

Exercise 5 – The Pyramid

Purpose: Read close to the limits of linear reading.

Material: Timer, book, paper/document, pencil, metronome

Time	Action	Marks
1 min	 Start in new material. Set metronome speed corresponding to 600 wpm. Write down 1-3 sentences about what you just read, without looking, if you can. 	Start: E5 End: P1
1 min	 Start at E5. Metronome speed 800 wpm. Add to summary if you can. 	Start: E5 End: P2
1 min	 Start at E5. Metronome speed 1000 wpm. Add to summary if you can. 	Start: E5 End: P3
1 min	 Start at E5. Metronome speed 1200 wpm. Add to summary if you can. 	Start: E5 End: P4
1 min	 Start at E5. Metronome speed 1000 wpm. Add to summary if you can. 	Start: E5 End: P5
1 min	Start at E5.Metronome speed 800 wpm.Add to summary if you can.	Start: E5 End: P6
1 min	Start at E5.Metronome speed 600 wpm.Add to summary if you can.	Start: E5 End: P7