special l	oins in different localities. What	is the colour of
				(½)
	Choose ONE for your ideas mention of the control			
	Before recycling		After recycling	(3)

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	nows a sweater which ha		
Suggest a simple rep	air or alteration that can	be done to make the	ne item fashionable again.
			(1
Draw the alteration i	the space provided.		
			(1
			(Total: 15 ½ marks

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