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SUBJECT:	Fashion and Textiles
PAPER NUMBER:	Controlled – Unit 1
DATE:	20 th May 2021
TIME:	10:00 a.m. to 11:35 a.m.

Name of candidate _____

I.D. number _____

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Answer **ALL** questions in the space provided.

Scenario

- TekStyle is a company that designs, manufactures and sells clothing.
- The company has various vacancies in different sectors.
- All applicants need to prepare themselves for an interview.

Question 1

C-1 (6 marks)

a. Identify **TWO** competences required by personnel working in the design sector.

Competence 1: _____ (1)

Competence 2: _____ (1)

b. Describe **TWO** competences that are required by the personnel working in the marketing and promotion sector of TekStyle.

Competence 1: _____

_____ (1)

Competence 2: _____

_____ (1)

c. Compare and contrast **ONE** similarity and **ONE** difference between the competences required for the manufacturing sector and those in the retail sector of the company.

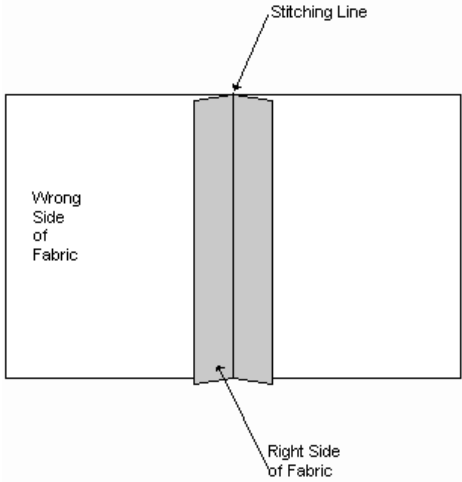
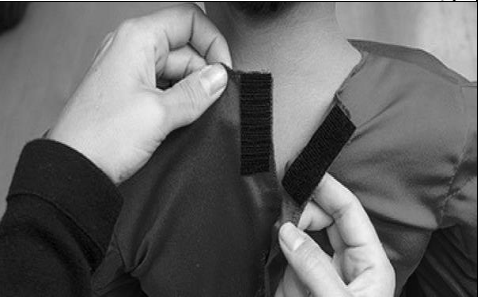

_____ (2)

Question 2

K-4 (4 marks)

- TekStyle has asked applicants about sewing techniques that the personnel are required to know.
- a. Label the sewing techniques shown in Table 1 below. (1)
 - b. Classify each sewing technique by ticking [✓] the correct category in Table 1 below. (1)

Table 1: Sewing Techniques

Sewing Technique	Label (a)	Category (b) (Tick the correct answer)				
		Stitches	Seams	Neatening	Fasteners	Hems
<p>i.</p>  <p>(Source: http://www.diceyhome.free-online.co.uk/)</p>	<hr/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>ii.</p>  <p>(Source: https://www.velcro.co.uk/)</p>	<hr/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>iii.</p>  <p>(Source: madamsew.com)</p>	<hr/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Question 4

C-3 (6 marks)

Over the past few years, TekStyle has become more aware of the impact of clothing on the environment.

- a. Identify **FOUR** impacts on the environment, from the box below, caused by the fashion industry.

waste debt	unemployment human exploitation	carbon footprint illnesses
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- Impact 1: _____ (0.5)
- Impact 2: _____ (0.5)
- Impact 3: _____ (0.5)
- Impact 4: _____ (0.5)

- b. Describe the impacts that manufacturing and use of textiles have on the environment.

i. Impact of manufacturing:

(1)

ii. Impact of use:

(1)

- c. Explain **TWO** ways how the fashion industry can minimise its negative impact on the environment.



(2)

Question 5



K-10 (4 marks)

The retail manager at TekStyle wants applicants to explain the various textiles techniques used to create decorative fabrics.

a. Label the following **FOUR** creative textiles techniques.

Creative Textile Technique	
i.	 <p style="text-align: center;"><i>(Source: https://oemahetnik.com)</i></p>
ii.	 <p style="text-align: center;"><i>(Source: www.thenational.ae)</i></p>

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<p>iii.</p>	 <p>(Source: 123rf.com)</p>	<hr/>
<p>iv.</p>	 <p>(Source: https://www.storey.com)</p>	<hr/>

(1)

b. State **FOUR** materials and tools required for the Appliqué.



(Source: www.etsy.com)

- i. _____ iii. _____
- ii. _____ iv. _____

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