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**HOME SCIENCE**

**CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION**

**PAPER 2**

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**Time: 2 ½ hours**

***This paper consists of 3 printed pages Candidates should check the question paper to ensure that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.***

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

**MATERIALS PROVIDED**

1. Pattern pieces

A - FRONT BODICE

B - BACK BODICE

C - SLEEVE

D - COLLAR

E - SCALLOPED FRILL

F - POCKET

G - SLEEVE BINDING

2. Plain light weight cotton fabric 55 cm by 90 cm.

3. Sewing thread to match the fabric.

4. Button

4. 1 large envelope.

**THE TEST**

Using the materials provided, cut out and make up the **RIGHT HALF** of the girl’s blouse to show the following.

1. Cutting out. (16mks)

2. Making of the shoulder dart on the sleeve (5mks)

3. Preparation and attachment of the pocket (101/2mks)

4. Making the underarm seam and side seam using open seam. (51/2mks)

5. The joining of the front bodice to the sleeve using French seam (6mks)

6. Joining the back bodice to the sleeve using plain seam. Do not trim, do not neaten.

(51/2mks)

7. a) Preparation of gathers at the lower edge of the sleeve. (2mks)

b) Managing the lower edge of the sleeve by binding (41/2mks)

8. Preparation and attachment of the collar using self-neatening method. Finish the using hemming stitches. (10mks)

9. Attaching of the scalloped frill to the lower edge of the blouse using overlaid seam.

(9mks)

10. Making the buttonhole at the collar. (61/2mks)

11. Fixing the button to be used together with the buttonhole at the collar (31/2mks)

12. Presentation. (6mks)

**NOTE:**

At the end of the test, firmly sew on to your work on a single fabric a label bearing your name, class and admission number. Remove needles and pins from work. Then fold your work carefully and place it in the envelope. DO NOT PUT SCRAPS OF MATERIALS IN THE ENVELOPE.

