- 1. D
- 2. A
- 3. D
- 4. B
- 5. A
- 6. C
- 7. A

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| (a) | (i) | Plasmid | 1 | Not acceptable: DNA/chromosome |
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| | (ii) | 2 | 1 | |
| (b) | (i) | To ensure there are no other microbes/bacteria (or equivalent) present OR to prevent/stop contamination /cross-contamination/growth of other cultures | 1 | Not acceptable: To ensure nothing affects the growth of bacteria. |
| | (ii) | Temperature/pH/ 0 ₂ or C0 ₂ concentration/ nutrient or food levels | 1 | Additional wrong answer would negate eg light. |