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You will need: Preparation sheets

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **one** question. You will be told which question to answer.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number on all the work you hand in.
- See page 2 for full instructions.
- You have **1 hour 30 minutes** for planning.
- You have **2 hours 30 minutes** for the practical test.
- You may use a calculator.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 100.
- All questions are worth equal marks.

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Planning Session: 1 hour 30 minutes

Write your **name**, **candidate number** and the **number of the test** assigned to you on your three preparation sheets.

1 Complete your preparation sheets as follows. The amounts you cook should be sufficient for two or three people. You may use recipe books.

(i) Write the names of the dishes you decide to make on the **Choices and Recipes** preparation sheet. Show clearly which dishes you have chosen to make for each part of the test. Do **not** copy out the test.

Give the quantities of **all** the ingredients required next to each of the dishes you have chosen. A full recipe is **not** necessary.

You are advised to choose dishes which are nutritionally balanced and need skill to make.

(ii) Complete the **Time Plan** to show:

- a clear sequence of work, including adequate timings
- the methods for each dish
- the oven temperature and cooking time for each dish
- the time you have allowed for cleaning and dish-washing
- the time you have allowed for serving.

(iii) Complete the **Shopping List** to show the total quantities of the ingredients required.

2 At the end of the planning session, give your question paper, preparation sheets and any notes you have made to the Supervisor. You may **not** take these away from the planning session. You may **not** bring any additional notes to the practical test.

3 At the beginning of the practical test, you will be given back your question paper, preparation sheets and any notes you made during the planning session.

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Practical Test: 2 hours 30 minutes

For the purposes of the Practical Test, a **balanced** main meal must consist of:

TWO skilful dishes plus a minimum of **TWO** suitable accompaniments.

1 **(a)** Prepare, cook and serve a **balanced** main meal for two vegetarians.

(b) Make a dish using flaky pastry **and** make a batch of scones.

2 Prepare, cook and serve **five** skilful dishes, each illustrating a **different** named culture.

3 **(a)** Prepare, cook and serve a **balanced** main meal for two teenage girls.

(b) Make a dish using an oily fish **and** make a batch of small cakes.

4 **(a)** Prepare, cook and serve **three** skilful dishes for manual workers to take as a packed meal. The dishes must be suitable for eating cold.

(b) Make a cake using the creaming method **and** make a batch of biscuits.

5 **(a)** Prepare, cook and serve **three** skilful savoury dishes high in dietary fibre / non-starch polysaccharide (NSP).

(b) Make a dish using a coating batter **and** make a cake using the whisking method.

6 **(a)** Prepare, cook and serve a **balanced** main meal for two 8-year-old friends.

(b) Make one cold savoury dish **and** one cold sweet dish for the two 8-year-old friends to take on a picnic the next day.

7 **(a)** Prepare, cook and serve **three** skilful dishes, each showing the use of a different cooking method from the following list:

baking, deep-fat frying, grilling, stewing.

(b) Make a dish using a roux sauce **and** make a batch of scones.

8 Prepare, cook and serve **five** skilful dishes, each showing the use of a different main ingredient from the following list:

chicken, cocoa, fish, green leafy vegetable, milk, wholemeal flour, yeast.

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