Entry Level 1 Functional English Practice reading paper

Curriculum mapping and teaching notes

Background

This E1 practice reading paper is based on the Pearson E1 assessments. A matching E1 writing paper is also available.

The author has mirrored the layout and question types and has purposely included words from the E1 spelling list.

Useful for summative assessment in the lead up to exams and ideal practice for all E1 learners regardless of the Awarding Organisation used.

Marking

The current (Oct 2021) pass mark for Pearson E1 Reading is 12/16.

Functional Skills mapping

Covers all aspects of the E1 Reading Content (listed below).

Subject content – Reformed FUNCTIONAL SKILLS ENGLISH Reading
✓= **content** covered. ***Source:*** *Subject content functional skills: English. DfE (Feb 2018),* https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/functional-skills-subject-content-english
Entry Level 1
***Scope of study – learners should read:**
Short, simple texts that **inform (Text A), describe (Text C)** and **narrate (Text B)**. ✓
E1.8 Read correctly words designated for Entry Level 1 ✓ **All questions** E1.9 Read simple sentences containing one clause ✓ **All questions** E1.10 Understand a short piece of text on a simple subject ✓ **All questions**

You can find Pearson-Edexcel Entry Level Functional Skills English practice tests at:
https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-functional-skills/english-2019.coursematerials.html

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