

Annual Examinations for Middle Schools 2024

YEAR 7	ETHICS	MARKING SCHEME
1.		
b		(2)
d		(2)
e		(2)
c		(2)
a		(2)
		(10 marks)
2.		
Scenario A (ii)		(3)
Scenario B (ii)		(3)
Scenario C (i)		(3)
Scenario D (iii)		(3)
		(12 marks)
3.		
a. i.	Digital citizenship refers to the responsible and ethical use of technology, including respecting the privacy of others and being safe online.	(2)
b.	Alex asked for Sarah's help since the email asked for his personal information, including his password, and he wasn't sure if it was legitimate.	(3)
c.	I would recommend that he double-check the email's legitimacy by going directly to the social media platform's official website and contacting their support team. This is to make sure that it is legitimate before sharing any personal information.	
	<i>Award marks for any other appropriate answers.</i>	(3)
d.	<i>Two of the following or any other appropriate answer:</i> Identity theft, privacy invasion, scams and viruses.	(2,2)
e. i.	A responsible digital citizen respects the privacy of others online. This means not sharing or spreading personal information, photos, or messages about someone without their permission.	(4)
	ii. Responsible digital citizens take steps to protect their own online security and	

the security of others. This includes using strong, unique passwords for accounts, enabling two-factor authentication where possible, avoiding suspicious links and downloads, and being cautious about sharing personal information online.

Award marks for any other appropriate answers.

(4)

(20 marks)

4.

- a. i. food (1)
- ii. water (1)
- iii. shelter (1)

Award marks for any other appropriate answers.

- b. Poverty means not having enough money or resources to afford basic things that are necessary for a decent and comfortable life.

Award marks for any other appropriate answers.

(2)

- c. They have to work to support their poor families. (3)

- d. i. The right to play (2)
- ii. The right to education (2)

- e. The right to education: When children receive a good education, they have a better chance of getting good jobs and improving their economic situation, which can also benefit their families, breaking the cycle of poverty.

Or

The right to play is important for children because it promotes their physical, cognitive, social, and emotional development, allowing them to learn essential life skills and enjoy their childhood.

Award marks for any other appropriate answers.

(4)

- f. A lack of access to water and electricity can be a challenge for people living in poverty because it could lead to an increased risk of illnesses and health conditions. When individuals cannot access water for drinking and electricity for cooking, it could lead to more severe health problems, and increased suffering. Additionally, untreated health issues can result in lost productivity, further perpetuating the cycle of poverty for individuals and their communities.

Award marks for any other appropriate answers.

(6)

- g. It is important for governments to address extreme poverty and ensure basic human rights and needs are met because it promotes social stability, economic development, and human dignity. When people's fundamental needs are met, they can lead healthier, more productive lives, contributing to the overall well-being of society. Addressing extreme poverty is essential for reducing inequality and fostering a more equitable and prosperous world for all.

Award marks for any other appropriate answers.

(6)

(28 marks)

5.

	Criteria	Marks
Knowledge	Demonstrates an understanding of the concept of sustainable consumption. Explains the importance of sustainable consumption in simple terms.	7
Comprehension	Identifies and describes examples of eco-friendly choices in daily life such as plant-based diets, sustainable agriculture, fair trade, recycling and reducing waste.	7
Application	Provides practical examples of how students can make eco-friendly choices. Suggests actions and behaviors that can contribute to sustainable consumption. Relates eco-friendly choices to real-world environmental problems and solutions.	8
Analysis	Evaluates the potential positive and negative consequences of eco-friendly choices. Identifies and discusses the role of individuals and communities in making a difference.	8

(30 marks)