

SCORING KEY FOR THE ENGLISH TEST – 5th Grade, Version A
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TASK 1: Access to information from spoken texts				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
1	2 (a desk)	CL	f	
2	3 (feet)	CL	g	
3	4 (a football)	CL	i	
4	5 (a duck)	CL	h	
5	6 (a car)	CL	e	
TASK 2: Access to information from spoken texts				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
6	2	CL	b	
7	3	CL	b	
8	4	CL	b	
9	5	CL	a	
TASK 3: Access to information from spoken texts				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
10	2	CL	c	
11	3	CL	b	
12	4	CL	a	
13	5	CL	b	

TASK 4: Access to information from written texts				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
14	2	CL	125	1 = correct answer 0 = wrong answer
15	3	CL	37	
16	4	CL	50	
17	5	CL	1200	
18	6	CL	3400	
TASK 5: Access to information from written texts				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
19	2	CL	a	
20	3	CL	c	
21	4	CL	b	
22	5	CL	g	
23	6	CL	e	
TASK 6: Access to information from written texts				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
24	1	OP	1 = Silver 0 = other	0-1
25	2	OP	1 = (one day) Silver hurt(s) (his leg). She want(s) to ride. She want(s) to be in the race. Rona cannot ride the horse/Silver. Silver (can) not run. 0 = other	0-1
26	3	CL	b	
27	4	CL	a	
28	5	CL	c	

TASK 7 Access to information from written texts

Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
29	1b	OP	1= Ron 0= other	0-1
30	1c	OP	2= (two/2) tickets to a concert 1= (two/2) tickets 0= other	0-2
31	1d	OP	1= Aunt Betty, Betty, Aunt 0= other	0-1
32	2	OP	1= Sue 0= other	0-1
33	3	CL	c	
34	4	CL	c	

TASK 8 Written Presentation				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
35	2	OP	See instructions below	0-5
36	3	OP	See instructions below	0-5
37	4	OP	See instructions below	0-5
38	5	OP	See instructions below	0-5
Evaluate each sentence according to the writing scale below.				
<p>Content: Description of picture is relevant and comprehensible</p> <p>Sentence Structure: Word order is correct and sentence includes subject and verb, unless the main verb is "be"</p> <p><i>In addition, at least three of the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Correct form of verb (helping verb and agreement) * Correct spelling of high frequency words * Correct use of articles and prepositions * Correct use of capital letters * Correct use of full stop <p>Mark according to the above criteria for the <u>first</u> sentence that does not include a capital letter or full stop. Additional sentences that do not have capital letters or full stops need to meet at least TWO of the above criteria, instead of three.</p>				5
<p>Content: Description of picture is at least partially relevant and at least partially comprehensible</p> <p>Sentence Structure: Word order is correct</p> <p><i>In addition, at least three of the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * At least partially correct form of verb * Correct or mostly correct spelling of high frequency words * Correct or mostly correct use of articles and prepositions * Correct or mostly correct use of capital letters * Correct or mostly correct use of full stop 				3
<p>Content: Description of picture is irrelevant, incomprehensible or doesn't relate to topic of task</p> <p>Sentence Structure: Word order and verb form are incorrect</p>				1
<p>Writes only ONE word</p> <p>Does not write in English</p>				0

❖ See sample sentences on the next page.

Picture 1	
Sample Answers	Points
The boy is in park.	5
Boy is sad.	5
the boy is crying	5
Boy is crying sad	5
The boy is crying sad	5
The boy crying	5
boy in park	3
boy is crying	3
the kied is cray	3
boy is park sad	1
are boy is sad	1
is sad	1
Boy	0

Picture 2	
Sample Answers	Points
the boy see policeman.	5
There is policeman talking.	5
The boy are sad	5
I see policeman	5
A policeman is come.	5
The boy no happy.	5
Boy talking policeman	3
policeman talking	3
coming is policeman	1
policeman see is Ron	1
the is policeman	1
policeman is	1

Picture 3	
Sample Answers	Points
The policeman is helping boy.	5
One man see the boy and go to him	5
Mother is in park	5
I see mother	5
The boy is find is mom.	5
The mother of the boy coming.	5
policeman is see mother	3
the boy see mother	3
the Mom come to.	3
I see boy happy	3
the boy happy is mother	1
he mother fine hem	1
See is policeman	1
policeman boy	1

Picture 4	
Sample Answers	Points
The boy is happy and hes mom to.	5
Mother is crying happy	5
The mom is kissing to the boy	5
The boy kissing his mother	5
the boy and mother is happy	3
boy happy mother smiling	3
The mon and The boy kising.	3
is boy smiling and mother kissing	1
boy is helping happy	1
park is mother	1

TASK 9: Written presentation				
Running Q	Task Item #	Question Type	Answer Key	Scoring Range
39	1	OP	See instructions below	0-5
Evaluate the postcard according to the writing scale below. The intermediate levels are for the students that fall between the detailed descriptions.				
Writes four simple relevant sentences or a smaller number of complex sentences Relates to at least two or three topics about the holiday Content is comprehensible Mostly correct word order (includes subject and verb) Mostly correct form of verbs (helping verb and agreement) <i>In addition, any three of the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Mostly correct spelling of high frequency words * Mostly correct use of articles and prepositions * Mostly correct use of capital letters * Mostly correct use of full stops 				5
				4
Writes two to three simple relevant sentences or a smaller number of complex sentences Relates to at least two topics about the holiday Content is at least partially comprehensible Mostly correct word order Mostly correct form of verbs <i>In addition, any three of the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * At least partially correct spelling of high frequency words * At least partially correct use of articles and prepositions * At least partially correct use of capital letters * At least partially correct use of full stops 				3
				2
Writes only one relevant sentence or part of a sentence Relates to only one topic about the holiday Content is incomprehensible and/or not related to task Incorrect word order Copies from task instructions and gives one word answer to these questions Incorrect form of verbs or lacks verb <i>In addition, any three of the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Frequent spelling errors * Incorrect use of articles and prepositions * No capital letters and full stops 				1
Information is irrelevant to the topic Only copies instructions Writes isolated word/s Does not write in English				0