# Functional Skills English (4748) Entry 1 Reading Sample assessment



## **Candidate Paper**

## **Food and Drink**

Time allowed: 30 minutes	
Total marks: 10	
Candidate's name:	
City & Guilds enrolment number:	
Date of registration:	
Date of assessment:	
<ul> <li>You will need</li> <li>a pen with black or blue ink</li> <li>a dictionary.</li> <li>Instructions</li> <li>Read each question carefully.</li> <li>Answer all the questions.</li> <li>You do not need to write full sentences.</li> <li>There are no marks for spelling or punctuation.</li> </ul>	
Candidate's declaration: I confirm that this assessment is my own work.	
Candidate's signature	
Date	

## **Activity 1**

### Read the text.

Hello Jonny

How are you this morning?

I'm just making myself a cup of tea and some toast. What are you having today? I may take some fruit to work. I love apples.

Jamal is making pasta for us tonight.
Then I think we'll have some ice cream.

Do you want to eat with us at our house? We can watch a film after.

Let me know.

**Thanks** 

Jenna

## Complete the sentences about the text.

1.	The text is
	a letter.
	a postcard.
	a message.
	(Tick one)
2.	Jenna is making
3.	Jenna really likes
4.	This evening, Jenna is going to eat
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	and
5.	The text is for
	Jamal.
	Jenna.
	Jonny.
	(Tick one)

6 marks

#### Read the text.

# Time for chocolate

Do you enjoy chocolate? Many people do.

Chocolate comes from the cocoa bean.



Many years ago people in Mexico were the first to use cocoa beans. They mixed them with hot water. Next, they added pepper. Then they drank it.

Cocoa bean

The king of Mexico liked this hot drink very much. He drank fifty cups a day. He called the drink chocolate.

Years later people started to use cocoa beans to make chocolate that they could eat.



Now one in six British people eat chocolate every day. The Swiss eat more chocolate than anyone else.

# Answer the questions about the text. 1. What is the text about? (Tick one) Life in Mexico. Growing cocoa beans. The story of chocolate. What did people in Mexico add to cocoa beans and water? 2. Who drank fifty cups of chocolate every day? 3. 4. Who eats the most chocolate? (Tick one) The British. Swiss people. People in Mexico.

4 marks

Check your work.

### **End of assessment**