YEAR 7 MATHEMATICS

- A restaurant offers its customers a three-course dinner, where they choose between two entrees, three main meals and 2 desserts. The managers find that 30% choose soup and 70% choose prawn cocktail for the entrée; 20% choose vegetarian, 50% chicken, and the rest have beef for their main meal; and 75% have sticky date pudding while the rest have apple crumble for dessert.
 - a. Draw a fully labelled tree diagram showing all the possible choices
 - b. What is the probability that a customer will choose the soup, chicken and sticky date pudding?
 - c. if there are 210 people booked for the following week at the restaurant, how many would you expect to have the meal combination referred to in b)?
- 2. A bag contains 7 red and 3 white balls. A ball is taken at random, its colour noted and it is then placed back in the bag before a second ball is chosen at random and its colour noted.
 - a. Show the possible outcomes with a fully labelled tree diagram.
 - b. As the first ball was chosen, how many balls were in the bag?
 - c. As the second ball was chosen, how many balls were in the bag?
 - d. Does the probability of choosing a red or white ball change from the first selection to the second? Explain.
 - e. Calculate the probability of choosing a red ball twice.
 - f. Copy the following definition into your book:

These are described as *independent events*, as the result of the first event does not affect to outcome of the next.

- g. Suppose that after the first ball had been chosen it was not placed back in the bag. As the second ball is chosen, how many balls are in the bag?
- h. Does the probability of choosing a red or white ball change from the first selection to the second? Explain.
- i. Construct a fully labelled tree diagram to show all possible outcomes.
- j. Calculate the probability of choosing two red balls.
- k. Copy the following definition into your book:

When one event affects the occurrence of another, the events are called **dependent events**.

- 3. A game at a carnival requires blindfolded contestants to throw balls at numbered ducks sitting on 3 shelves. The game ends when 3 ducks have been knocked off the shelves. Assume that the probability of hitting each duck is equal.
 - a) Are the events described in the game dependent or independent?
 - b) What are the initial probabilities of hitting each number?
 - c) Draw a labelled tree diagram to show the possible outcomes for a contestant.
 - d) Calculate the probabilities of hitting the following:
 - i. P(1, 1, 1)
 - ii. P(2, 2, 2)
 - iii. P(3, 3, 3)
 - iv. P(at least one 3).

