Spring Term 1

B6 - Non Communicable Diseases

& B7 - Photosynthesis

Aiming for Grade 6

Extended Homework Assignment

Name: _____

Set: _____

Instructions

A printed copy should be handed into your teacher.

The knowledge required to complete this assignment will be supported in class in lessons of the half term.



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Aims

The aim of this lesson is to help you revise the main topics in B6 – Non Communicable Diseases & B7 - Photosynthesis

Learning outcomes

After completing this activity, you should be able to:

- State some examples of non-communicable diseases.
- State some of the risk factors for some non-communicable diseases.
- State some methods of prevention of some non-communicable diseases.
- State the word equation for photosynthesis.
- State how a leaf is adapted for photosynthesis.
- State the uses of glucose in a plant.
- State and describe the factors that affect photosynthesis.

B6 – Non-Communicable Diseases

Task

You will be taking on the role of a GP and reviewing the profiles of six of your patients and giving them advice.

There are six profiles one for each of your six patients on page 4. You will need to give advice to each patient.

Complete the tables below for each patient.

Paul	Mary
Tick the risk factors that apply:	Tick the risk factors that apply:
smoking	smoking
drinking	drinking
age	age
family history	family history
obese	obese
lack of exercise	lack of exercise
gender	gender
At risk from what diseases:	At risk from what diseases:
Advice on prevention of these diseases: • •	Advice on prevention of these diseases: • •

Tick the risk factors that apply:
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Patient profiles:

 Paul: Age 70 Male Enjoys walking and gardening Has a meat-heavy diet Has the occasional pint of beer BMI in normal range 	 Mary: Age 40 Female Fitness instructor Vegan Has a glass of wine every day BMI is less than normal Mother has type 2 diabetes
 Ali: Age 30 Male Rugby player BMI above average Drinks heavily after a match Has a meat heavy diet 	 Yasmin: Age 19 Female Student who cycles to college Smokes 3–5 cigarettes a day Rarely drinks BMI in normal range
 Juan: Age 25 Male Enjoys clubbing and pubbing BMI is less than normal Smokes 10 cigarettes a day Drinks heavily at the weekends 	 Emma: Age 60 Female Works in an office Loves junk food BMI is above average Does not drink any alcohol Parents had cardiovascular disease

B8 Photosynthesis – Aiming for Grade 6

Task

- **Question 1** You will be identifying how a leaf is adapted for photosynthesis.
- **Question 2** You will be advising a horticulturalist on how to improve the yield of their crops.

Questions:

1 a View the diagram of a cross-section through a leaf.

Label your drawing with the parts of the leaf. Use the labels given below:

air space	guard ce	ell	palisade layer	phloem
spongy mesophyll layer stoma		stomata	upper cuticle	
vascular bundle		xylem		



b Write one sentence to describe how the following parts of the leaf are adapted for photosynthesis.

palisade layer
spongy mesophyll layer
Stomata
vascular bundle

2 You are advising someone on how to improve the yield of their plants in their greenhouse. Write a short letter advising them how they can improve their yield. Use these headings in your letter to help you:

What do plants need to photosynthesise?

What happens when we increase the temperature?

What happens when we increase the light intensity?

What happens when we increase the carbon dioxide concentration?

What other things do plants need? (Hint: think about mineral ion requirements.)