

**JOHN GRAY HIGH SCHOOL**

**KS3 SCIENCE: YEAR 8**

**EXPLAINING PHYSICAL CHANGES I**

**PAPER 2**

**Time : 45 mins**

**READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.**

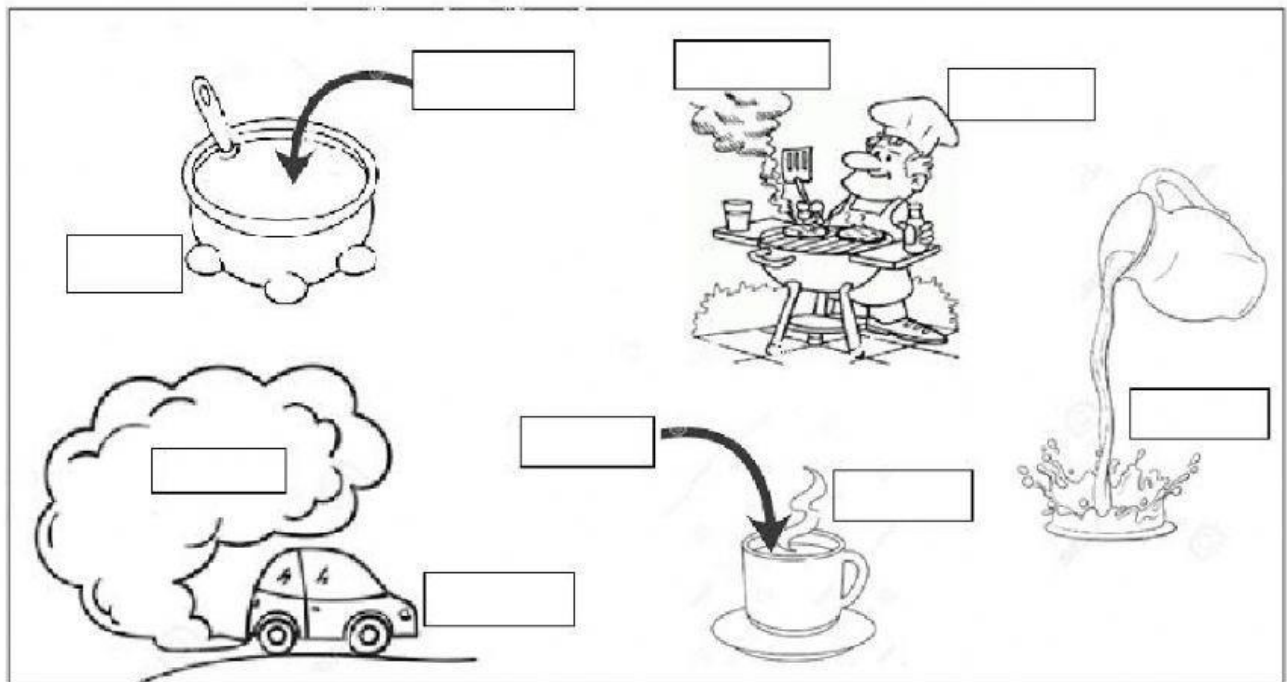
1. This paper consists of **FOUR** questions.
2. Answer **ALL** questions.
3. Indicate your answers in the spaces provided.
4. Remember to read the questions properly before attempting to answer
5. You are permitted to use a calculator in this exam.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Teacher's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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1. a. Look at the picture below and drag the words SOLID, LIQUID or GAS, to label the indicated substances.



Solid	Solid	Solid
Liquid	Liquid	Liquid
Gas	Gas	Gas

(9 marks)

b. Complete the sentences on states of matter by selecting words from the drop-down boxes.

Solids:

- cannot be \_\_\_\_\_, do not \_\_\_\_\_, and have a fixed \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- have a high \_\_\_\_\_.
- are made of \_\_\_\_\_ that are very close together.

Liquids:

- cannot be \_\_\_\_\_ and have a fixed \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ easily and do not have a fixed \_\_\_\_\_.
- are \_\_\_\_\_, but not as \_\_\_\_\_ as solids.
- are made of \_\_\_\_\_ that are close together.

Gases:

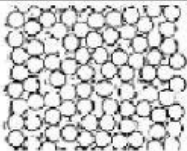
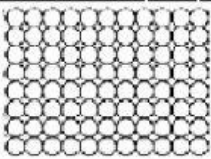

- are easy to \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ very easily, and do not have a fixed \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.
- have a lower \_\_\_\_\_ than liquids.
- are made of \_\_\_\_\_ that are far apart.

(19 marks)

- c. Complete the table below with the information in the Information Bank to give the properties of solids, liquids and gases. Use the information already in the table to guide where to place your responses.

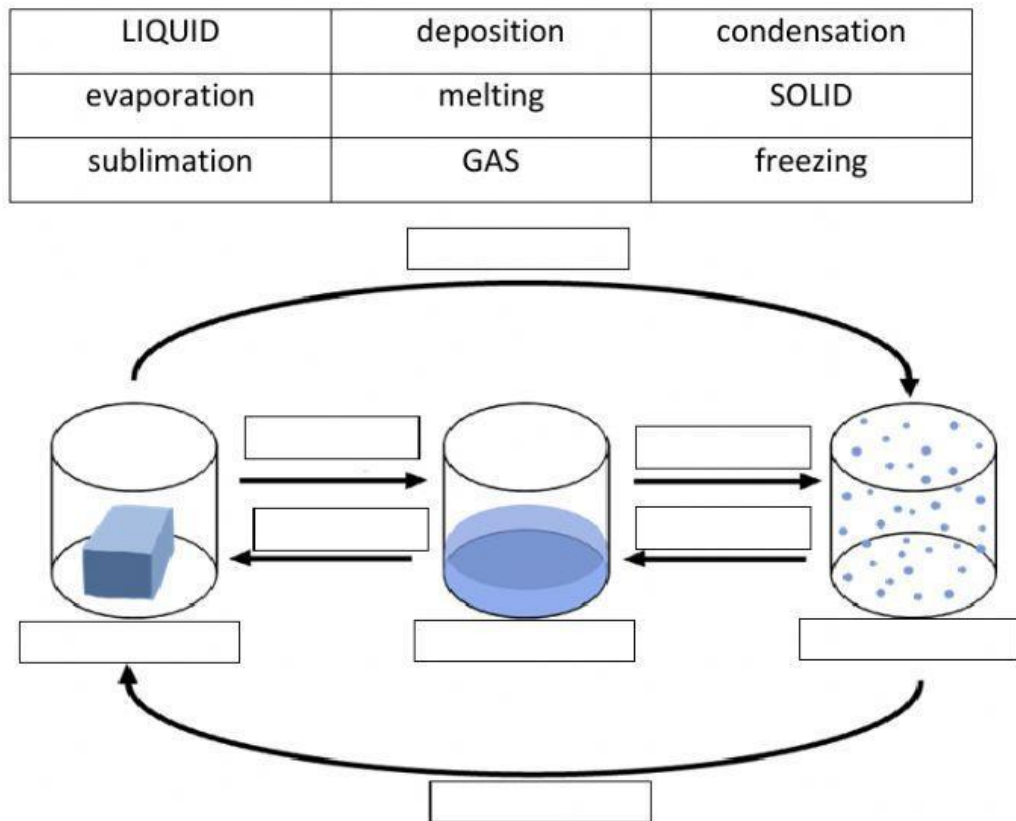
SOLIDS	LIQUIDS	GASES
	No fixed shape	
	Fixed volume	
		Low density

Choose from this information bank.

	High density	Fixed volume
Fixed shape		No fixed shape
No fixed volume	Very high density	

(9 marks)

2. a. States of matter are able to change. Complete the diagram below by dragging the correct labels.



(9 marks)

b. Complete the sentences below about changing states.

Matter changes from one \_\_\_\_\_ to another when it is \_\_\_\_\_ or cooled.

When matter is heated, the particles gain \_\_\_\_\_ energy and \_\_\_\_\_.

This is why when particles of a \_\_\_\_\_ are heated, they become particles in a liquid.

When heat is removed from matter, it \_\_\_\_\_. The particles lose \_\_\_\_\_ energy

and come closer together. So, particles of a liquid turn back into particles in a

\_\_\_\_\_. Heating liquids turn them to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ gases turn

them to liquids.

**(10 marks)**

3. Drag each sentence to the correct box to label the diagram of the thermometer below.

Water turns into ice.

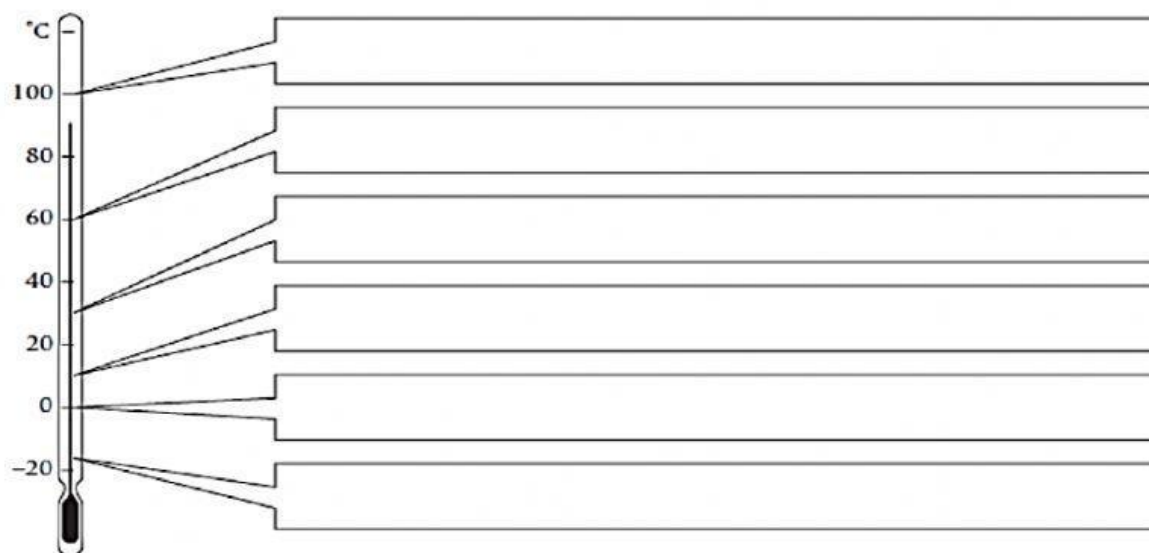
Wax melts at about this temperature.

A hot summer day.

Temperature inside a fridge.

Temperature inside a freezer.

Water boils.



**(6 marks)**



b. Complete the sentences below by dragging the correct words to the sentences. Each word is used only ONCE. Place any unused words into the DISCARD pile.



absorbs   better   cold   cool  
evaporates   faster   freezes  
gives out   hot   moving  
slower   temperature  
water   worse

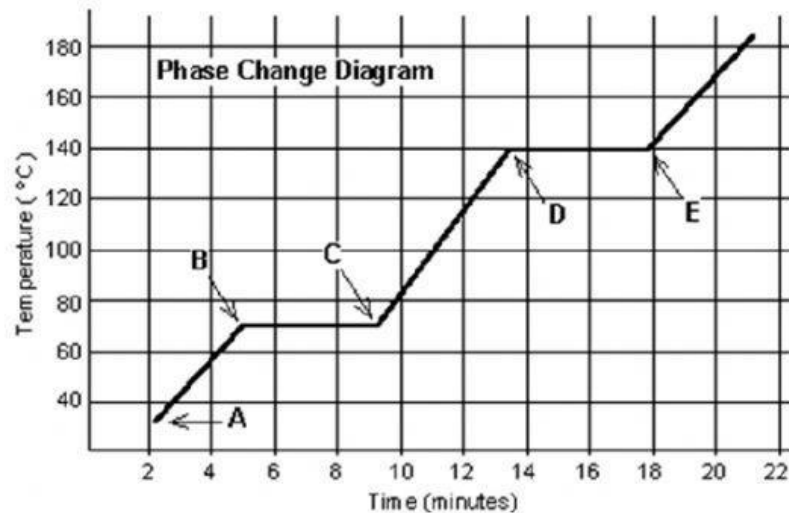
Place unused words here.

DISCARD  
PILE

Our bodies need to stay at a constant \_\_\_\_\_. if we get too \_\_\_\_\_, we sweat. When the \_\_\_\_\_ in the sweat evaporates, it \_\_\_\_\_ the energy it needs from our bodies. This helps to \_\_\_\_\_ us down. Sweating works even \_\_\_\_\_ if there is a breeze because the \_\_\_\_\_ air helps the sweat to evaporate \_\_\_\_\_.

**(8 marks)**

4a. Below is a heating curve. Use information from the diagram to answer the questions.



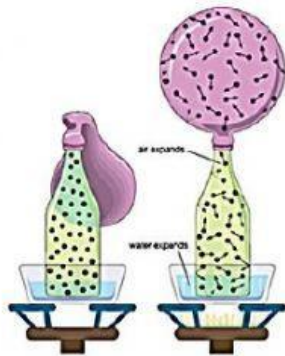
- i. From A to B, the material is in the \_\_\_\_\_ state of matter.
- ii. From B to C, the process of \_\_\_\_\_ is taking place.
- iii. From C to D, the material is in the \_\_\_\_\_ state of matter.
- iv. From D to E, the process of \_\_\_\_\_ is taking place.
- v. Anything after E is in the \_\_\_\_\_ state of matter.
- vi. The boiling point of the substance is \_\_\_\_\_ °C.

**(6 marks)**

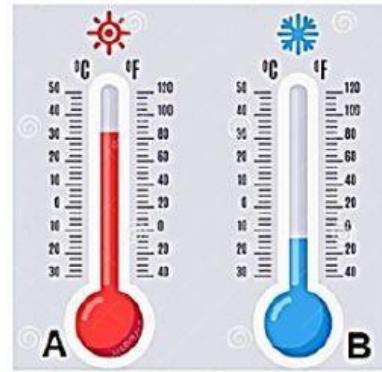


b. Choose the correct description of each of the thermal experiments below.

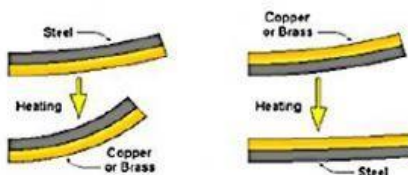
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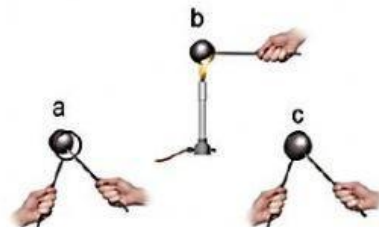
II.



III.



IV.



(4 marks)

Total 80 marks