

2015 HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION  
Community and Family Studies

Section I (continued)

Part B – 55 marks

Attempt Questions 21–28

Allow about 1 hour and 40 minutes for this part

Answer the questions in the spaces provided. These spaces provide guidance for the expected length of response.

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Question 21 (10 marks)

- (a) Explain how sampling contributes to reliable and valid research.

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As it help to keep record of the resources  
and effectively the data are being  
analysis & break down into small  
part, which ~~make~~<sup>make</sup> it easy to  
understand. Sampling numbers  
of the result help the  
researcher to keep record  
of their work.

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## Question 21 (continued)

- (b) Propose strategies which could be used to ensure that individuals involved in a research study are shown respect and privacy. 6

Individuals must tell the researcher that they answer are to be kept confidential. Include, without mentioning the name of the participant in the research form and without judgement what so ever to the answer being given. To clearly state that if information ~~are~~ have been using for another source or pass to other researcher, there will be consequences.

End of Question 21

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Question 22 (6 marks)

Examine how access to childcare services affects the wellbeing of first-time parents.

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First-time parents may not know much services that are available in the community, when experience conflict may leads to their wellbeing. When accessing childcare service, they may experience difficulties with their economic income, as they need to pay the carer / nannie or a kindergarten fee teacher for the carer of their child.

**Question 23** (8 marks)

A student plans to conduct a research project on the impact of social media on youth.

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Assess the suitability of using BOTH a questionnaire AND a case study as research methods for this topic.

Questionnaire could be use to conduct a research project on the impact of social media on youth. As it involve using both open & close question which allows participants to easily get the ~~best~~ better idea of the question being ask. Allow them to carefully ~~answer~~ given their answer. Case study allow researcher to clearly document the research proposal as investigating secondary sources allow them to gain background knowledge. These allow the researcher to reflect on the problems that are encounter between the impact of the social media on youth.



**Question 24** (8 marks)

John has just completed university. His mother has recently been involved in a major car accident. John is now required to provide full-time care for his mother.

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Explain the preparations John could undertake as a carer to ensure his mother's wellbeing.

John should request help from government agencies including:  
\* Carer NSW \* Centrelink  
\* Respite care \* NSW Health.  
that provide support or a community service such as 'Home and Community Care Program'.  
As he will eventually need money to buy food so he may take up a part-time job and hire a carer to care for his sick mother.  
Also, he could ask a relative for help to care for his mother. John is a graduated university student so could work at home, such as online worker.

**Question 25** (3 marks)

Explain how the characteristics of people with disabilities may affect their access to services. 3

People with disabilities in a wheel chair could experience great difficulties in accessing to services include public transport (bus, train). They may need assistance or carer to help them accessing to the transport.

**Question 26** (4 marks)

How can informal support assist parents to fulfil their parental responsibilities? 4

As informal are the relatives of the parent so the money are not need to be pay. The parent could ask the neighbour to care for their child and maybe help them in other ways for return. This could fulfill the parental responsibility.



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Question 27 (8 marks)

Answer the following question in relation to ONE of the groups listed below:

- Aged
- Culturally and linguistically diverse communities
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples
- Rural and remote families
- ✓ Gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, intersex communities
- Sole parents
- Youth.

Group: ..... GLBTI .....

To what extent have attempts to improve community attitudes towards the group affected its wellbeing?

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For many generations people in community have been bias towards the GLBTI's people, as they are the minority in the group. However, in the 21st century the community attitudes towards GLBTI have improve and many GLBTI have gained their confident in the community.

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Question 27 (continued)

Many community are now supporting the GLBTI groups. As the parade of GLBTI ~~more~~ event created by the GLBTI members, many have shown interest and gain community view-point of human equal rights. The Mardi Gras Parade have effectively increase the interest ~~to~~ of the viewer and many agreed to accept GLBTI in the community.

End of Question 27



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**Question 28** (8 marks)

Answer the following question in relation to ONE of the groups listed below.

The group you select can be the same as or different from the group you used in Question 27:

- Aged
- Culturally and linguistically diverse communities
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples
- Rural and remote families
- Gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, intersex communities
- Sole parents
- ✓ Youth.

Group: ..... Youth. ....

How have government policy and legislation helped the group to achieve equity within the wider community? 8

..... Youth are ..... range ..... from ..... 14 - 25 .....  
 ..... yrs ..... old ..... Most ..... are ..... still ..... attending  
 ..... school ..... or ..... collegially ..... so ..... many .....  
 ..... are ..... still ..... need ..... to ..... work ..... part ..... time  
 ..... to ..... ~~gain~~ ..... their ..... financially .....  
 ..... live ..... in ..... the ..... community .....  
 ..... There ..... are ..... many ..... government

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policy and legislation that could help youth achieve equity within the community such as include the public service 'pass' (bus, train) this helps youth efficiency as they do not need to pay for their transport. Also in the workplace, government's forces that the pay for the youth must be fair and equal in the hour of their work.

**End of Question 28**