

15.2.2 PAPER 2 (441/2)

A pattern of a child's dress is provided. You are advised to study the sketches, instructions and the layout carefully before you begin the test.

MATERIALS PROVIDED:

- 1 Pattern pieces for the dress
 - A – Dress front
 - B – Dress back
 - C – Sleeve
 - D – Front facing
 - E – Back facing
- 2 Plain light weight cotton fabric 55 cm long by 90 cm wide.
- 3 Sewing thread to match the fabric.
- 4 Elastic 15 cm long and 1 cm wide.
- 5 Bodkin needle/Safety pin.
- 6 One large envelope.

THE TEST

Using the materials provided, cut out and make the **LEFT HALF** of a child's dress to show the following:

- (a) The working of a shoulder dart.
- (b) The joining of the shoulder seam using machine fell seam. Work on Right side.
- (c) The joining of the side seam using machine fell seam. Work on Right side.
- (d) The joining of the front and the back facings at the shoulder and neatening the outer edge of the facing.
- (e) The attaching of the facing at the neckline of the dress.
- (f) The joining of the sleeve seam using a French seam.
- (g) The making of a casing at the hem of the sleeve leaving an insertion gap of 1.5 cm, a centimetre away from the sleeve seam.
- (h) The working of gathers at the crown of the sleeve.
- (i) The attaching of the sleeve
- (j) The neatening of half of the arm hole seam.
- (k) The inserting of the elastic without closing the insertion gap.
- (l) The cutting of a straight tear as shown on the pattern piece.
- (m) The holding of the edges of the tear together using the fishbone stitch.

At the end of the examination, firmly sew onto your work, on a single fabric, a label bearing your name and index number. Remove the needle and pins from your work, then fold your work neatly and place it in the envelope provided. **Do not** put scraps of fabric in the envelope.