

Mark Scheme

Functional
Skills

Edexcel Functional Skills qualifications in English at Entry Level 3 - Reading mark scheme



E3 Reading - Task A mark scheme

Text A1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	C - comedy evening	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	D - Town Hall	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	Canal museum / museum	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	Accept any two of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Quiz night (1)• Canal walk (1)• Comedy evening (1) One mark for each correct answer up to a maximum of two marks.	2

Text A2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	B - Tickets can be bought anytime on the day	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	Accept any one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Old buildings (1)• Locks(1)• Farmland (1)• Lovely scenery (1)	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	C- £7.00	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	11 / 11 am	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	Accept any valid definition	1

E3 Reading - Task B mark scheme

Text B1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	C - suitable for beginners	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	Accept any two of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• helmet (1)• goggles (1)• gloves (1) One mark for each correct answer up to a maximum of two marks	2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	Accept any one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ditches (1)• farmland (1)• woodland (1)• hills (1)	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	D - £49	1

Text B2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	Accept any one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• (by) telephone (1)• (call) 0739128475 (1)• online (1)• (go to) www.firstgearlessons.com (1)	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	C - You can book a two hour lesson	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	CRB / Criminal Record Bureau	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	A - block bookings	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	Accept any valid definition	1

E3 Reading - Task C mark scheme

Text C1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	B - In the kitchen	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	Accept any valid definition	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	D - You should keep heaters away from the furniture.	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	smoke alarm (on each floor)	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	Get out (of the house)	1

Text C2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	Accept any one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A safety hazard (1)• Can cause accidents (1)	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	C - up in the loft	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	Accept any two of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recycle (1)• Give to friends (1)• Give to charities (1)• Have a car boot sale (1) One mark for each correct answer to a maximum of two marks	2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	B - make your home a safer place	1

E3 Reading - Task D mark scheme

Text D1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	B - The digital TV signal is stronger than the old TV signal.	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	Accept any valid definition	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	2008	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	You will not get any TV channels / no TV channels	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	C - your postcode	1

Text D2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	D - Football	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	C - Cricket	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	Accept any two of the following <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cycling (1)• Golf (1)• Athletics (1)• Boxing (1) One mark for each correct answer to a maximum of two marks.	2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	Channel B	1

E3 Reading - Task E mark scheme

Text E1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	C - Thursday 12 th April	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	Accept any valid definition	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	Accept any two of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jobs (1)• Courses (1)• Apprenticeships (1) One mark for each correct answer to a maximum of two marks.	2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	D- Local employers will be at the Jobs Fair.	1

Text E2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	B - 19 th October	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	A - look around the work place with the manager	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	A map (of where to find them)	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	West Street	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	(Tele)phone the office / call the office	1

E3 Reading - Task F mark scheme

Text F1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	Training Room 2	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	Accept any valid definition	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	B - 11.00	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	14.00 (-15.00) / 2 o'clock / 2 pm	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	A - telephones	1

Text F2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	C - The workstation must be cleared at the end of each day.	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	Report the problem to the IT helpdesk	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	D - switch off the computer	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	Accept any two of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Paperwork (1)• Personal items (1)• crockery (1) One mark for each correct answer to a maximum of two marks.	2

Assessment coverage mapping

Learners must complete two tasks to meet the coverage and range of the skills standard at entry level 3.

Task A

Reading				
<u>Skill Standard</u>				
<u>Criterion Ref. no.</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>No. of marks</u>	<u>%</u>
E3.2.1	Q5 Q6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the main points of texts 	2	20
E3.2.2	Q1 Q4(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specific information through detailed reading 	3	30
E3.2.3	Q2 Q7 Q9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use organisational features to locate information 	3	30
E3.2.4	Q3 Q8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and understand texts in different formats using strategies/techniques appropriate to the task 	2	20
Total for Task A			10	100

Task B

Reading				
<u>Skill Standard</u>				
<u>Criterion Ref. no.</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>No. of marks</u>	<u>%</u>
E3.2.1	Q1 Q7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the main points of texts 	2	20
E3.2.2	Q2 (2) Q3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specific information through detailed reading 	3	30
E3.2.3	Q4 Q5 Q9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use organisational features to locate information 	3	30
E3.2.4	Q6 Q8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and understand texts in different formats using strategies/techniques appropriate to the task 	2	20
Total for Task B			10	100

Task C

Reading				
<u>Skill Standard</u>				
<u>Criterion Ref. no.</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>No. of marks</u>	<u>%</u>
E3.2.1	Q1 Q6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the main points of texts 	2	20
E3.2.2	Q3 Q5 Q7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specific information through detailed reading 	3	30
E3.2.3	Q2 Q8(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use organisational features to locate information 	3	30
E3.2.4	Q4 Q9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and understand texts in different formats using strategies/techniques appropriate to the task 	2	20
Total for Task C			10	100

Task D

Reading				
<u>Skill Standard</u>				
<u>Criterion Ref. no.</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>No. of marks</u>	<u>%</u>
E3.2.1	Q1 Q4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the main points of texts 	2	20
E3.2.2	Q3 Q6 Q7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specific information through detailed reading 	3	30
E3.2.3	Q2 Q5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use organisational features to locate information 	2	20
E3.2.4	Q8 (2) Q9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and understand texts in different formats using strategies/techniques appropriate to the task 	3	30
Total for Task D			10	100

Task E

Reading				
<u>Skill Standard</u>				
<u>Criterion Ref. no.</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>No. of marks</u>	<u>%</u>
E3.2.1	Q3 (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the main points of texts 	2	20
E3.2.2	Q1 Q5 Q8 Q9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specific information through detailed reading 	4	40
E3.2.3	Q2 Q7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use organisational features to locate information 	2	20
E3.2.4	Q4 Q6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and understand texts in different formats using strategies/techniques appropriate to the task 	2	20
Total for Task E			10	100

Task F

Reading				
<u>Skill Standard</u>				
<u>Criterion Ref. no.</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>No. of marks</u>	<u>%</u>
E3.2.1	Q1 Q6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the main points of texts 	2	20
E3.2.2	Q3 Q4 Q7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specific information through detailed reading 	3	30
E3.2.3	Q2 Q9(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use organisational features to locate information 	3	30
E3.2.4	Q5 Q8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and understand texts in different formats using strategies/techniques appropriate to the task 	2	20
Total for Task F			10	100

