PENANG SANGAM HIGH SCHOOL

HOME ECONOMICS

YEAR 13

WORKSHEET (WEEK 4)

QUESTION 1

The Family

- (a) State one reason why the elderly need their independence.
- (b) State one effect of unemployment on a family's well-being.
- (c) Explain the importance of family support services in Fiji.

Resources

(d) John is single and has been employed for ten years. Given below is his fortnightly pay record.

| ESTABLISHED PAYROLL | |
|---------------------|---------|
| Gross pay: \$950.00 | |
| Nett Pay: \$732.00 | |
| Deduc/Descriptions | Amount |
| Employees FNPF | \$76.00 |
| Employers FNPF | \$95.00 |
| Insurance | \$70.00 |
| Fiji Workers Union | \$45.00 |

- (i) Calculate his insurance deductions in the first three years of employment.
- (ii) State how John can benefit from having an insurance policy.

Housing

- (e) (i) Define the term home décor.
- (ii) Explain why the knowledge of home décor is an asset to a new home owner.

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QUESTION 2

Kitchen Safety, Hygiene and Management

- (a) Explain the importance of ventilation in kitchen designs.
- (b) Explain the functional effect of local or traditional materials in kitchen designs.

QUESTION 3

Patterns and Design

- (b) Name one element of design.
- (c) You are intending to design either a knee length summer dress or a three quarter (¾) summer pants for your sister.
- (i) Sketch and label only the front view of the summer dress or summer pants you are designing. Identify one element of design appropriate for the sketch.
- (ii) Name two suitable fabrics for the design.
- (iii) Explain one reason for choosing one of the fabrics in (ii) above.

QUESTION 4

Essay

Meat and cereals are common food commodities in all households.

With reference to the above statement, discuss two

- Importance of having both meat and cereals in the diet.
- Reasons why the consumption of meat is reduced in family meals.
- Dietary advice concerning the inclusion of cereals in family meals.
- Food preparation tips on retaining quality of meat.