



SAUDI FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM
PEDIATRIC GASTROENTEROLOGY AND NUTRITION

Final Examination

Exam Format:

The Saudi subspecialty fellowship and diplomas final written examination shall consist of one paper with 80-120 multiple-choice questions (single best answer out of four options). 10 unscored items can be added for pretesting purposes.

Passing Score:

The passing score is 70%. However, if the percentage of candidates passing the examination before final approval is less than 70%, the passing score must be lowered by one mark at a time aiming at achieving 70% passing rate or 65% passing score whichever comes first. Under no circumstances can the passing score be reduced below 65%.





Suggested References:

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- Kelly, D. A. (2017). Diseases of the Liver and Biliary System in Children.
- Wyllie, R. (2016). Paediatric Gastrointestinal and Liver Disease.
- Kleinman, R. L., and American Academy of Paediatrics. (2019). Paediatric Nutrition handbook. Elk Grove Village: American Academy of Paediatrics.
- Beattie M, Dhawan A, Puntis J, Batra A and Kyrana E (2018) Oxford Specialist Handbook of Paediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and nutrition.
- Gershman G and Ament M (2007) Practical Pediatric Gastrointestinal Endoscopy.

Note:

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Blueprint Outlines:

No.	Sections	Percentage
1	Small Bowel and Colon	25%
2	Liver/Pancreas	20%
3	Oesophagus and Stomach	15%
3	Nutrition	15%
5	Paediatric GI Endoscopy	15%
6	Paediatric GI Emergency/Surgery	10%
Total		100%

Notes:

- Blueprint distributions of the examination may differ up to +/-5% in each section.
- Percentages and content are subject to change at any time. See the SCFHS website for the most up-to-date information.
- Research, Ethics, Professionalism, and Patient Safety are incorporated within various domains.

