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DHIM M16

BHC 2103: TEXTILES & LAUNDRY WORK

SERIES: DECEMBER 2016

TIME:2HOURS

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of five questions. Attempt **THREE** Questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

SECTION A (Compulsory) 30 marks

1. a) Define the following terms:
 - (i) Warp (2marks)
 - (ii) Weft (2marks)
 - (iii) Selvedge (2marks)
 - (iv) Bias – (2marks)
 - (v) Crossway (2marks)
- b) Cotton is a natural fibre from the vegetable plant. Briefly explain five properties (10marks)
- c) Explain how detergents work to remove dirty on the fabrics (10marks)

SECTION B. Answer any TWO from this section

2. Name and explain ten laundry sections **(20marks)**
3. Explain procedures to follow when removing, stubborn stains on the following materials, linen, woolen, nylon fabrics, cotton, silk. **(20marks)**
4. Explain the processes to take when using boiling water starch to starch linen napkin in the room ready to use in a restaurant. **(20marks)**
5. Explain the choice, use and care of the following laundry equipment's.
- (i) Washing machine
 - (ii) Electric iron
 - (iii) Pegs and hangers.
- (20marks)**