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GCSE

174/02

HOME ECONOMICS
(TEXTILES)
PAPER 2
Higher Tier

A.M. TUESDAY, 17 June 2008 $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours

Examiner only

TOTAL	
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ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Coloured pens/pencils.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer all questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Where the space is not sufficient for your answer, continue the answer at the back of the book, taking care to number the continuation correctly.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

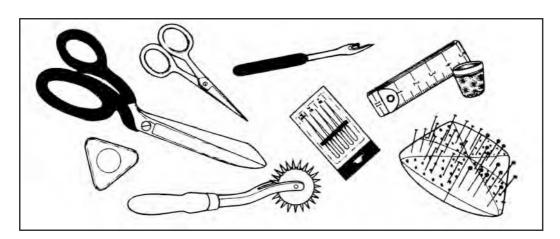
The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

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Answer all questions.

1. A selection of equipment is needed when working with textiles.

Study the textile equipment.



(a)	(i)				
	(ii)				
	(iii)				
(b)	Explain the difference between a <i>sharps</i> and a <i>betweens</i> needle.	[1]			
(c)	When might a <i>ball point</i> needle be used?	[1]			

(174-02) **Turn over.**

2. Study the advertisement shown below and answer the questions.

New from Hophouse Ltd.



Quilts for all seasons from £19.99, now with free pillows

Our quality hollow fibre quilts have been especially designed for all year round use.

They comprise of two quilts with popper fastening that can be used together for the winter or separately for spring, summer and autumn.

The total tog value is 13.5. For spring and autumn 9 tog, and for summer 4.5 tog.

The quilts are covered in 50% polyester / 50% cotton and conform to BS (5335).

Our pillows are covered in cotton and have a hollow fibre filling.

They are excellent value for money:

One single quilt (137 x 198cms) with one free pillow only £19.99

One double quilt (198 x 198cms) with two free pillows only £29.99

One kingsize quilt (223 x 218cms) with two free pillows only £39.99

If you are not satisfied, return within 7 days for a full refund. All prices include postage and packing.

I wish to pay by Visa/Mastercard Card No:	
I enclose a crossed cheque for the value of £	

(a)	(i)	State the fibre used to fill the pillows.	[1]
	(ii)	Explain the advantages of using this fibre for filling pillows.	[2]
(b)		advertisement includes information about quilts.	
	Give	the meaning of each of the following: tog value;	[3]
	(ii)	BS mark;	
	(iii)	all year round use.	
(c)	Disc	uss the reasons why quilts are a popular choice for bedding.	[3]

3. Most young children wear a uniform to school.



	gest a suitable fabric, with reasons for your choice, for each of the following:	[4]
(i)	trousers / skirt;	
(ii)	shirt / blouse.	
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Expl	ain why school wear is sometimes treated with Teflon ®.	[1]

(b)

(c)	Discuss why many schools continue to have a uniform.	[4]
(d)	Children are fashion conscious from a young age. Discuss the factors that influence children in the clothes they like to wear.	[4]

4. *(a)* [4]

Design an item of holiday wear.
The item is to be decorated with a combination of **three** creative **sewing** techniques.
Annotate your design.

step instructions, show how you would complete

(c)	Evaluate how items.	the use of CA	AD/CAM has	influenced th	he design a	nd production	of textile [3]

5. Many fashion designers also produce ranges for the home.



(a) Discuss the factors that influence interior design.	[6]

(b)	In order to enhance their functional qualities, textile items for the home often require special finishes.		
	Discuss the special finishes available. [4]		
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Eithe	r,	
(a)	Wool is a fibre with unique properties.	
	(i) Discuss the unique properties of wool	
	and	
	(ii) evaluate the use of wool in today's society.	[10]
Or,		
<i>(b)</i>	The clothes we wear can be influenced by the environment, culture and religious bedieves this statement.	peliefs. [10]
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