



GOVERNMENT OF SAMOA

STUDENT EDUCATION NUMBER									

Samoa National Junior Secondary Certificate

DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

2023

QUESTION and ANSWER BOOKLET

Time allowed: 3 Hours & 10 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS

1. You have 10 minutes to read **before** you start the exam.
2. Write your **Student Education Number (SEN)** in the space provided on the top right-hand corner of this page.
3. **Answer ALL QUESTIONS.** Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet.
4. If you need more paper to write your answers, ask the Supervisor. Write your SEN on all extra sheets used and clearly number the questions. Attach the extra sheets to the appropriate places in this booklet.

STRANDS		Pages	Time (min)	Weighting
STRAND 1	DESIGN PROCESS	2 – 5	40	25
STRAND 2	DRAWING	6 – 7	30	15
STRAND 3	TOOLS	8 – 9	30	15
STRAND 4	MATERIALS	10 – 11	30	15
STRAND 5	PROCESS	12 – 15	40	25
STRAND 6	TECHNOLOGY	16	10	5
TOTAL			180	100

Check that this booklet contains pages 2 - 17 in the correct order and that none of these pages are blank.

HAND THIS BOOKLET TO THE SUPERVISOR AT THE END OF THE EXAMINATION.

1. Name **ONE** stage in the Design Brief.

SL 1

2. What is a Specification?

SL 1

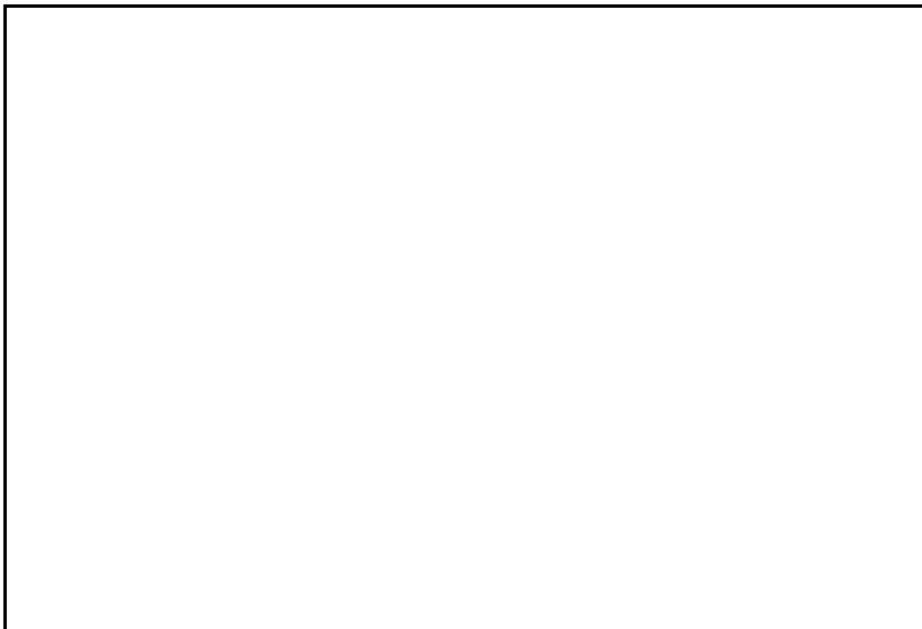
3. Name **TWO** stages in the Design Process.

A. _____

B. _____

SL 1

4. Draw **THREE** different designs for a coffee table.



SL 2

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SL 2

5. List **TWO** types of Design Brief you studied this year.

A. _____

B. _____

SL 2

6. Explain the purpose of specifications in a project building.

SL 3

7. Explain the main focus of project sketching.

SL 3

8. Provide **THREE** specifications for your independent project at school.

A.

B.

C.

SL 4

9. Compile **THREE** sets of criteria when evaluating an independent project.

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

SL 4

10. Define the term **dimension line**.

SL 1

11. Describe an isometric drawing.

SL 2

12. List the **TWO** types of lettering and numbering used in drawing.

A. _____

B. _____

SL 2

13. Explain the purpose of a construction line in a drawing.

SL 3

14. Explain the purpose of a Plan.

SL 3

15. Draw **THREE** sketches for the following type of drawings.

Oblique Drawing
45-degree projection

SL 4

Orthographic Drawing
3rd Angle projection

Isometric Drawing
30-degree projection

16. Define the following tools.



SL 1



SL 1



SL 1

17 List **TWO** power tools that replace the usage of a hand saw and coping.

A. _____

B. _____

SL 2

18. Explain the main purpose of power tools.

SL 3

19. Describe specific personal protective equipment when cutting timber using a power tool.

SL 3

20. Differentiate between the maintenance and storing of tools.

SL 4

21. Name the **THREE** main parts of a tree growth.

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

SL 1

22. Name a defect **on** timber caused by tree branches.

SL 1

23. Describe the appearance of an overseas timber.

SL 2

24. List **TWO** sizes of timber materials you worked with or studied at school.

A. _____

B. _____

SL 2

25. Explain why timber is treated.

SL 3

26. Clarify how timber is graded.

SL 3

27. Describe **TWO** qualities of a local timber.

SL 3

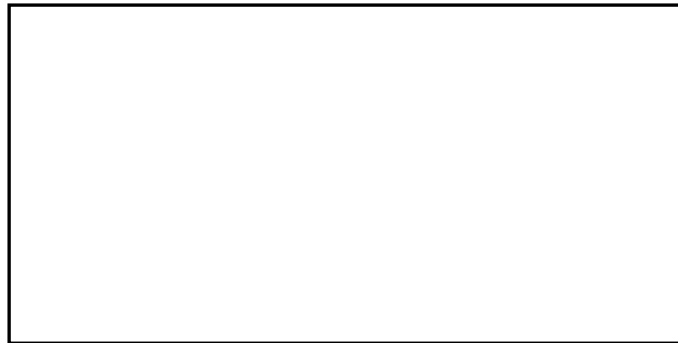
28. Sketch the following types of joints.

A. Butt Joint



SL 1

B. Mitre Joint



SL 1

C. Dovetail Joint



SL 1

29. Describe the easiest way to check for squaring.

SL 2

30. Explain **TWO** ways to remove the roughness on timber.

SL 3

31. List **TWO** ways you can use to remove any hammer marks on a timber.

A.

B.

SL 2

32. Describe why we have to measure twice before we cut a timber.

SL 2

33. Identify and describe **ONE** way (method/material) that can be used to fasten timber.

SL 2

34. Convert the following measurements into metric or imperial measurements.

A. Convert inches and feet into millimetres.

$$2'' \times 6'' \times 20' = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ mm}$$

B. Convert millimetres into inches.

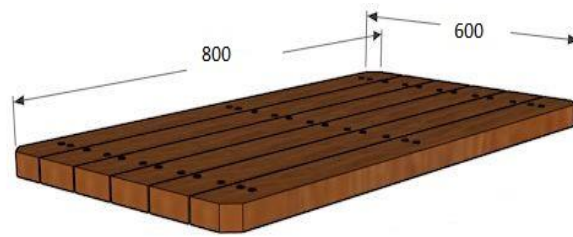
$$100\text{mm} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ inches}$$

C. Convert Feet into millimetres.

$$2' = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ mm}$$

SL 4

35. The measurements for a tabletop are 50mm x 600mm x 800mm in length (thickness x width x length) and the client wants to use timber for the build. Create a cutting list for the above information. Note that each timber on the table is 100mm in width.



Aspects	Quantity	Thickness	Width	Length	Total linear meters

SL 3

36. The total cost for a 50mm x 100mm x 1000mm is \$25. Calculate the total cost of materials spent on the tabletop mentioned in Question 35.

SL 4

37. List **TWO** technologies that you have used to make your work easier in the workshop.

A. _____

B. _____

SL 2

38. Explain the advantage of technologies to our everyday work.

SL 3

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