ENGLAND GCSE COMBINED SCIENCE EDEXCEL FOUNDATION · UNIT 5 · 10 QUESTIONS

Health, Disease and the Development of Medicines — Practice Test

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1 **A brown dog is bitten by a tick. Ticks can spread disease. How is the disease spread?**

A through the air

B by a vector

C through water

D by touch

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2 **A school lunch tray holds a meal with milk. Which nutrient is milk rich in?**

- A iron
- B fibre
- C calcium
- D vitamin C

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3 **A thermometer is placed in hot water. What happens to the liquid inside the thermometer?**

- A it evaporates
- B it contracts
- C it freezes
- D it expands

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4 **A person is exposed to a disease on day 5. The incubation period is 7 days. On which day do symptoms start?**

- A 11
- B 14
- C 12
- D 13

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5 **What is a benign tumour?**

- A a tumour that cannot be treated
- B a tumour that stays in one place
- C a tumour caused by a virus
- D a tumour that spreads around the body

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6 **A vaccine is given to 17 out of every 20 people in a school of 2000 pupils. How many pupils receive the vaccine?**

- A 1700
- B 1717
- C 170
- D 300

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7 **A peach tree flowers in spring. What do bees carry between flowers?**

- A seeds
- B leaves
- C water
- D pollen

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8 **Which of these diseases is caused by a virus?**

A salmonella food poisoning

B athlete's foot

C malaria

D measles

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9 **Cases of a disease double every week. There are 50 cases now. How many cases will there be in 2 weeks?**

A 400

B 150

C 200

D 100

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10 **What is drug development?**

A selling medicines in shops

B testing new medicines

C banning medicines from use

D making new diseases in labs

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ANSWER KEY

1. B
2. C
3. D
4. C
5. B
6. A
7. D
8. D
9. C
10. B

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