

Sample Assessment for Functional Skills English Reading Level 1

Time and Money

Question Paper

Note:

These materials relate to the Functional Skills English assessments that will be in use from September 2015

3748-010
Level 1 Functional Skills English
Reading
Sample Assessment 1
Time and Money

Candidate Name (First, Middle, Last)

Candidate enrolment number

DOB (DDMMYYYY)

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Assessment date (DDMMYYYY)

Centre number

General information

- The duration of this paper is **1 hour, 10 minutes**.
- Answer **all 15** questions.
- The maximum marks for each question are shown.
- The maximum number of marks is **40**.

General instructions

- Read each question carefully.
- You do not need to write in complete sentences.
- You will not be assessed on spelling, punctuation and grammar.
- Dictionaries **are** allowed.

***I declare that I have no prior knowledge of the questions in this assessment and that I will not divulge to any person information about the questions.**

Scenario

You have spare time but not much money. You want to make sure you make the most of your time and money.

You read the following documents:

- an article about making some extra money **(Document 1)**
- a webpage about festivals **(Document 2)**.

Read the documents in the source booklet and answer the questions.

Questions 1-8 are about **Document 1**.

- 1 Give **four** ways the layout of the article helps you to locate information on the page. **4 marks**

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- 2 At a glance, what are the **three main** ways to make money? **3 marks**

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- 3 What **three** formal channels could you use to help you find a job? **3 marks**

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- 4 What services does the article suggest you can offer to earn money? Give **two** examples. **2 marks**

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- 5 What are the **four** benefits of working part-time? **4 marks**

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- 6 Which website does the text suggest for selling clothes? **1 mark**

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- 7 According to the article, how much money can you hope to make selling at a car boot sale? **1 mark**

TICK **ONE**

- a) £5. ☐
- b) £10. ☐
- c) £20. ☐
- d) £40. ☐

- 8 What are **two** ways you can find out about local car boot sales? **2 marks**

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Questions 9-15 are about **Document 2**.

- 9 List **four** ways the web page attracts the reader's attention to the main themes.

4 marks

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- 10 The main emphasis of this document is to encourage the reader to:

1 mark

TICK **ONE**

- a) get paid work at a festival ☐
- b) be in a festival audience ☐
- c) play in a band at a festival ☐
- d) work voluntarily at a festival ☐

- 11 What types of activities can you volunteer to do at festivals? Give **four** examples. **4 marks**
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- 12 If you worked for KC Services at a festival, what **three** things could you expect in return? **3 marks**
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- 13 Which charities could you contact to apply for volunteering jobs? Give **three** examples. **3 marks**
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14 What **two** personal qualities do successful volunteers have?

2 marks

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15 Give **three** ways you can increase the likelihood that your application to be a festival volunteer will be successful.

3 marks

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