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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

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1. This paper consists of **TWO** sections: **A** and **B**.2. Answer **ALL** questions in section **A** and **ANY** **THREE** section **B**.

3. Marks for each question are indicated in the brackets.

4. Candidates are provided with a separate answer booklet

5. Do not write on the question paper.

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this paper consists of THREE (3) printed pages

**Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages
are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.**

SECTION A (40 MARKS)*Attempt ALL the questions in this section*

1. Proper salon waste promotes hygiene and environmental protection. List TWO categories of waste that require separate handling in the salon. (2 Marks)
2. Judy has requested a roller-setting and styling service. Identify FOUR tools required to set and style her hair effectively. (4 Marks)
3. After setting and styling hair, finishing aids enhance and complete the look. State the use of each of the following finishing products:
 - i. Oil sheen spray
 - ii. Holding spray
 - iii. Curl activator gel
 - iv. Dressing pomade or hair food(4 Marks)
4. Before performing setting and styling services, outline FOUR considerations a stylist should make to determine the most suitable approach for each client. (4 Marks)
5. Alice plans to open a salon business and wants to comply with national laws. Mention FOUR legal requirements she must meet before starting operations. (3 Marks)
6. Effective marketing helps attract and retain customers. Give FOUR methods a stylist can use to promote salon services to the public. (4 Marks)
7. A safe workplace prevents injuries and ensures List FOUR measures that reduce the risk of accidents in the salon. (4 Marks)
8. Cross-infection can occur if salon hygiene is neglected. Identify FIVE practices that prevent infectious scalp conditions among clients. (5 Marks)
9. Conditioning improves the feel and manageability of hair. Describe THREE effects of conditioners on the hair after use. (3 Marks)
10. Client consultation and analysis guide the stylist's decisions. State THREE reasons why this step is essential in styling services. (3 Marks)
11. Hair varies in texture, length, and density among individuals. Name FOUR functions of hair on the human body. (4 Marks)

SECTION B (60 MARKS)***Attempt Any THREE Questions in This Section***

12. Rose is dissatisfied roller-setting results and fears poor roller placement has affected the outcome.

- Describe FIVE common faults that may occur during roller setting. (10 Marks)
- Assess FIVE guidelines that a stylist should follow to achieve neat, balanced, and lasting roller-set styles. (10 Marks)

13. Hassan, a professional hairdresser, prioritises health and safety standards in his workplace.

- Explain FIVE personal protective equipment items that Hassan should use during hair-setting and styling operations. (10 Marks)
- List SIX fire-control measures that can be applied in the event of a fire in the salon. (6 Marks)
- Differentiate between the following hair-setting methods:

- Brick setting

- Directional setting

14. Mary has completed a client's roller-set, but the client requests additional thermal-iron styling.

- Discuss FIVE precautions Mary should observe when using thermal irons to style hair safely. (10 Marks)
- Describe workstation-clearing procedures that Mary must follow after completing roller setting. (5 Marks)
- Provide FIVE after-care recommendations for hair setting and styling. (5 Marks)

15. Human hair has a similar structure across individuals but differs in health and appearance.

- Evaluate FIVE features that indicate healthy, well-maintained hair. (10 Marks)
- Outline the stages of human hair growth, describing the main changes in each phase. (10 Marks)