Guidance on the use of past paper questions for National 5 Health and Food Technology

The new Courses at National 5 draw on the strengths of popular areas of study from Standard Grade and Intermediate 2 with the introduction of some new content. The purpose of this support document is to help centres and departments to identify suitable past paper questions/items that could be used, or possibly amended, to support learners in their preparation for sitting question papers (exams) as part of the National 5 Course assessment. The advice in this document reflects questions selected from 2011 to 2013 past papers. (If you click on the highlighted links in the columns below, this will take you to the relevant past paper.)

When utilising any past paper questions, you need to take into account the following:

- You must select questions that provide the learners with the same level of challenge as those in the National 5 Specimen Question Paper.
- You may be able to use questions as published or with amendments as suggested in the columns below for Standard Grade and Intermediate 2.
- You must use questions that adhere to the National 5 General Marking Principles and reflect the form of detailed Marking Instructions as published in the National 5 Specimen Question Paper.

If any change to a Standard Grade/Intermediate 2 question is necessary, you must ensure that:

- The style and structure matches the Specimen Question Paper for National 5.
- Marking of the learner's response to the question adheres to the General Marking Principles in the National 5 Specimen Question Paper
- Marking Instructions are amended to reflect the style of the National 5 detailed Marking Instructions.

The details below for National 5 should be read in conjunction with the relevant:

Mandatory documentation:

- Course Specification
- Unit Specifications
- Course Assessment Specification

Advice and guidance:

- Course and Unit Support Notes

Assessment:

- Question Paper Component:
  - — general assessment information
  - — general marking principles and detailed marking instructions

Related Information as provided in the relevant N3-N5 Course Comparison Document.

Key for the section below:

C — amend context as required
S — amend source as required
St — amend question style
Str — amend structure of the question

Not all topic/areas of study will appear every year due to the sampling techniques used in producing question papers.

Information from the Course Assessment Specification Each Section of the question paper will be made up of restricted/extended response questions. Questions will **sample** the knowledge and understanding and apply skills described in the **Further mandatory information on Course coverage section.**	**The columns below identify additional support questions from Standard Grade and Intermediate 2 Past Papers 2011 to 2013.**			
	Standard Grade Credit Home Economics		**Intermediate 2** Home Economics	
	Use question as published	Amend question style/structure	Use question as published	Amend question style/structure
The relationship between health, food and nutrition				
Nutrients: functions, food sources and effects on health	2013 Q2b 2013 Q2c 2011 Q2c		2013 Q1a i & ii 2012 Q1a I & ii 2011 Q1a 2011 Q1b	
Dietary needs of individuals	2013 Q2a 2012 Q3a 2011 Q2a 2011 Q2d		2013 Q1d 2012 Q1c 2011 Q1e	
Current dietary advice	2012 Q3b 2011 Q3b		2013 Q5a 2012 Q5a 2011 Q5a	
Diet-related diseases	2011 Q2c		2013 Q1b 2012 Q1b 2011 Q1d	
Balanced diet				

The food product development process				
Stages in the food product development process			2013 Q3a 2013 Q3e 2013 Q4c 2013 Q4d 2012 Q2a 2012 Q2b 2012 Q3d 2012 Q4b	2012 Q4d – Str 2011 Q2c - Str
Functional properties of ingredients				2013 Q3d – Str 2012 Q4e - Str 2012 Q4f - Str
Food hygiene and safety	2013 Q3c 2012 Q2c 2011 Q4c		2012 Q4c 2011 Q2b 2011 Q3d 2011 Q5c	2013 Q2d - Str
Current consumer issues and how to make informed consumer decisions				
Factors affecting consumer food choice	2012 Q4b	2012 Q4a (i, ii & iii) -Str	2013 Q2a 2013 Q3b 2013 Q5c 2013 Q4a 2012 Q3d 2012 Q4a 2012 Q5c 2011 Q2a 2011 Q2d 2011 Q3c	2012 Q3c – Str 2011 Q4c - Str

Technological developments in food production				
Packaging and labelling	2012 Q2b 2012 Q2d 2012 Q2e	2011 Q4b - Str	2012 Q2c 2011 Q2e	2013 Q4b - Str
Consumer organisations	2013 Q1d 2012 Q2d		2013 Q5c	

Resources

SQA past papers www.sqa.org.uk/pastpapers/findpastpaper.htm	Additional National 5 assessment support material is available here: Education Scotland www.educationscotland.gov.uk/ Glow www.educationscotland.gov.uk/usingglowandict/ Glow Log-in https://secure.glowscotland.org.uk/login/login.htm