

# **KEY AND SCORING GUIDE**

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**TOPICS**

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CORE:	1.	Methods and Principles
	2.	Cells
	3.	Humans
OPTIONS: (Choose <b>TWO</b> of six)	4.	Section I: Immunology
	5.	Section II: Skeletal System and Muscles
	6.	Section III: Reproduction and Embryology
	7.	Section IV: Genetic Disorders and Engineering
	8.	Section V: Cancer
	9.	Section VI: Sensory Receptors

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**MULTIPLE-CHOICE**

<b>Q</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>CGR</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>CGR</b>
1.	K	1	A	1	I 3	27.	U	3	B	1	IX F 3
2.	H	1	D	1	I 5	28.	U	3	D	1	IX F 6
3.	K	2	D	1	IV B 1	29.	U	3	B	1	IX C 4
4.	K	2	B	1	IV B 1	30.	H	3	A	1	IX C 1
5.	K	2	C	1	III D 2	31.	H	3	C	1	IX F 9
6.	K	2	D	1	III C 4	32.	K	3	B	1	XI A 4
7.	H	2	A	1	V A 3	33.	U	3	C	1	XI D 1
8.	U	2	D	1	III C 11	34.	U	3	C	1	XI B 1
9.	U	2	A	1	III C 5	35.	H	3	C	1	XI B 2
10.	H	2	D	1	IV B 1	36.	H	3	D	1	XI C 1
11.	H	2	B	1	III C 1	37.	K	3	D	1	X B 3
12.	U	2	A	1	VD 3	38.	U	3	C	1	XD 3
13.	U	2	B	1	VD 4	39.	U	3	C	1	XC 1
14.	H	2	D	1	VB 5	40.	U	3	C	1	X A 2, C 1
15.	U	2	B	1	VIC 2	41.	U	3	D	1	XE 1
16.	U	2	C	1	VID 1	42.	U	3	D	1	XE 2
17.	K	3	D	1	VII 1	43.	H	3	C	1	XB 1
18.	K	3	A	1	VIII A 5	44.	K	3	D	1	XI E 2
19.	K	3	C	1	VIII A 3	45.	H	3	C	1	XI H 1
20.	U	3	D	1	VIII A 2	46.	K	3	D	1	XI G 1
21.	H	3	B	1	VIII A 2	47.	K	3	D	1	XII C 1
22.	H	3	C	1	VIII A 10	48.	U	3	B	1	XII C 1
23.	K	3	B	1	IX B 2	49.	H	3	C	1	XII C 1
24.	U	3	A	1	IX F 4	50.	K	3	D	1	XII C 1
25.	K	3	B	1	IX A 1	51.	U	3	D	1	XII C 1
26.	U	3	C	1	IX B 1	52.	U	3	B	1	VIII A 10

**Multiple-choice total = 52**

NOTE: Q = Question number; B = Box number; C = Cognitive level; T = Topic; S = Score  
CGR = Curriculum Guide Reference, K- Keyed response

**WRITTEN-RESPONSE**

<b>Q</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>CGR</b>
1	1	U	2	4	IV A 2,B 1
2	2	U	2	4	III D 2, IV B 4,1
3	3	K	2	3	III E 1,2,3,4
4	4	U	2	3	VI C 1,3, D 1
5	5	K	3	2	VIII A 7
6	6	U	3	6	XA 1
7	7	K/U	3	6	XI H 1

**Core written-response total = 28**

**OPTIONS** – Score only 2 out of 6 boxes (sections) from box 9 to box 14.

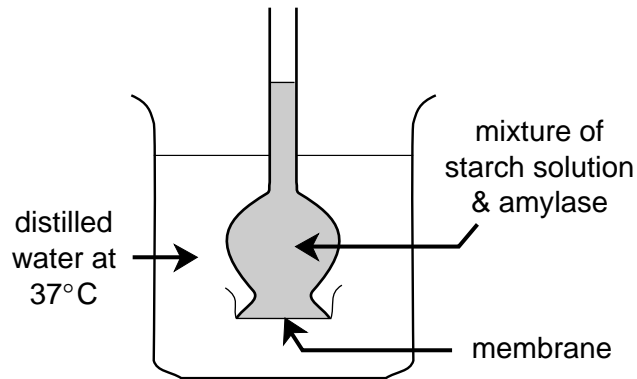
	<b>Q</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>CGR</b>
Section I	1 - 3	8	K/U	4	10	Option I
Section II	1 - 3	9	K/U	5	10	Option II
Section III	1 - 3	10	K/U	6	10	Option III
Section IV	1 - 3	11	K/U	7	10	Option IV
Section V	1 - 3	12	K/U	8	10	Option V
Section VI	1 - 3	13	K/U	9	10	Option VI

**Option Section written-response total = 20 (2 x 10)**

**Multiple-choice total = 52 (52 questions)**  
**Written-response total = 48 (5 questions and 2 option sections)**  
**EXAM TOTAL = 100**

**PART B: WRITTEN-RESPONSE QUESTIONS (28 marks)**

Use the following diagram to answer question 1.



1. A student set up the experiment illustrated above and kept it at 37°C. After five minutes, the distilled water in the beaker was tested and found to contain a sugar but no starch.

a) What had occurred inside the tube? **(1 mark)**

- amylase has digested starch to a sugar

b) What statement can you make about the permeability of the membrane? **(1 mark)**

- membrane is selectively permeable to sugars but not to starch
  - starch molecule is too large to pass through the membrane
- } **(any one for 1 mark)**

c) An identical experiment was set up and kept at 5°C. After five minutes, how would the amount of sugar found in the water differ between the two beakers? Explain your answer. **(2 marks)**

- less sugar in beaker kept at 5°C than 37°C **(1 mark)**
- enzymes slow down in low temperatures **(1 mark)**
- arrangement and number of amino acids make different proteins **(2 marks)**

2. Explain any **TWO** of the following three phrases. Only your first two attempts will be marked.  
**(4 marks: 2 marks each)**

a) Many different proteins can be constructed from just a few different amino acids.

- difference in linear sequence (**1 mark**)
  - different amino acids produce different proteins (**1 mark**)
  - arrangement and number of amino acids make different proteins (**2 marks**)
- } ( any comb. )  
( for 2 marks )

b) Larger organisms are made of more cells, NOT bigger cells.

- as cell size increases, surface area to volume decreases (**2 marks**)

c) Mitochondria are the “power houses” of the cell.

- site of aerobic cellular respiration (**1 mark**)
- makes ATP (**1 mark**)

3. Give **ONE** role of each of the following RNA molecules in protein synthesis:  
**(3 marks: 1 mark each)**

a) mRNA:

- carries DNA code to site of protein synthesis

b) tRNA:

- carries amino acids to the site of protein synthesis

c) Ribosomes (rRNA):

- where amino acids are assembled into a new protein

4. State **ONE** role of each of the following in photosynthesis. (3 marks: 1 mark each)

a) Chlorophyll:

- absorbs light energy
  - electron source/donates electrons/liberates excited electrons
  - may receive lower energy electrons from photosystem II
  - receives electrons from the photolysis of water
- } (any one for 1 mark)

b) Water:

- electron source/donates electrons
  - provides 2 H<sup>+</sup>'s that will be used to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> to CH<sub>2</sub>O
- } (any one for 1 mark)

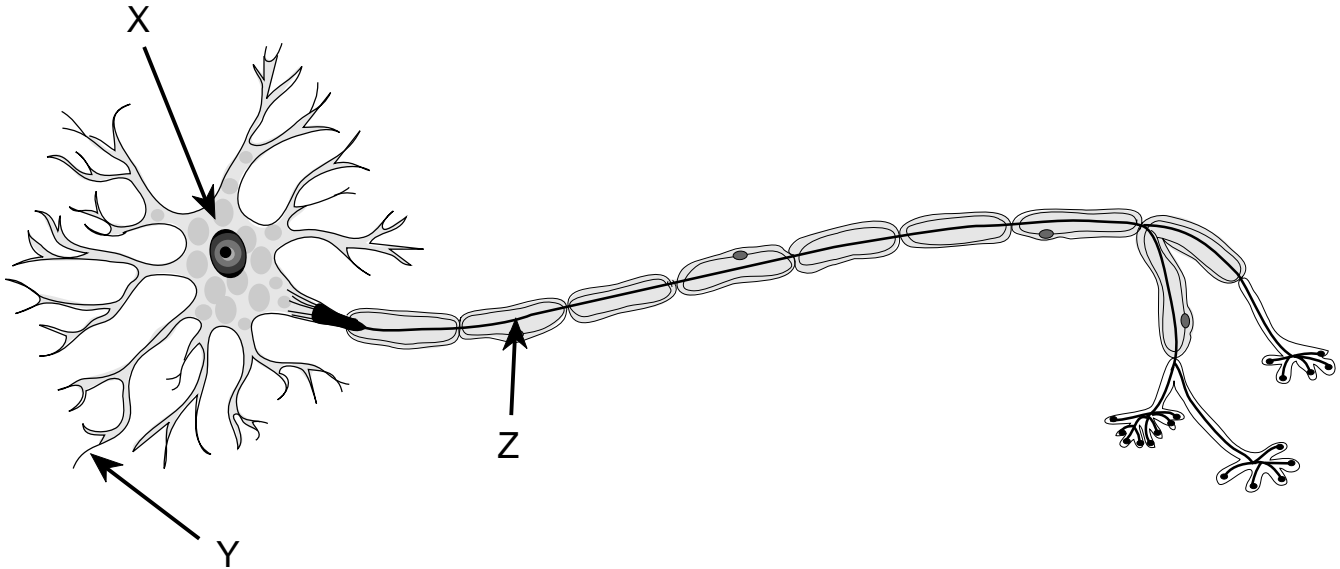
c) Stroma:

- site of enzymes for the dark reaction/Calvin Cycle/Calvin-Benson Cycle
  - reduction of CO<sub>2</sub>
  - production of carbohydrate/ CH<sub>2</sub>O/PGAL
- } (any one for 1 mark)

5. State **TWO** functions of the liver. (2 marks: 1 mark each)

- production of urea
  - storage of glycogen
  - production of blood proteins
  - storage of vitamin B12
  - destruction of old red blood cells
  - detoxification of the blood
  - production of bile
- } (any two for 1 mark each)

Use the following diagram to answer question 6.



6. The above diagram is of a neuron. Name the parts labelled X, Y and Z and give **ONE** function of each. (6 marks: 1 mark for name, 1 mark for function)

a) Part X:

Cell Body (1 mark)

- controls protein synthesis
  - carry out cell metabolism
  - continues impulse between dendrite and axons
- } (any one for 1 mark)

b) Part Y:

Dendrite (1 mark)

- to receive nerve impulses
  - to start new nerve impulses
  - to transmit nerve impulses towards the cell body
  - receptor sites for neurotransmitters
- } (any one for 1 mark)

c) Part Z:

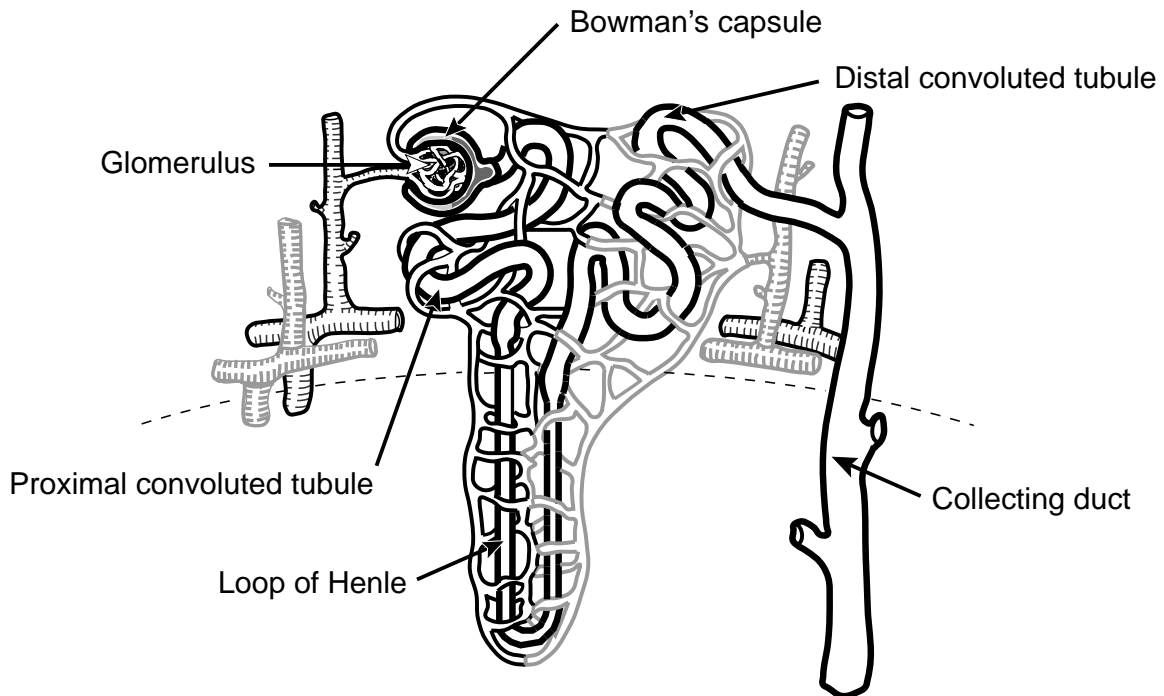
Axon (1 mark)

- conducts impulses away from cell body
  - transmits impulses to next neuron or effector
- } (any one for 1 mark)

Use the following list to answer question 7.

Proximal tubule  
 Loop of Henle  
 Distal tubule  
 Bowman's capsule  
 Collecting duct  
 Glomerulus

7. a) Label the structures indicated on the following diagram using the terms given above.  
 (3 marks:  $\frac{1}{2}$  mark each)



- b) Give **ONE** role of each of the following in the production of urine. (3 marks: 1 mark each)

i) Glomerulus:

- pressure filtration of plasma contents (except for proteins) into nephron

ii) Proximal tubule:

- selective reabsorption
  - reabsorption of water
  - active transport of sugars
- } (any one for 1 mark)

iii) Distal tubule:

- pH regulation
  - secretion of histamines, penicillin, ammonia,  $H^+$ , bicarbonate
  - reabsorption of water
  - tubular excretion (augmentation)
- } (any one for 1 mark)



**PART C: OPTIONAL AREAS (20 marks)**

**OPTION I: IMMUNOLOGY**

1. Select a term from column A that matches its description given in column B. Write the term in the blank beside each description. Each term may be used only once, and not all the terms will be used. (6 marks)

<b>COLUMN A</b>	<b>COLUMN B</b>
B cells	a) foreign substances in the body _____
killer (cytotoxic) T cells	b) results from an overactive immune system _____
passive immunity	c) blow up cells infected with virus _____
active immunity	d) engulf foreign substances _____
allergy	e) memory cells are responsible for _____
macrophages	f) plasma cells that release antibodies _____
antibodies	
antigens	

- a) antigens
- b) allergy
- c) killer T cell
- d) macrophages
- e) active immunity
- f) B cells

2. How does a vaccine provide immunity against a disease? (2 marks)

- vaccine introduces antigen which stimulates production of specific antibodies (1 mark)
- memory cells produced which release antibody during secondary immune response (1 mark)

3. a) Which virus causes AIDS? (1 mark)

- HIV

- b) How does this virus destroy the body's immune system? (1 mark)

- attacks Helper T cells that regulate other cells in the immune system

**OPTION II: SKELETAL SYSTEMS AND MUSCLES**

1. Select a term from column A that matches its description given in column B. Write the term in the blank beside each description. Each term may be used only once, and not all the terms will be used. **(6 marks)**

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
appendicular skeleton	a) supports and protects the organs of the head, neck and trunk _____
cardiac muscle	b) has a matrix composed of calcium salts _____
sarcolemma	c) the membrane of a muscle cell _____
axial skeleton	d) provides increased flexibility between vertebrae _____
bone	e) composed of striated, branched cells _____
scoliosis	f) abnormal curvature of the spine _____
slightly-movable joint	
sarcomere	

- a) axial skeleton
- b) bone
- c) sarcolemma
- d) slightly-movable joint
- e) cardiac muscle
- f) scoliosis

2. Give the function of the following. **(2 marks: 1 mark each)**

a) Tendons:

- join muscle to bone
  - holds joints together
- } ( **any one for**  
**1 mark** )

b) Ligaments:

- join bone to bone
  - allows muscle to move bone
- } ( **any one for**  
**1 mark** )

3. Explain the relationship between ATP and myosin. **(2 marks)**

- myosin acts as an ATPase
  - this breaks actomyosin cross-bridges and allows reattachment further along
- } ( **any two for**  
**1 mark each** )

**OPTION III: REPRODUCTION & EMBRYOLOGY**

1. Select a term from column A that matches its description given in column B. Write the term in the blank beside each description. Each term may be used only once, and not all the terms will be used. (6 marks)

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
prostate gland	a) produce sperm and testosterone _____
oviduct	b) provides energy for movement _____
vasectomy	c) usual site of fertilization _____
testes	d) cutting and tying of the ductus deferens on each side _____
morphogenesis	e) a hollow ball of cells _____
fertilization	f) movement of cells and tissues to establish an organism's shape _____
mid-piece of sperm	
blastula	

- a) testes
- b) mid-piece of sperm
- c) oviducts
- d) vasectomy
- e) blastula
- f) morphogenesis

2. Name the source and target of luteinizing hormone (LH) in the female. (2 marks: 1 mark each)

**Source:** anterior pituitary (1 mark)

**Target:** ovary  
corpus luteum  
follicle } (any one for 1 mark)

**Target:** ovary (1 mark)

3. a) List **TWO** characteristics of the endometrium of the uterus during the second half of the menstrual cycle. (1 mark:  $\frac{1}{2}$  mark each)

- doubles in thickness
  - secretory
  - vascularization
- } (any two for  $\frac{1}{2}$  mark each)

- b) Name the hormone responsible for these characteristics. (1 mark)

- progesterone

**OPTION IV: GENETIC DISORDERS AND ENGINEERING**

1. Select a term from column A that matches its description given in column B. Write the term in the blank beside each description. Each term may be used only once, and not all the terms will be used. (6 marks)

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
telophase	a) introduces recombinant DNA into a human host cell _____
vector	b) attaches foreign DNA to host DNA _____
plasmid	c) transfer of DNA by viruses _____
protoplast	d) product of plant cell wall removal _____
conjugation	e) when division of cytoplasm occurs _____
transduction	f) genetically identical to parent cell _____
ligase	
clone	

- a) vector
- b) ligase
- c) transduction
- d) protoplast
- e) telophase
- f) clone

2. Give **ONE** function of each of the following in biotechnology. (2 marks: 1 mark each)

a) Plasmid:

- used as vectors
  - used to carry DNA fragments to host cell
  - act as a recipient for foreign DNA
- } (any one for 1 mark)

b) Restriction enzymes:

- cut the DNA into specific pieces
  - cleave DNA at a specific site
- } (any one for 1 mark)

3. State **TWO** uses of recombinant DNA. (2 marks)

- DNA probes
  - vaccines
  - pollution clean-up
  - improving crops
  - mineral processing
  - gene therapy
- } (any two for 1 mark each)

**OPTION V: CANCER**

1. Select a term from column A that matches its description given in column B. Write the term in the blank beside each description. Each term may be used only once, and not all the terms will be used. **(6 marks)**

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
anaplasia	a) increased blood supply to tumour site _____
initiator	b) converts proto-oncogene into oncogene _____
promoter	c) spreading cancer cells to different organs _____
metastasis	d) boosts the immune system's activity _____
sarcoma	e) disorganized growth of cells _____
carcinoma	f) cancers of epithelial tissues _____
interleukin	
vascularization	

- a) vascularization
- b) initiator
- c) metastasis
- d) interleukin
- e) anaplasia
- f) carcinoma

2. Give the role of the following cells in fighting cancer. **(2 marks: 1 mark each)**

a) Macrophage:

- key engulfs cancerous cells **(1 mark)**

b) B cells:

- release antibodies that attach to cancer cells **(1 mark)**

3. Give **ONE** symptom or danger sign for each of the following cancers. **(2 marks: 1/2 mark each)**

a) Breast:

- lump in breast ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark)

b) Lung:

- persistent cough ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark)

c) Colon:

- blood in stool ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark)

d) Skin:

- change in mole ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark)

**OPTION VI: SENSORY RECEPTORS**

1. Select a term from column A that matches its description given in column B. Write the term in the blank beside each description. Each term may be used only once, and not all the terms will be used. **(6 marks)**

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
radioreceptors	a) base of a semicircular canal _____
mechanoreceptors	b) secretes aqueous humour _____
rods	c) active in bright light _____
cones	d) regulates diameter of pupil _____
iris	e) respond to displacement of tissue _____
ampulla	f) contain rhodopsin _____
sacculles	
ciliary body	

- a) ampulla
- b) ciliary body
- c) cones
- d) iris
- e) mechanoreceptors
- f) rods

2. State **ONE** characteristic of and **ONE** possible corrective measure for cataracts. **(2 marks: 1 mark each)**

**Characteristic:** lens becomes cloudy and opaque and unable to transmit light rays **(1 mark)**

**Corrective measure:** removal of lens and implantation of intraocular lens attached to iris **(1 mark)**

3. Give **TWO** functions of the ossicles in the ear.. **(2 marks: 1 mark each)**

- to transmit sound waves from the outer ear to the inner ear **(1 mark)**
- to magnify the sound waves **(1 mark)**