

The learner will be required to complete TWO TASKS at B1.

TASK 1: 75 – 100 WORDS AND TASK 2: 100 – 125 WORDS Points range from 0-12				
Marks	3	2	1	0
Range of Vocabulary and Spelling	Learner demonstrates effective use of nouns with 80% accuracy in spellings of unfamiliar vocabulary. Appropriate use and range of vocabulary relevant to the level and context throughout. Uses present tense forms accurately and 3-5 adjectives correctly.	Learner demonstrates some appropriate use of vocabulary. Nouns are used well and spelling basic vocabulary is correct, although spelling errors do occur in complex structures but these do not exceed 30%. Despite errors, vocabulary is correctly applied to content. Uses 2-3 adjectives correctly.	Learner demonstrates limited use of appropriate vocabulary. 1-2 adjectives used correctly and spelling errors of complex words do not exceed 40%. Conjunctions are used effectively and more complex linking words are mostly accurate with 3-4 errors.	Illegible text and incorrect use of vocabulary throughout. No evidence of adjectives. Conjunctions are used ineffectively. Spelling is weak; around 50% misspellings in unfamiliar vocabulary. B1 writing is unaccomplished. Final product is insufficient.
Accuracy and Grammar	Learner produces text using basic grammar accurately, and 20% of errors occur with more complex grammatical forms. Errors do not impede general comprehension. Punctuation is used accurately throughout with accurate word order. Attempts range of verb forms.	Learner uses basic grammar accurately. 30% of errors occur with more complex grammatical forms. Errors do not impede general comprehension. Punctuation errors occur and attempts at a range of complex verb forms shows evidence of errors.	Minor errors in basic grammar at B1. 40% of errors occur in more complex grammatical forms, punctuation and word order. Tense forms may be inaccurate but there are attempts at a range of complex structures, although some comprehension is impeded.	Learner does not produce a comprehensible text. Several errors in punctuation. Little or no understanding of grammatical forms and tenses are inaccurate throughout 50% and above.
Format	Learner recognises the difference between formal and informal texts and can demonstrate use of appropriate salutations and style/genre of language. Effective use of paragraphs showing logical cohesion and organisation of ideas at all times. Fluid and smooth sentences. Correct punctuation.	Learner demonstrates awareness of the difference between formal and informal texts and can demonstrate use of appropriate salutations and style/genre of language, though this may not be maintained throughout the text. 30% of errors with format: Paragraphs are used showing logical cohesion and organisation of ideas most of the time and sentences are fluid and smooth with punctuation.	Learner may not demonstrate awareness of the difference between formal and informal texts but can demonstrate use of appropriate salutations in most instances; there may be errors with style/genre of language. 40% of errors with format: Paragraphs do not always show logical cohesion and organisation of ideas but are punctuated.	No demonstration of the awareness of the difference between formal and informal texts and unable to demonstrate appropriate salutations. No evidence of effect paragraphing to show logical cohesion and organisation of ideas. No basic sentence structure in, or understanding of, formal/informal texts.
Content	Learner demonstrates a thorough understanding and awareness of task and content is relevant with coherently linked ideas. Learner understands the question and provides answers with elaborated ideas. Writing is tidy and legible.	Learner demonstrates some understanding and awareness of the task. Learner understands the question but response limited in depth and ideas not written at length, but able to maintain expression without elaboration at B1. Untidy, illegible writing.	Learner demonstrates limited understanding and awareness of the task yet understands the question. Unable to execute an effective answer. However, an answer is attempted on some aspects of the task requirement in B1. Untidy, illegible writing.	Learner does not produce text relevant to the context of the task. No understanding or awareness of the task requirements. Attempted answer does not fully meet the word count required and is incomplete. Untidy and illegible writing.