GRADE 4 SBA

SCORING GUIDE

SECTION A

TASK 1: LISTENING AND SPEAKING

Part 1: Contextualized Conversation

Suggested Responses

1. Yes, I rest, I visit my friends/relatives, I eat different food, I visit places, I do not wake up early.

No

I do a lot of work/I miss my friends/I miss games/I miss teachers.

- 2. We clean the school/classroom/Attend assembly/Go to class/Meet my friends/teachers.
- 3. Classrooms/Pupils/Teachers/Field/Trees/Desks/chairs
- 4. Happy/Sad

PART II

- 1. Cleanliness/tidiness
- 2. We will be dirty/ may become sick.
- 3. Eating a balanced diet/eating well
- 4. To prevent diseases/to remain healthy.

Listening and Speaking Scoring Rubrics (For Part 1 And Part 2)

Criteria	Exceeding	Meeting	Approaching	Below	
	Expectation	Expectation	Expectation	Expectation	
	(Level 4)	(Level 3)	(Level 2)	(Level 1)	
Communication	Almost	Good	Hesitates with	Weak	
(Pronunciation,	perfect/error-free	pronunciation	frequent errors	pronunciation	
intonation and	pronunciation and	and intonation	of pronunciation	skills and	
audibility)	intonation. There	with few errors	and intonation.	intonation and	
	is effort to sound	but the learner is	Meaning can be	many errors.	
	like a native	clearly heard and can be judged as	guessed from the	Lacks sequence	
	speaker. The		responses. Not	and inaudible.	
	learner is clearly		audible and	No meaning can	
	heard as the	logical and easy	difficult to	be derived from	
	response is	to follow.	follow.	the responses.	
	logical and very			So, it is difficult	
	easy to follow.			to follow.	
Comprehension	Interprets all	Interprets most	Interprets some	Exhibits lack of	
(correct responses	questions in	questions in	questions in	understanding of	
and appropriate	context.	context.	context.	the questions or	
vocabulary)	Responds to all	Responds to most	Responds to	does not respond	
	questions		some questions	to questions at	
	appropriately.	appropriately.	appropriately.	all.	
	Uses a variety of	Uses the	Use limited		
	vocabulary in	appropriate	vocabulary in		
		vocabulary in			

Criteria	Exceeding Expectation (Level 4)	Meeting Expectation (Level 3)	Approaching Expectation (Level 2)	Below Expectation (Level 1)	
	response to questions.	response to questions.	response to questions.		
Use of Non- Verbal Cues (confidence, facial expressions, body posture, eye contact, gestures)	Uses a variety of non verbal cues: appropriate facial expressions, body postures, gestures, pauses, poise and meaningful eye contact with the teacher at all times and speaks with confidence.	Uses non verbal cues appropriately: facial expressions, body postures and gestures. Maintains meaningful eye contact with the teacher most of the times and speaks with confidence.	Occasionally uses some non verbal cues and some times and speaks with confidence.	Hardly uses non verbal cues. Makes no eye contact with the teacher, keeps looking down and away while speaking.	

TASK 2: READING ALOUD

Scoring Rubric

Criteria	Exceeding	Meeting	Approaching	Below		
	Expectation	Expectation	Expectation	Expectation		
	(Level 4)	(Level 3)	(Level 2)	(Level 1)		
Speed	Reads correctly	Reads correctly at	Reads correctly	Reads correctly		
(number of	more than 90	least 90 words	between 45 to 89	below 45 words		
words read	words within 1	within 1 minute.	words Reading is	in a minute.		
correctly per	minute.	Reading is smooth	sometimes is halted	Reading		
minute)	Reading is	and natural;	and the reader does	proceeds with		
	consistently	pauses are where	not pause	difficulty and		
	smooth and	they should be	effectively at	many words are		
	natural; pauses are	most of the	sentence ends and	repeated. There		
	consistently	reading time.	commas.	are many stops		
	where they should			and starts that		
	be throughout the			make the reading		
	reading time.			hard to follow.		
Volume and	Reads clearly and	Reads clearly and	Reads clearly and	Often mumbles		
Accuracy	loudly.	loudly enough,	loudly some parts	and cannot be		
(loudness,	Pronounces	correctly	of the passage.	understood.		
pronunciation	correctly more	pronounces all the	Pronounces	Pronounces		
and grouping	than 90 words in	90 words. Groups correctly 45 to 89		below 45 words.		
of words)	the passage.	many words	words. Groups	Volume is too		
	Groups words	logically when	some words	soft to be heard;		
	logically	reading.	logically when	reads word by		
	throughout when		reading.	word and must		
	reading.			be assisted.		
Reading with	The voice carries	The voice carries	The voice	The voice is		
Expression	appropriate	appropriate	sometimes carries	monotone		
(intonation,	inflection (rising	inflection (rising	appropriate	throughout and		
mood and	and falling) and	and falling) and	inflection and the	carries no		

Criteria	Exceeding	Meeting	Approaching	Below
	Expectation (Level 4)	Expectation (Level 3)	Expectation (Level 2)	Expectation (Level 1)
	,			
facial	the tone changes	the tone changes	tone sometimes	inflection and
expressions)	to capture the	to capture the	changes to capture	the tone does not
	mood of the text	mood of the text	the mood of the	change to carry
	throughout. The	most of the time.	text. The voice does	the mood of the
	voice varies	The voice varies	not vary according	text.
	according to	according to	to characters and	
	characters and	characters and	monotone is	
	uses appropriate	uses appropriate	common.	
	pitch (loudness	pitch (loudness	Sometimes uses	
	and softness)	and softness) most	facial expressions	
	throughout.	of the time.	most of the time.	
	Uses facial	Uses facial		
	expressions	expressions most		
	throughout.	of the time.		

Number of Words Read Correctly Per Minute

Conversion Table

Performance Levels	Number of words
Exceeding Expectation (Level 4)	Above 90
Meeting Expectation (Level 3)	90
Approaching Expectation (Level 2)	45-89
Below Expectation (Level 1)	0-44

SECTION B

TASK 3: READING COMPREHENSION

SECTION B

- 1. A
- 2. C
- 3. B
- 4. C
- 5. C
- 6. A
- 7. C
- 8. B

- 9. C
- 10. B
- 11. A
- 12. B
- 13. C
- 14. A
- 15. C
- 16. B

Conversion Table (16 items)

Performance Levels	Marks
Exceeding Expectation (Level 4)	13-16
Meeting Expectation (Level 3)	9-12
Approaching Expectation (Level 2)	5-8
Below Expectation (Level 1)	1-4

TASK 4: LANGUAGE STRUCTURES AND FUNCTIONS

- 17.C
- 18. A
- 19. B
- 20. B
- 21. C
- 22. A
- 23. A
- 24. C
- 25. B
- 26. A
- 27. B
- 28. C
- 29. A
- 30. A

Conversion Table (14 items)

Performance Levels	Marks
Exceeding Expectation (Level 4)	13-14
Meeting Expectation (Level 3)	9-12
Approaching Expectation (Level 2)	5-8
Below Expectation (Level 1)	1-4

Task 5: WRITING

Scoring Rubric

Criteria	Exceeding	Meeting	Approaching	Below		
	Expectation	Expectation	Expectation	Expectation		
	(Level 4)	(Level 3)	(Level 2)	(Level 1)		
Grammar	Almost excellent	Good use of	There are	There are many		
and	use of grammar,	grammar,	moderate errors	errors throughout		
Mechanics of	variety of	punctuation,	of grammar,	in the sue of		
Writing	punctuation	spelling, and	punctuation,	grammar,		
	marks, spelling,	capitalization.	spelling, and	punctuation,		
	and	There are a few	capitalization.	spelling and		
	capitalization.	errors, but they do	But some errors	capitalization and		
	Errors are so few	not impede reading.	can impede	the reader can only		
	and minor that		reading and	guess meaning		
	they do not		meaning.			
	impede reading.					
Handwriting	Neat and easily	Neat and easily	Untidy but	Not easily		
	readable	readable, many	readable; some	readable, many		
	throughout, many	letters are correctly	letters are	letters are not		
	letters are	spaced and sized	correctly spaced	correctly spaced		
	correctly spaced	within lines; many	and sized within	and not sized		
	and sized within	spaces between	lines; some	within lines; many		
	lines; spaces	words are the	spaces between	spaces between		
	between words	correct size.	words are not the	words are not the		
	are the correct		correct size.	correct size.		
	size throughout.					
Vocabulary	Almost free of	Few errors of	Frequent errors	Many errors of		
	errors of subject-	subject-verb	of subject verb	subject-verb		
	verb agreement,	agreement that do	agreement, range	agreement, most		
	very good choice	not impede	of vocabulary is	structures are		
	of words, and	communication,	limited and there	incorrect		
	wide range of	Selection of	is no attempt to	vocabulary		
	vocabulary and	vocabulary is	vary expressions.	repeated and		
	use of varied	appropriate to the		communication is		
0 1 11	expressions.	context.	A	difficult.		
Organization	Exhibits an	Exhibits a logical	Attempts to	Exhibits no sense		
	exceptionally	sequence, there is a	provide a logical	of order and		
	clear sense of	sense of unity and	sequence, there	provided a series		
	unity and order	order, there is a	is some sense of	of separate		
		sense of beginning,	beginning,	sentences and		

throughou	t, there middle and en	nding middle and	disconnected ideas
is a clear s	ense of and makes sn	nooth ending and sor	ne and it is difficult
beginning,	transition bet	ween smooth transiti	on to follow.
middle and	l ideas.	between ideas.	
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RANGE

7-10: level 4

4-6: level 3

3-5: level 2

1-2: level 1

ASSESSMENT SHEET

- Listening and Speaking
 Reading Aloud

No.	Learner's Name	Listening and Speaking (Performance Levels)				Reading Aloud (Performance Levels)				
1.		4	3	2	1	No. of words read correctly	4	3	2	1
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4.										
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