NOTICE TO CENTRES

FAO: The Head of Psychology

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Subject: AS / A Level GCE Psychology H168 / H568

From January 2010 the question papers for the following units will be in the form of a combined question and answer booklet:

- Unit G541: Psychological Investigations
- Unit G542: Core Studies
- Unit G544: Approaches and Research Methods in Psychology

Candidates write their answers in the answer booklet on the lines provided after each question.

If a candidate needs to write more there is additional space at the end of the question and answer booklet. This space can be used for any question. It is important that the answer is clearly identified with the question number and, if relevant, part eg 3(c). If a candidate uses all the additional space at the end of the question and answer booklet and therefore needs additional paper it is acceptable to use supplementary answer sheets.

The rubric will be in the Instructions to Candidates on the front cover of the question paper. However, as there will be answer spaces for all questions, including optional questions, it may be useful to remind candidates that the rubrics for these units are as follows:

- Unit G541: Answer all questions in Sections A, B and C.
- Unit G542: Answer all the questions in Section A, all parts of the question in Section B and one question from a choice of two in Section C.
- Unit G544: Answer all the questions in Section A and one question from a choice of two in Section B.

For an example of an assessment which uses a combined question and answer booklet please refer to the June 2008 GCSE Psychology (1989) question papers which are available on the OCR website (http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/type/l_gce/hss/psychology/index.aspx)

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