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MARK SCHEME

Maximum Mark: 80

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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently, e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

Question	Answer	Marks
1	tgs folder screenshot Includes file names, sizes, file extensions, dimensions	1

Question	Answer	Marks
2	Row 1 rowspan=3 in first cell HTML syntax colspan=2 in second cell Correct syntax, head/body, open/close	3

Question	Answer	Marks
3	Images Giraffe cell A, logo, cell B, head cell F – 2 correct Giraffe cell A, logo, cell B, head cell F – all correct width 100% on logo Appropriate alt text for all 3 images	4

Question	Answer	Marks
4	Cell D Text placed from source file n23text.txt Cell E Page created by TawaraWeb. Last edited by A Cand ZZ999 9999 Displayed as 2 paragraphs Cells D and E In style h2	5

Question	Answer	Marks
5	Video video <...> tag used width="480" ... height="360" ... controls Source<...> tag used src="n23feed.mp4" type="video/mp4" Appropriate error message </video>	9

Question	Answer	Marks
6	Stylesheet n23tgs.css attached	1

Question	Answer	Marks
7	<p>Comment table</p> <pre> /* Candidate details at top */ No external borders visible No gridlines visible spelling error collapse corrected margin-left:auto margin-right:auto width:85% padding: 20px background-color: #aabed8 font-family: Comic Sans MS ,Comic Sans Both font names in speech marks ,sans-serif color: #0000ff Both using single selector CSS syntax Correct css syntax </pre>	16

Question	Answer	Marks
8	Browser view In browser, address visible, no letters visible	1

Question	Answer	Marks
9	Header Candidate details on left File name with path on right	2

Question	Answer	Marks
10	<p>Merged cells Two new columns inserted to left of A Correct cells merged and centred Black background White text</p> <p>Cell N1:N2 Wrapped as shown</p> <p>Column A Right aligned</p> <p>Rows 1 and 2 Rows 1 and 2 centre aligned (not column A)</p> <p>Cols B H M Narrow columns</p> <p>Numeric data Right aligned</p>	9

Question	Answer	Marks
11	G4 =SUM(...) ... \$C4:\$F4	2

Question	Answer	Marks
12	L4 =SUM(\$I4:\$K4)	1

Question	Answer	Marks
13	N4 =G4-L4	1

Question	Answer	Marks
14	O4 =O3+N4	1

Question	Answer	Marks
15	All 4 formulae replicated for all months	1

Question	Answer	Marks
16	Numeric data \$ with 2dp	1

Question	Answer	Marks
17	Conditional formatting applied Cells N4:N15 ... Cell value < 0 ... Red background ... White text	5

Question	Answer	Marks
18	Printout Row and column headings visible Landscape row and col heads fully visible	2

Question	Answer	Marks
19	Printout Single landscape page Fully visible with no row and column headings	2

Question	Answer	Marks
20	Values 2 F13 contains \$42.10 End of year balance \$28,317.46 Single landscape page, fully visible with no row and column headings	3