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Question	Answer	Marks
Section A		
1(a)	4 marks for 4 of:	4
	 (sub-max. 2) 1 movement created when one muscle contracts AND another muscle relaxes; 2 movements at elbow are flexion AND extension; 	
	(sub-max. 2) during flexion: 3 biceps brachii acts as agonist / prime mover; 4 (agonist) muscle shortens (under tension); 5 joint angle is reduced / concentric; 6 triceps brachii acts as antagonist;	
	 during extension: 7 triceps brachii as agonist / prime mover; 8 (agonist) muscle shortens (under tension); 9 joint angle is increased / eccentric; 10 biceps brachii is antagonist; 	
1(b)(i)	1 mark for:	1
	1 isokinetic: movement AND isometric: no movement;	
1(b)(ii)	1 mark for:	1
	1 concentric: muscle shortens AND eccentric: muscle lengthens;	
1(c)	5 marks for:	5
	 concentric / isotonic; flexion; iliopsoas / sartorius / rectus femoris; extension; latissimus dorsi / supraspinatus / subscapularis / infraspinatus / teres minor / pectoralis major / rotator cuff muscles / (posterior) deltoid; 	
1(d)(i)	3 marks for:	3
	 cardiac output: volume of blood leaving the heart / left ventricle per minute; stroke volume: volume of blood leaving the heart / left ventricle per beat; cardiac output = stroke volume x heart rate / Q = SV × HR; 	
1(d)(ii)	2 marks for:	2
	1 cardiac output: same / unchanged; 2 stroke volume: increases / larger;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
1(d)(iii)	 4 marks for any 4 of: during exercise – increased venous return; increased diastolic filling / preload; increased stretch of cardiac muscle / elastic; increased the force of contraction / stronger / more powerful; known as Starling's law; higher percentage of blood ejected from heart per beat / increased ejection fraction; end systolic volume lower than at rest; 	4
1(e)	3 marks for 3 of: (sub-max. 2 marks) oxygen: 1 combines with haemoglobin / forms oxyhaemoglobin; 2 dissolved / eq. in blood plasma; (sub-max. 2 marks) carbon dioxide: 3 as bicarbonate / hydrogen carbonate ions / carbonic acid; 4 dissolved / eq. in blood plasma; 5 combined / eq. with plasma proteins / haemoglobin / as carbaminohaemoglobin;	3
1(f)(i)	3 marks for any 3 of: (during exercise) 1 rate / depth of breathing increases; 2 additional muscles are used; inspiration: 3 increases size / volume of the thorax / chest cavity / lungs; 4 helped by sternocleidomastoid / scalenes / pectoralis minor; expiration: 5 pull ribcage quickly / powerfully downwards; 6 helped by internal intercostal muscles / rectus abdominus / abdominals;	3

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Question	Answer	Marks
1(f)(ii)	4 marks for any 4 of:	4
	1 cardiac hypertrophy;	
	2 bradycardia;3 less oxygen used by heart – more available to muscles;	
	4 increased capillary density / more capillaries at alveoli and / or muscle;	
	5 increased blood flow to lungs / greater pulmonary diffusion gradient;	
	6 increased number / size / density of mitochondria;	
	7 increased myoglobin content;	
	8 increased oxidative enzyme activity;	
	9 increased glycogen / triglyceride stores;	
	10 increased maximal minute ventilation;	
	11 increased arterio-venous oxygen difference / VO ₂ max.;	
	12 increased blood volume / more red blood cells / erythrocytes / haemoglobin;	
	13 delayed lactate threshold / OBLA;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
Section B		
2(a)	4 marks for:	4
	 Max. 3 marks if no examples. open – affected by the environment / needs adapting / closed-loop control / many decisions, e.g. pass in football / netball / basketball / tennis stroke; serial – skill made up of two or more discrete elements / sub-routines readily separated / separate skills involved in whole movement, e.g. a triple jump / a gymnastics routine; complex – many stimuli / lots of information to process / many decisions to make / more feedback / skill with more or many subroutines, e.g. basketball dribble / tennis serve / receiving / delivering a pass in a game; high organisation – sub-routines difficult to separate from whole movement / practised as part of whole movement / large amounts of information to be processed / many decisions to be made quickly, e.g. pole vault / complex gymnastic moves / diving / trampolining skill / discus / hammer throw; 	
2(b)(i)	mark for: innate / born with / heredity / genetic predisposition to certain activities / skills / tasks;	1
2(b)(ii)	2 marks for: 1 (gross motor ability) strength / speed / stamina / agility / power / eq;	2
	2 (psychomotor ability) balance / hand-eye co-ordination / spatial awareness / reaction time / eq.;	
2(c)	4 marks for 4 of:	4
	(sub-max. 1 mark) 1 example, high jump made-up of run-up, take-off, flight and landing / eq.;	
	 (sub-max. 3 marks) 2 series of sub-routines / set of neural commands; 3 completed in the correct sequence / order; 4 stored in long-term memory; 5 run from short-term memory; 6 effector mechanism / nervous system transfers EMP to muscles; 	
	7 well learnt sub-routines become sub-conscious / relegated for new skill to be developed;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
2(d)	 6 marks for any 6 of: 1 information stored in long-term memory; 2 generalised series of motor programmes; 3 recall schema; 4 errors in practice are used to learn what not to do; 5 coach manipulates environment so learner experiences variety of situations / varied practice; 6 initial conditions – learner takes into account the environment; 7 response specifications – learner decides what to do / how to perform skill; 8 recognition schema controls the movement; 9 sensory consequences – kinaesthetic / intrinsic feedback / feelings – to judge whether to modify movement / check whether it feels right; 10 response outcomes – use knowledge of results to check whether outcome is effective; 	9
2(e)	6 marks for 6 of: (sub-max. 2 marks) 1 perceptual mechanisms – interprets / judges / identifies information; 2 perceptual mechanisms involves DCR process; 3 selective attention occurs; (sub-max. 2 marks) 4 translatory mechanisms (decision-making) – chooses / decides action to take; 5 translatory mechanisms (decision-making) – involves STM / LTM; (sub-max. 2 marks) 6 effector mechanisms – selects motor programme; 7 effector mechanisms – stored in LTM / run via STM; 8 effector mechanisms – programs response / relays decisions to muscular system;	6
2(f)(i)	3 marks for any 3 of: 1 identify errors; 2 correct / improve / adapt; 3 motivate / encourage / confidence; 4 reinforce effective movements / ensure repetition; 5 control stress / arousal / anxiety; 6 set goals for improvement;	3

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Question	Answer	Marks
2(f)(ii)	4 marks for:	4
	Max. 2 marks without examples.	
	1 knowledge of performance: getting (intrinsic / extrinsic) feedback about an action / movement;	
	 e.g. tennis serve technique OR getting information about whether a strategy worked in basketball; 	
	3 knowledge of results: getting feedback from official / coach / crowd about outcome;	
	4 e.g. points awarded for floor routine OR points scored in basketball;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
Section C		
3(a)(i)	4 marks for 4 of:	4
	 (sub-max. 2 marks for active leisure:) 1 activity done in free time / time away from obligations; 2 for fitness / health benefits; 3 taking part in outdoor activity as a life-time activity; (sub-max. 2 marks for adventure and risk:) 4 outside of comfort zone / unpredictability of natural environment / feelings of challenge / fear of unknown; 5 presence of danger / hazards / perceived or real; 6 beginner – avoid (perceived) risk by careful planning / safety codes / equipment / risk assessments / subjective danger; 7 expert – more risk / objective danger / takes on real risk; 	
3(a)(ii)	4 marks for any 4 of:	4
	 adapted equipment / facilities / developments in technology / inventions; equal opportunities / legislation / inclusion / social acceptance; increased funding; organisations / agencies / campaigns to help disabled; more specialised coaches / helpers / support for disabled; more disabled role models / media coverage of disabled performers; increased understanding / awareness of benefits of activity for the disabled; greater understanding of capabilities of the disabled; 	
3(b)(i)	2 marks for any 2 of:	2
	 refers to performers who have reached excellence; this relates to national and international standards; top of the performance pyramid / few achieve this level; mostly professional / includes able-bodied or disabled; 	
3(b)(ii)	5 marks for any 5 of:	5
	 talent-identification programme / talent spotting / regional scouts; attract funding / sponsorship / media income / TV deals / athlete personal award; high-quality facilities / centres of excellence; support, e.g. sport science / medical / psychological support / physiotherapy / nutritional advice / biomechanics; structured levels of competition; coaching structure / high-quality coaching; structured progression route / development squads / training camps; co-ordinated approach from sporting authorities / whole sport plans; holistic approach / education and career support / athlete career education; 	

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Question	Answer	Marks
3(c)	6 marks for any 6 of: 1 raise awareness through advertising / publicity / development officers / taster / promotional days; 2 reduce costs for use / make affordable / accessible; 3 develop existing / build facilities in inner city / deprived / rural areas; 4 use sport ambassadors / personalities / role models; 5 more scouts / coaches; 6 focus / target groups; 7 award schemes / extrinsic motivation; 8 modified / adapted sports; 9 improve links within schools / school-club links; 10 follow government guidelines, e.g. best value / equity policies; 11 change attitudes (prejudice / discrimination etc.) within the sport; 12 change structural barriers, e.g. membership restrictions / more clubs / leagues;	9
3(d)(i)	5 marks for any 5 of: 1 importance of occasion / match / need to win / win-at-all-costs attitude; 2 media hype / local derby / importance of game; 3 incitement by crowds / opposition / retaliation / coach; 4 referee's decisions; 5 over-arousal of players / use of drugs / high adrenaline / stress; 6 frustration / losing / unable to play well; 7 type of activity – physical contact makes violence more prevalent; 8 use of weapons / cues – (ice) hockey sticks; 9 dehumanisation of players – helmets;	5
3(d)(ii)	 4 marks for any 4 of: campaigns to promote sportsmanship / fair play awards / educate; better officiating / citing after game / use of technology to help officials / fourth official; rules changed to promote fair play / no tackling from behind / late / high tackles; (on the field) penalties / sin bins / bookings; (off the field) fines / bans; punish the club – deduct points / matches behind closed doors; positive role models / name and shame bad role models; codes of conduct for players / spectators; drug testing; encourage respect for officials / captains only allowed to question decisions; 	4

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