

#### 4.7.2 Home Science Paper 2 (441/2)

##### GIRL'S SKIRT

A pattern of a girl's skirt is provided. You are advised to study the sketches, instructions and layout carefully before you begin the test.

##### MATERIALS PROVIDED

1. Pattern Pieces
  - A. Skirt back
  - B. Upper skirt front
  - C. Lower skirt front
  - D. Waistband
  - E. Pocket
2. Plain lightweight cotton fabric 60 cm long and 90 cm wide.
3. Sewing thread to match the fabric.
4. One large envelope.

##### THE TEST

Using the materials provided, lay, cut and make the **LEFT HALF** of the **SKIRT** to show the following processes:

- (a) Cutting out. (12 marks)
- (b) Making the dart at the back skirt. (6½ marks)
- (c) Preparing and attaching the pocket on the upper skirt front. **(Do not turn the lower seam allowance of the pocket. Stitch pocket sides only.)** (9 marks)
- (d) Preparing knife pleats on the lower skirt front. (12 marks)
- (e) Joining the upper skirt front to the lower skirt front using an overlaid seam. Neaten one third of the overlaid seam using loop stitches. (12 marks)
- (f) Making the skirt side seam using an open seam. (12 marks)
- (g) Preparing and attaching the waistband. **(Do not trim the seam allowance.)** Top stitch the waistband edge. Hold the waistband in place using tacking stitches and finish half of the back piece using hemming stitches. **(Do not remove the tacking stitches.)** (20 marks)

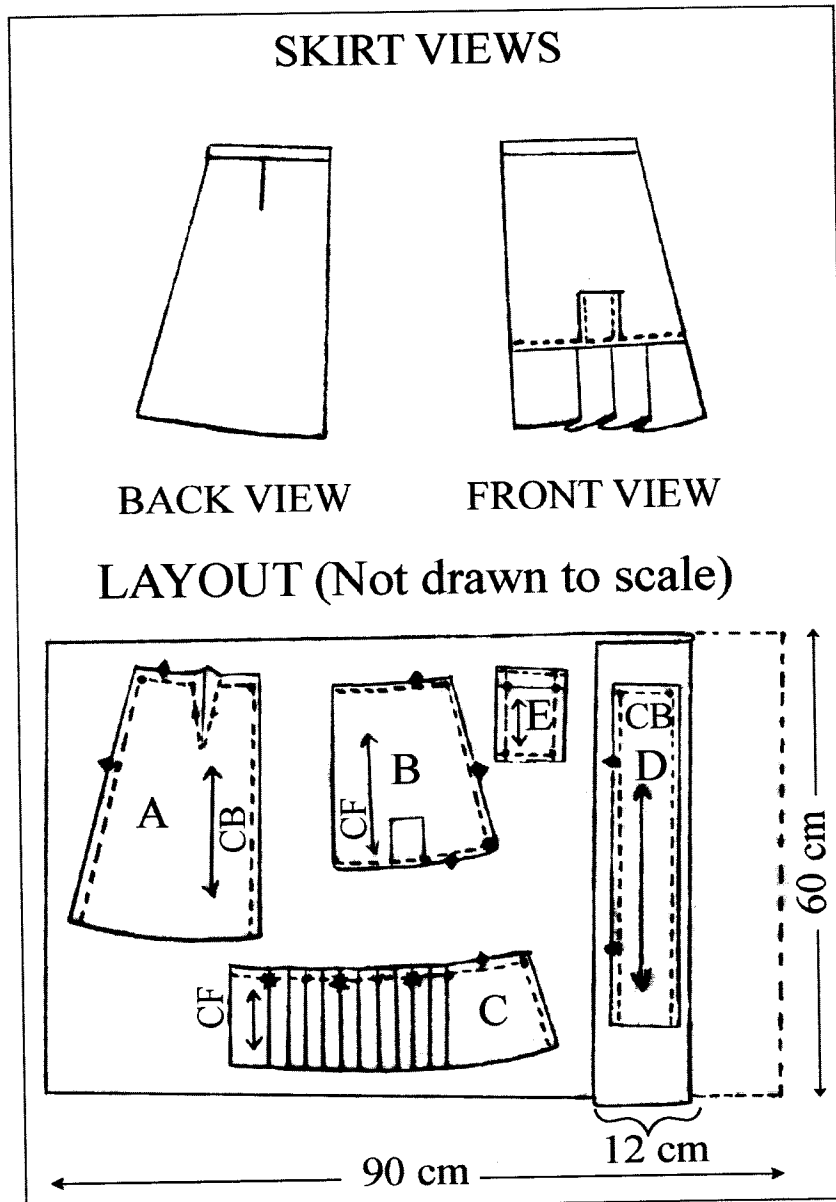
(h) OMIT  
The management of the skirt hem.

(i) Overall presentation.

(6½ marks)

At the end of the examination, firmly sew onto your work, on a single fabric, a label bearing your name and index number. Remove the needle, pins and loose threads from your work. Fold your work neatly and place it in the envelope provided.

**Do not put scraps of fabric in the envelope. Do not seal the envelope.**



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