## Galculators are permitted but working must be shown.

## Essential knowledge:

1. Write an explanation for each of these terms or phrases:
a. Gross pay
b. Deductions
c. Net pay
d. Tax Allowance
e. Income Tax
f. Superannuation
g. Taxable Income
h. National Insurance (NI)
i. Tax credits
j. Child benefit
2. Calculate Alan's net pay using his payslip below.

| Name <br> A. Bridge | Employee <br> number <br> 173 | NI number <br> AB43865A | Month <br> number <br> 2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Basic pay <br> $£ 2462.96$ | Overtime <br> $£ 62.58$ | Bonus <br> $£ 43.07$ | Gross pay |
| Income <br> tax <br> $£ 447.86$ | NI <br> $£ 175.20$ | Pension <br> $£ 142.64$ | Total <br> deductions |
|  |  |  | Net pay |

3. The table shows the income tax rates for different taxable incomes for 2016-17.

| Band | Taxable income | Scottish <br> tax rate |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Personal Allowance | Up to $£ 11,500$ | $0 \%$ |
| Basic rate | $£ 11,501$ to $£ 43,000$ | $20 \%$ |
| Higher rate | $£ 43,001$ to $£ 150,000$ | $40 \%$ |
| Additional rate | over $£ 150,000$ | $45 \%$ |

Copy and complete the tax calculations below:
Erica (taxable income $£ 30453$ )

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30453-11500=18953 \times 0.2=£
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$\qquad$
Flo (taxable income $£ 46320$ )

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\begin{aligned}
46320-43000 & =3320 \times \\
43000-11500 & =31500 \times 0.2
\end{aligned}=£ \begin{array}{r}
\text { Total income tax }
\end{array}=£
$$

Harry (taxable income $£ 164500$ )

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\begin{aligned}
164500-150000 & =14500 \times- \\
150000-43000 & =£ \\
43000-11500 & =\overline{31500 \times \overline{0.2}}=£ \pm \\
\text { Total income tax } & =£
\end{aligned}
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## Unit level:

4. The table gives the National Insurance Contributions.
Calculate the amount these workers pay in National Insurance contributions each week.

| Earnings (per week) | Rate |
| :--- | :---: |
| Less than $£ 107$ | $0 \%$ |
| $£ 107-£ 817$ | $12 \%$ |
| Greater than $£ 817$ | $2 \%$ |

(a) Brian, $£ 256$ per week
(b) Carol, $£ 875$ per week
5. Calculate the four missing amounts from Bob's payslip:

6. Mrs. and Mr. Winterbottom have three children (aged 6, 9 and 11). They earn $£ 15900$ and $£ 15499.20$ per year respectively and are entitled to $£ 40.25$ in tax credits per month.
They claim child benefit which gives them $£ 89.70$ per month for their oldest child and $£ 59.37$ per month for each of their other children.
(a) Calculate the Winterbottom's total monthly income.

The table below shows the Winterbottom's family expenditure each month.

| Outgoings | Amount | Outgoings | Amount |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| Mortgage | $£ 515$ | Car loan | $£ 241$ |
| Gas/electricity | $£ 117$ | Insurance | $£ 67$ |
| Council tax | $£ 132$ | Food | $£ 440$ |
| TV/phone/internet | $£ 73$ | Petrol | $£ 200$ |
|  |  |  |  |

(b) Copy and complete the correct statement below to describe the financial position of the Winterbottom family each month:

A surplus of $£$ $\qquad$ each month

A deficit of $£$ $\qquad$ each month
7. The following table shows the pension contributions (as a percentage) taken from serving police officers.

Tier 1: Staff on a basic annual salary of $£ 25,000$ or less.
Tier 2: Staff on a basic annual salary of more than $£ 25,000$ but less than $£ 75,000$.
Tier 3: Staff on a basic annual salary of $£ 75,000$ or more.

| Tier |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Total Officer Contributions |
| 2 | $10 \cdot 7 \%$ |
| 3 | $11 \cdot 5 \%$ |

What is the pension contribution of a Sergeant earning $£ 41,532$ ?

## Assessment level:

8. John Ross works for a company selling windows. He is paid a basic monthly salary of $£ 400$ plus $5 \%$ commission on all his sales above $£ 5000$.
In March, John Ross sells $£ 25000$ worth of new windows. His monthly deductions are $12 \%$ of his gross income. Calculate JR's net income for March.
9. Helen works in a supermarket. She is paid $£ 7.60$ per hour for a basic week of 24 hours. She is paid at time and a half for any overtime that she works.
One week Helen earned $£ 262.20$
How many hours of overtime did she work that week?
10. Max Factor sells cosmetics. She earns a basic pay plus Commission of $3 \%$. Her payslip for a week in April is only partially complete.

| Name | Employee No. | Tax Code | Week Ending |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| J. Simmons | 551 | 720 L | $15 / 02 / 2013$ |
| Basic Pay | Bonus | Commission | Gross Pay |
| $£ 191 \cdot 50$ | $£ 0 \cdot 00$ | Pension | Deductions |
| Nat. Insurance | Income Tax | $£ 27.53$ |  |
| $£ 27.86$ | $£ 64.59$ | Net Pay |  |
| £352.02 |  |  |  |

Calculate Max's sales for that week.

