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0445 DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

0445/12

Paper 1 (Design), maximum raw mark 50

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- 1 (a) Accept any **four** additional suitable points – lightweight, easy to transport/carry, waterproof, does not damage items, items do not move about, compact, etc. 1 × 4 [4]
- (b) Accept drawings of any **two** carrying methods – handles, shoulder strap, harness, belt clip, wheels, etc. 2 × 2 [4]
- 2 (a) Accept any **four** additional suitable points – easy to catch shapes, attractive colour/shape, realistic fish shapes, appeals to children, cannot see fish, etc. 1 × 4 [4]
- (b) Accept drawings of any **two** catching methods – magnet, hook/eye, ‘Velcro’, sticky pads, net, etc. 2 × 2 [4]
- 3 (a) Accept any **four** additional suitable points – weather/water resistant, easy fixing to rod, creates movement, makes a noise, minimal power use, easy to set up, etc. 1 × 4 [4]
- (b) Accept drawings of any **two** sensing devices – tilt switch, sensing pad, simple lever mechanisms, ratchet mechanism, movement sensor, strain gauge, etc. 2 × 2 [4]

Questions 1, 2 and 3

- (c) Any suitable ideas. At least **three different** ideas for maximum marks. Pro rata if fewer.

Communication

Simple drawings displaying a low standard or limited range of techniques	0–2
Clear drawings displaying a good standard and a range of techniques – shading /colour/annotation etc	3–4
High quality drawings using a wide range of techniques with clear annotation and detail	5–6

Suitability

Simplistic designs showing outlines only	0–2
Rather more detail, sensible solutions that could work	3–4
Accurate solutions, good fitness for purpose, construction detail	5–6 [12]

- (d) Evaluation of each of the ideas. At least 3 evaluations up to 2 marks each
Selection and justification (1 + 1) 2 [8]

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(e) Quality of drawing

Poor line quality, proportions, little detail	1
Good line work, use of colour, proportions, some detail	2–3
High standard throughout with a range of techniques that show clearly all detail	4

Dimensions

2 or 3 overall dimensions only (1)	
Additional detail dimensions (1)	2

Construction details

A simplistic approach showing little or no detail of construction to be used	0–2
Most constructional detail may be obvious from overall views or with some annotation	3–4
All constructional detail will be clear with good annotation and additional detail drawings as necessary	5–6 [12]

(f) Suitable specific materials stated (1 + 1)	2
Appropriate reasons for choice (1 + 1)	2 [4]

(g) Suitable method stated	1
Good detailed description of: processes	0–3
tools	0–2 [6]

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