

JUNIOR CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, 2006

BUSINESS STUDIES – HIGHER LEVEL

**PAPER I
SECTION A
(80 marks)**

MARKING SCHEME

1.	4 marks	11.	4 marks
2.	4 marks	12.	4 marks
3.	4 marks	13.	4 marks
4.	4 marks	14.	4 marks
5.	4 marks	15.	4 marks
6.	4 marks	16.	4 marks
7.	4 marks	17.	4 marks
8.	4 marks	18.	4 marks
9.	4 marks	19.	4 marks
10.	4 marks	20.	4 marks

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- **All questions carry equal marks (40 marks)**

- (A) Estimate: 15 figures @ 1 mark each 15 marks
- Total: 15 figures @ 1 mark each 15 marks
- Excluding totals of income, expenditure, all sub-totals and decorating.
[*Net Cash 4,301, 2,026]
[*Closing Cash 2,186] (30)
- (B) (i) Dividends
- (ii) Expected Closing Cash (2,115)
- (iii) **Two** major reasons
- (iv) **One** method (10)
- (40 marks)**

2. Club Account and Information Technology Question

(A) (i) Trading Account

Title & Date	1 mark
Figures & details 6 @ 1 mark each	6 marks
Correct Gross Profit figure (8080)	2 marks

(ii) Income & Expenditure Account

Title & Date	1 mark
4 calculations @ 2 mark each (Adjustments and depreciation)	8 marks
6 other figures with details @ 1 m each	6 marks
Correct figure (14025) and word (surplus)	4 marks

(28)

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| (B) | (i) | Officer (Treasurer) | 2 marks |
| | (ii) | One suitable software program | 2 marks |
| | (iii) | Two suitable sources of finance | 8 marks |

(12)

(40 marks)

3. Factors of Production, Economic Growth and Trade Question

(A) **Four** factors of production with relevant reward/payment (8)

(B) **(i)** Economic growth

(ii) **One** advantage of economic growth

(iii) Economic growth – calculation with workings (6.25%) (10)

(C) **(i)** Visible and Invisible imports with **one** example of each

(ii) **(a)** Balance of Trade and Payments – calculations with workings

(b) Type of balance (BoT Surplus, 140 – BoP Surplus, 500)

(iii) **(a)** Import substitution

(b) **One** effect of import substitution on Balance of Trade

(22)

(40 marks)

4. People at Work and Industrial Relations Question

- (A) (i) Title (Shop steward)
Two services shop steward can offer to James
(ii) **Three** possible reasons for dispute with Conlon Ltd.
(iii) **Three** steps to resolve industrial dispute
- (24)

- (B) (i) Commission
(ii) **One** advantage and **one** disadvantage – weekly flat wage plus commission
(iii) Benefit-in-kind and **two** examples
- (16)

(40 marks)

5. Insurance Question

- (A) (i) Claim form – completion
(ii) Compensation (€2500) – calculation
(iii) Compensation and most relevant principle – (Indemnity with explanation)
(iv) **One** other relevant principle of insurance
- (23)

- (B) (i) Premium (€453) – calculation with workings
(ii) Actuary – title of person
(iii) Compensation (€55,000) – calculation with workings and explanation
- (17)

(40 marks)

6. Banking and Borrowing Question

- (A) (i) **Two** factors for consideration
(ii) Tax (Deposit Interest Retention Tax)
(iii) **Two** separate legal requirements
(iv) **Two** other methods of saving
- (18)

- (B) Cheque and counterfoil – completion
- (6)

- (C) (i) Total cost of each option – calculation with workings
Option 1: €8140 Option 2: €6900
(ii) Recommended option with reason
- (16)

(40 marks)

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**PAPER II
(160 Marks)**

- All questions carry equal marks (40 marks)

MARKING SCHEME

Q. 1 Book of First Entry, Ledger and Trial Balance

(A)	<u>General Journal</u>		5 marks
Four correct entries @ 1 mark each	4 marks		
Suitable narration @ 1 mark	<u>1 mark</u>		
(A~D)	<u>Ledgers</u>		16 marks
14 entries in Ledger Accounts @ 1 mark each (excluding totals and balances)	14 marks		
2 accounts balanced @ 1 mark each	<u>2 marks</u>		
(C)	<u>Analysed Cash Book</u>		10 marks
Opening Balance @ 1 mark, Closing Balance @ 1 mark	2 marks		
12 entries @ ½ mark each (excluding totals)	6 marks		
Receipt No. @ 1 mark	1 mark		
Cheque Numbers @ 1 mark	<u>1 mark</u>	<u>2 marks</u>	
(D)	<u>Trial Balance</u>		
9 entries @ ½ mark each			4 ½ marks
(A~D)	<u>Presentation</u>		4 ½ marks
Dates @ 2 marks			
Folios @ 2 marks			
Neatness @ ½ marks			(40 marks)

Q. 2 Credit Sales, Business Document and Bookkeeping

(A) (i) Two suitable reasons	4 marks		
(ii) Two suitable methods	<u>8 marks</u>		
			12 marks
(B) (i) Treatment of outgoing Statements	4 marks		
(ii) Statement No. 91	10 marks		
Correct Name and Address			
Correct Date			
3 correct (debit and credit) entries			
Correct Opening and Closing (€7,042) balances			
(iii) Purchases Book	7 marks		
Purchases Returns Book	<u>7 marks</u>		28 marks
			(40 marks)

Q. 3 Being an Employer and Wages Calculation

(A) (i) Two suitable rewards	4 marks	
Two suitable risks	4 marks	
(ii) Two rights	4 marks	
Two responsibilities	4 marks	
(iii) Importance of employee records	<u>6 marks</u>	22 marks
(B) (i) 6 correct entries in Wages Book for: Gross Wage, PAYE, PRSI, Total Deductions, Net Wage (€2,530), Employer's PRSI	16 marks	
(ii) Total Cost of wages (€4,032)	<u>2 marks</u>	18 marks
		(40 marks)

Q. 4 Final Accounts and Balance Sheet

(A) <u>Trading, Profit and Loss Appropriation Account</u>		
Headings @ 3 marks	3 marks	
27 figures @ ½ mark each	13½ marks	
2 figures @ 1 mark each	<u>2 marks</u>	18½ marks
<u>Balance Sheet</u>		
Heading	1 mark	
22 figures @ ½ mark each	11 marks	
4 figures @ 1 mark each	4 marks	
Neatness	<u>½ mark</u>	16½ marks
(B) Three long-term sources of finance (2+2+1)		5 marks
		(40 marks)

Q. 5 Chain of Production and Delivery Systems

(A) (i) Primary production and example	4 marks	
(ii) Service industry and example	<u>4 marks</u>	8 marks
(B) (i) Two suitable channels	5 marks	
(ii) One appropriate type of product	<u>2 marks</u>	7 marks
(C) (i) Three suitable factors	9 marks	
(ii) 2 modern developments	<u>6 marks</u>	15 marks
(D) Analysed Cash Book - 6 entries	6 marks	
Delivery Van Account - 4 entries	<u>4 marks</u>	10 marks
		(40 marks)

Q. 6 Marketing, Savings and Service Firm's Final Account

(A) Three suitable methods of promotion with reasons	12 marks
(B) (i) Amount earned by each member of the group (€135,000)	
(ii) Three suitable institutions with reasons	12 marks
(C) Heading, 12 figures, Excess Inc. over Exp. (€ 2,250 incl. words)	
	16 marks
	(40 marks)