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Level 4.1

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Part 1: Preparation – Vocabulary



case Leticia Ribeiro, 2019 pexels.com





box Shutterbug75, 2016 pixabay.com

case

a box used for keeping, holding, or carrying things

metalic case Michale Scot, 2016 pexels.com

word	class	definition	sentence
case	noun	a box used for keeping, holding or carrying things	Alya put her pens and pencils in a case and went to school.



camping chulmin1700, 2020 pixabay.com





Adventure, sasint 2016 pixabay.com

adventure

an exciting and interesting experience

WC	ord	class	definition	sentence
adve	enture	noun	an exciting and interesting experience	Ahmed and his friends went for an adventure around Sharjah.







direction ,geralt, 2019, pixabay.com



direction

the way somebody must go to get from one place to another

word	class	definition	sentence
direction	noun	the way somebody must go to get from one place to another	Saad was walking in the direction of school.



Iphone tranmautritam 2020, pixabay.com





pen SmauelFrancisJohnson 2019, pixabay.com

message

information passed from one person to another

word	class	definition	sentence
message	noun	information passed from one person to another	Ahmed sent a message to his friend.



Gate congerdesign 2015, pixabay.com



Entrance bernswaelz 2016, pixabay.com

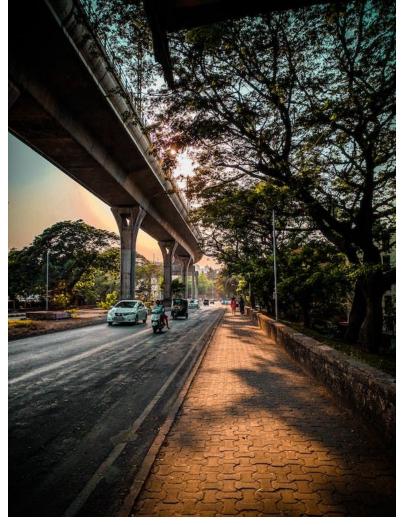


gate

an entrance into a home or a building

word	class	definition	sentence
gate	noun	an entrance into a home or a building	Leila opened the gate to enter the villa.





Road & sidewalk SK Photography 2019, pexels.com

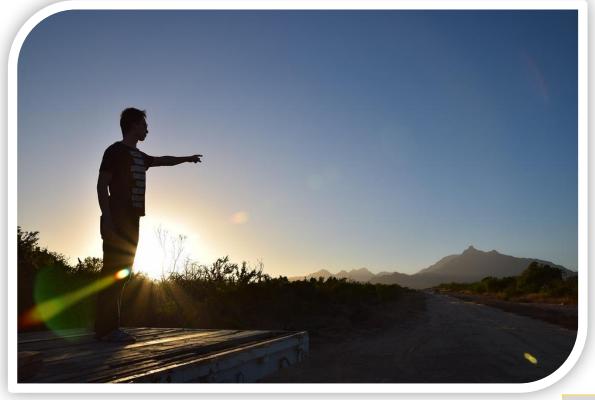


country side road 12019 2013, pixabay.com

road

a path for cars or people between one place and another

word	class	definition	sentence
road	noun	a path for cars or people between one place and another	They followed the road to get to the nearest town.



A

<u>Finger pointing</u> kangyi_zhang0 2015, pixabay.com



Traveller pointing Mohamed_hassan, 2018 pixabay.com

point

to show where something or someone is by using your

finger

word	class	definition	sentence
point	verb	to show where something or someone is by using your finger	Saad pointed to the school.



buried tire Ogutier 2020, pixabay.com



treasure clker-free-vector-images 2014, pixabay.com

bury

to keep something in ground where it's not easy to see or find



word	class	definition	sentence
bury	verb	to keep something in ground where it's not easy to see or find	Ahmed buried a box under the sand.



Digging clker-free-vector-images 2014, pixabay.com



dig

Digging LillyCantabile 2018, pixabay.com

to make a hole by moving dirt/sand with hands or a tool

word	class	definition	sentence
dig	verb	to make a hole by moving dirt/sand with hands or a tool	Jama was digging in the ground.



Writing report Mohamed_hassan 2018, pixabay.com



Writing geralt 2018, pixabay.com



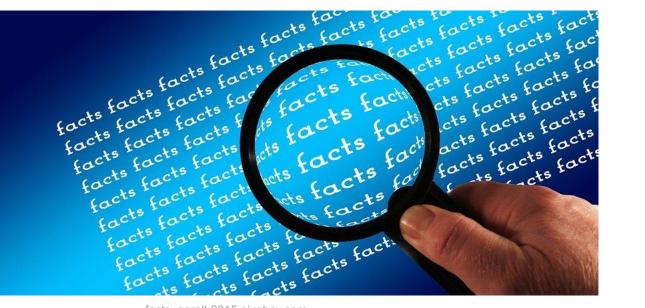
Typing StartupStockPhotos 2015, pixabay.com

report

talking or writing about a situation, story or event

word	class	definition	sentence
report	noun	talking or writing about a situation, story or event	Saeed wrote a report about the Dubai museum.





facts, geralt 2015 pixabay.com



fact

something that you know is true, has happened or is

real

Question mark, Gerd Altmann, 2017, Pixabay

word	class	definition	sentence
fact	noun	something that you know is true, has happened or is real	A fact about the UAE flag is that it has four colours.





flowers, pixel2013 2016 pixabay.com



Lawn moving with soil. Jannoon, c.2016, Freepik.com

plant

something that grows in the earth

word	class	definition	sentence
plant	noun	something that grows in the earth	Ali had beautiful plants growing in his garden.





Compass use. Audrius Meskauskas, 2006, CC-SA-3.0



Man. traveler with backpack, by Jcomp, c2019, Freepik.com

traveller

someone who goes to another place or country

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road-trip, pexels 2016, pixabay.com

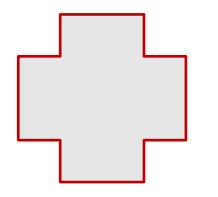
word	class	definition	sentence
traveller	noun	someone who goes to another place or country	The travellers got on the plane.



pills, stevepb 2015, pixabay.com



Herbs kerdkanno 2015, pixabay.com

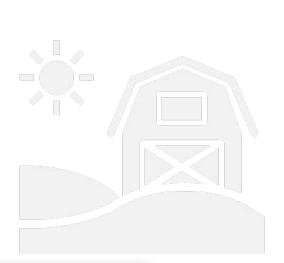


medicine

something used to make an illness or pain go away

word	class	definition	sentence
medicine	noun	something used to make an illness or pain go away	Aisha takes medicine for her back pain.







worker, anfangzhan, 2015 pixabay.com



farmer

a person who works on a farm and grows food

farm,PublicDomainImages, 2014, pixabay.com

word	class	definition	sentence
farmer	noun	a person who works on a farm and grows food	The farmer brought the animals fresh leaves to eat.



leaf nature ulleo 2018, pixabay.com



tree jplenio 2018, pixabay.com



green leaf leovalente 2014, pixabay.com

leaves

the green parts of a plant or a tree

word	class	definition	sentence
leaves	noun (plural)	the green parts of a plant or a tree	Ali collected the leaves from the tree to make medicine.



dangerous, Clker-Free-Vector-Images, July 28, 2014, Pixabay



Fire, AlexAntropov86, 2017 pixabay.com







dangerous

a place, object or a person that could hurt you

word	class	definition	sentence
dangerous	adjective	a place, object or a person that could hurt you	His father told him to go inside because that sandstorm was dangerous.





<u>sting</u>, Hans 2013, pixabay.com

scorpion

a small, dangerous animal that lives in deserts

poison scorpion, Clker-Free-Vector-Images 2012, pixabay.com

word	class	definition	sentence
scorpion	noun	a small, dangerous animal that lives in deserts	Ahmed ran away from the scorpion because it was dangerous.





Apple, Gerd Altmann, 2016, Pixabay



special

something that is important, different or unusual

Present, Clker-Free-Vector-Images, 2014, Pixabay

word	class	definition	sentence
special	adjective	something that is important, different or unusual	They held a special event for students who got an A in English.



Salad Spochia 2017, pixabay.com





Salad silviarita, 2017 pixabay.com

salad

a mix of different vegetables eaten together

word	class	definition	sentence
salad	noun	a mix of different vegetables eaten together	Marwan had a salad with lettuce, cucumbers and feta cheese.

Part 2: Top tips

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The End of Term Exam is made up of three sections.

<u>Part 1</u>

Part 1 of the Reading Summative Assessment is a narrative text. The purpose of a narrative text is to entertain rather than inform. It can be a literary text, involving a story written from either a first- or third-person perspective. This text type is characterised by informal language, direct speech, characters and plot.

• 8 multiple-choice questions

5. When do the family have breakfast?

A before they go for a walk

B after they finish their walk

C during their morning walk

<u>Top tips</u>

Outcomes

Assessments written using a narrative text ask students about information from the events, description and characters in the text. The outcomes in part 1 are detailed in the individual assessment planners for their respective level and include the following:

Overall meaning – questions around overall meaning ask students for information from the entire text. They could ask about an alternative title for the text, for example, as this means the student needs to have comprehended the whole text in order to answer correctly.

Specific information – questions that ask students for the information of a few words in the text. Students need to demonstrate that they can accurately pinpoint the required information in the text. These questions often involve facts and might begin with 'what,' 'when' or 'where.'

Details – questions that require the information from a whole sentence or clause to answer. They are often focused around the reasons for something or results of something and might begin with 'why' or 'how.'

<u>Part 2</u>

Part 2 of the Reading Assessment is an informative text. This text type's purpose is to impart information and it has a lot of facts. The language used can be informal (blog posts, for example, can be informative texts) or formal (newspaper articles or academic journals can also be informative texts). Informative texts can be written from a first-person perspective (blog posts and reports, for example) or can be formal and impersonal (articles).

• 8 multiple-choice questions

5. What is the best way down the mountain?		
A hiking		
B helicopter		
C toboggan		

Outcomes

Assessments written using an informative text ask students about factual information. The outcomes in part 2 are detailed in the individual assessment planners and include the following:

Specific information

Details

Main points – questions that ask students to comprehend the information from an entire paragraph or section of the text. In an informative, factual text, this could be from the topic sentence of a well-constructed paragraph. Examples of main points questions could be, 'What is the topic of paragraph three?' or, 'In paragraph 4, what does Salim say about future jobs?'

<u>Part 3</u>

Part 3 of the assessment is a MAZE. This is a short informative text with nine gaps in the sentences that assess students' proficiency in level-specific grammar, functional language and lexis. This assessment type is called a MAZE because it is a textual maze. Students need to be able to make the right 'turns' within a short text by selecting the correct word or words to complete sentences. It requires students to make connections between different parts of a text and apply their skills and knowledge in an integrated, authentic way.

This is a MAZE 1 (text / texting / texts). It has gaps that students 2 (have to / don't have to / might) fill by choosing the correct 3 (grammer / grammar / gramar), functional language or vocabulary point. It is an efficient method of testing students 4 (due to / but / because) it allows testing of multiple different elements of language in a single 5 (assessement / assessment / assessment). It is also quite cognitively 6 (demanding / demanded) as students may need the context of sentences around the one with the gap 7 (in respect of / in order to / in connection with) answer correctly.





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