

Skills For Life Reading Sample Paper 2, Entry 1

Question number	Assessment focus	Item number	T/S/W	Key	Marks
1	Identify the text types of texts B and C.	1	T	(B) advertisements	1
2	Read the advertisements to locate the ages of each television.	2 + 3	W	1 year (old) 8 months (old)	1 + 1
3	Read and understand the main points and detail in the email and TV advertisements, in order to work out that the TV in Text B is more suitable for Gulay.	4	T	(A) Text B	1
	Read and understand the main points and detail in the email and TV advertisements, in order to extract and report two reasons why Gulay would find the TV in text B more suitable.	5 + 6	T	<i>Any 2 suitable reasons, such as:</i> It is small. / It's a small TV. It costs £45. / It isn't very expensive.	2 + 2
4	Read and understand that Gulay should phone the number in the advertisement.	7	S	(tele)phone / call / ring (Harry: 020 7791 1136) (Werku: 08977 563987)	2
Total number of marks					10

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5	Recognise and understand the five common signs and symbols found in shops in order to decode meaning.	8	W	F	1
		9	W	C	1
		10	W	E	1
		11	W	B	1
		12	W	D	1
6	Recognise that the combination of letters and digits correspond to a date, a price and a time.	13	W	(A) a date	1
		14	W	(B) a price	1
		15	W	(C) a time	1
7	Read and obtain information from a notice, using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the name of the shop.	16	T	Sunshine Superstore	1
8	Read and obtain information from a notice, using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the closing time of the shop.	17	W	7.00pm	1
9	Read and obtain information from a notice, using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the floor for the café.	18	W	(D) 3 rd floor	1
10	Read and obtain information from a notice, using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the floor for sports.	19	W	(D) 3 rd floor	1
11	Read and obtain information from a notice using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the floor for women's clothes.	20	W	(C) 2 nd floor	1
12	Read and obtain information from longer text using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the floor for men's clothes.	21	W	(B) 1 st floor	1
13	Read and obtain information from longer text using a combination of words and numbers, to identify the floor for shoes.	22	W	(A) ground floor	1
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14	Read and understand the main points of the whole text and specific sections in order to identify that you can shop at the local shop in the evening.	23	S	(C) the local shop	1
15	Read and understand the main points of the whole text and specific sections in order to identify that the market is only open on 3 days.	24	S	(B) the market	1
16	Read and understand the main points of the whole text and specific sections in order to identify that the supermarket is closed on Sunday.	25	S	(A) the supermarket	1
17	Read and understand the main points of the whole text and specific sections in order to identify that Ali goes shopping at the weekend.	26	S	(C) Ali	1
18	Read and understand the main points of the whole text and specific sections in order to identify that Flora goes shopping on 2 days.	27	S	(B) Flora	1
19	Read and understand the main points of the whole text and specific sections in order to identify that Samir likes to shop in the morning.	28	S	(A) Samir	1
20	Read and understand the main points of the whole text in order to draw conclusions about which place they would like to shop at and why.	29	T	(A) the supermarket / (B) the market / (C) the local shop	1
		30	T	<i>Any two plausible reasons such as:</i> Because it is friendly. (<i>the local shop</i>) Because I like meeting my friends. (<i>the market</i>) Because the food is cheap. (<i>the supermarket</i>)	2 + 2
		31			
Total number of marks					11