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Sample Assessment for Functional Skills English Reading Level 2

Fun Run

Mark Scheme

Note:

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

Functional Skills English Level 2

Reading

3748-013

Marking Scheme

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Reading	Maximum marks	Coverage and Range	Fixed/Open response
1 What is meant by the term "in the same boat" when comparing the ambulance service with Medics Abroad? they always travel together they are the same organisation both charge for their services both organisations are charities	1 mark	2.2.4	Fixed
2 Find **three** phrases in the text that suggest Henry Smith has a positive view of the fun run. Three from: • fundraising through fun-filled fitness! • the highlight of the Medics Abroad calendar • the best fun run yet • really big money spinner • We have successfully raised money • allowing people to enjoy themselves / meet a challenge (accept similar wording) (one mark for each – maximum 3 marks)	3 marks	2.2.4	Open

3 Identify **three** language techniques the manager uses in the email. Give an example from the text of each technique identified. Three techniques – 1 mark for each technique (max 3 marks) 1 mark for each linked example (max 3 marks) **Alliteration:** eg, fundraising through fun-filled fitness! **Repetition:** eg, It is **Persuasive language:** eg, we are relying on you to make this a success **Emotive language:** eg, those children abroad that our doctors and nurses help are all the motivation you need. **Humour:** eg, try to avoid burger and chip vans! **Question:** eg, we don't want a fine for illegal trading, do we? **Idiom / metaphor:** eg, money spinner eg, they can rocket **Pun:** eg, race runs eg, on track **Imperative:** eg, you must ensure the race runs smoothly eg, don't be afraid to make changes (accept any other justifiable technique with / without linked example) If example is incorrect, this invalidates the technique mark. (accept similar wording)	6 marks	2.2.3	Open

4 What are two layout features the author uses to help communicate the message in Document 2? Two from: • Title • Larger font / different sized fonts • Bold • Picture • Paragraphs • Sub headings • Bullet points • Underlining (one mark for each – maximum 2 marks)	2 marks	2.2.3	Open
5 Document 2 promotes a free service. Identify four phrases that suggest there may be the opportunity to buy additional services. upgraded services are also available free basic (event pages) a competitive marketing service the services of an event coordinator....for a small fee (accept similar wording) (one mark for each – maximum 4 marks)	4 marks	2.2.5	Fixed
6 Which one of options a-d best describes the **main** purpose of Document 3 and which one of options e-h best describes the tone of the language used? Purpose of text identified (1 mark) to review to promote to instruct to describe Tone of the language used (1 mark) formal humorous negative neutral	2 marks	2.2.3	Fixed

7 Identify **four** biased phrases in Document 3. Four from: • essential for your event • first class medical cover • outstanding skills • the best • state of the art • comprehensive • latest (one mark for each – maximum 4 marks)	4 marks	2.2.4	Open
8 According to Documents 2 and 3, what are **four** legal health and safety requirements? Four from: • first aid services in attendance (doc 2) • risk assessments (doc 2) • fire evacuation plans (over 200 spectators) (doc 2) • attended by a minimum of one qualified first aider (doc 3) • have a comprehensive medical emergency plan (doc 3) (accept similar wording) (one mark for each – maximum 4 marks)	4 marks	2.2.2	Open

9 Compare and contrast what Documents 1 and 2 say about planning an event. **4 marks in total:** maximum 2 for detail maximum 2 for comparing and/or contrasting **Detail** Evidence from 1 source only 1 piece of evidence from both sources At least 2 pieces of evidence from 1 source and only 1 from the other **Comparing / Contrasting** No explicit comparing / contrasting One instance of explicit comparing / contrasting eg, whereas… Two or more instances of explicit comparing / contrasting eg, however…, on the other hand…, both documents… **Evidence from Document 1** three months so you have plenty of time only one person needed to plan weekly updates **Evidence from Document 2** 6 months to plan Team needed to plan Weekly updates (accept similar wording)	**TOTAL 4 MARKS: (see below)** **0 marks** **1 mark** **2 marks** **0 marks** **1 mark** **2 marks**	2.2.5	Open
10 What do the majority of reviewers think is the best feature of the medical cover provided at events? Give **two** examples from the text to support your answer. Level of care / standard of care (1 mark) (accept similar wording) Supporting evidence (2 marks) Two of: • the level of care was outstanding • quality of care really stood out • excellent standard of care	3 marks	2.2.1	Open

11 According to Documents 1 and 3, how can your event be publicised? Four from: • use Just-Fund-It • individuals (spread the word) • publicity materials • Ambulance People newsletter • Ambulance People website (accept similar wording) (one mark for each – maximum 4 marks)	4 marks	2.2.2	Open
12 Apart from what, when and where, what information does the online fundraiser suggest should be included on a page to maximise fundraising? Three from: • How the money raised will be used • Tell your organisation's story • Set a realistic fundraising target • Highlight the most generous donations • Include testimonials from previous events (accept similar wording) (one mark for each – maximum 3 marks)	3 marks	2.2.1	Open
Total available marks for Reading assessment	**40**		**Fixed 17.5% Open 82.5%**
Candidate marks			
Indicative pass mark	***28 marks out of 40**		

Sample assessments are not subject to a mark scheme finalisation process, where around 200 completed scripts are required for review to draw out additional answers. Please award additional marks as appropriate to any other justifiable answers.

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