

Sample Assessment for Functional Skills English Reading Level 1

Time and Money

Question Paper

Note:

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

3748-010
Level 1 Functional Skills English
Reading
Sample Assessment 1
Time and Money

Candidate Name (First, Middle, Last)

Candidate enrolment number

DOB (DDMMYYYY)

Candidate signature and declaration*

Assessment date (DDMMYYYY)

Centre number

General information

- The duration of this paper is **1 hour**.
- Answer **all 15** questions.
- The maximum marks for each question are shown.
- The maximum number of marks is **40**.

General instructions

- Read each question carefully.
- You do not need to write in complete sentences.
- You will not be assessed on spelling, punctuation and grammar.
- Dictionaries **are** allowed.

***I declare that I have no prior knowledge of the questions in this assessment and that I will not divulge to any person information about the questions.**

Scenario

You have spare time but not much money. You want to make sure you make the most of your time and money.

You read the following documents:

- an article about making some extra money (**Document 1**)
- a webpage about festivals (**Document 2**).

Read the documents in the source booklet and answer the questions.

Questions 1-8 are about **Document 1**.

1 How does the layout of the article help you to locate information on the page? **4 marks**

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2 At a glance, what are the **main** ways to make money? **3 marks**

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3 What formal channels could you use to help you find a job? **3 marks**

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4 What services does the document suggest you can offer to earn money? **2 marks**

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5 What are the benefits of working part-time? **4 marks**

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6 Which website does the text suggest for selling clothes? **1 mark**

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7 According to the document, how much money can you hope to make selling at a car boot sale? **1 mark**

TICK **ONE**

a) £5.

b) £10.

c) £20.

d) £40.

8 How can you find out about local car boot sales?

2 marks

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Questions 9-15 are about **Document 2**.

9 How does the author attract the reader’s attention to the main themes? **4 marks**

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10 The main emphasis of this document is to encourage the reader to: **1 mark**

TICK **ONE**

- a) get paid work at a festival
- b) be in a festival audience
- c) play in a band at a festival
- d) work voluntarily at a festival

11 What types of activities can you volunteer to do at festivals? **4 marks**

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12 If you worked for KC Services at a festival, what could you expect in return? **3 marks**

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13 Which charities could you contact to apply for volunteering jobs? **3 marks**

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14 What **two** personal qualities do successful volunteers have? **2 marks**

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15 How can you increase the likelihood that your application to be a festival volunteer will be successful? **3 marks**

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