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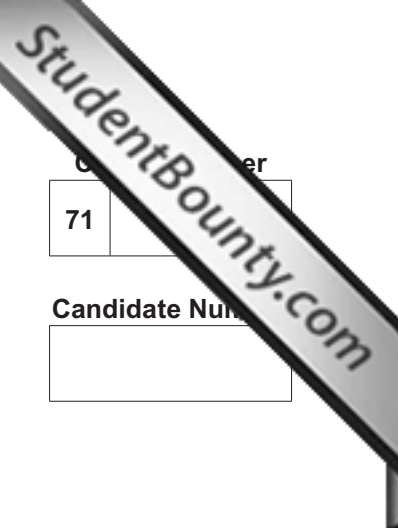
Home Economics (Child Development)

Unit 1

Parenthood, Pregnancy and Childbirth

[GHC11]

WEDNESDAY 5 JUNE, MORNING



TIME

1 hour.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this question paper.

Answer **all six** questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 60.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in questions **5** and **6**.

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| Question Number | Marks |
| 1 | |
| 2 | |
| 3 | |
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| 6 | |
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(d) Emma is considering a home birth for her third baby.
Explain **two** disadvantages of this option.

1. _____

2. _____

_____ [4]

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4 (a) Explain **one** reason why a child may be adopted.

 [2]

(b) Explain why the following are carried out at an ante-natal appointment:

(i) Blood test

 [2]

(ii) Check on mother's weight

 [2]

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(c) Write down and explain the role of **two** hormones during pregnancy and birth.

| Name of hormone | Explanation |
|------------------------------|---|
| <p>(i)</p> <p>_____ [1]</p> | <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____ [2]</p> |
| <p>(ii)</p> <p>_____ [1]</p> | <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____ [2]</p> |

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