

*SKILLS LIST and SAMPLE ITEMS*

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**PRACTICE TEST FOR LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 7**

(Test items developed for skills measured in CRCT)

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*Skills*

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| 1.0 Sentence Construction and Revision  | 4.0 Language Usage                                      |
| 1.1 Types of Sentences                  | 4.1 Parts of Speech                                     |
| 1.2 Parts of a Sentence                 | 4.2 Standard Conventions                                |
| 1.3 Problematic Sentences               | 5.0 Spelling  |
| 1.4 Appropriate Descriptive Word Choice | 5.1 Substitutions                                       |
| 1.5 Combining Simple Sentences          | 5.2 Omissions   |
| 2.0 Paragraph Content and Organization  | 5.3 Reversals   |
| 2.1 Parts of a Paragraph                | 5.4 Unnecessary Additions                               |
| 2.2 Paragraph Organization              | 6.0 Research Process                                    |
| 3.0 Grammar and Mechanics               | 6.1 Identifying and Using the Steps in Research Process |
| 3.1 Capitalization                      | 6.2 Identifying, Collecting, and Using Source Materials |
| 3.2 Punctuation                         |   |
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# CRCT PRACTICE TEST IN LANGUAGE ARTS - GRADE 7 - FORM A

Directions: Read each question carefully. Questions 1-8 have spelling errors. Fill in the circle on your answer sheet for the letter of the underlined word that is NOT spelled correctly.

1. There are one milion layoffs, and the stock market has plunged.  
A B C D

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2. Thousands of Mexican immigrants are takeing some jobs needed by the unemployed.  
A B C D

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3. Reforms are certianly needed in the immigration system.  
A B C D

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4. Some bodily functions are really involuntery.  
A B C D

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5. Our country needs to be vigillant in making drug dealers pay for their crimes.  
A B C D

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6. Don't you agree that there should be a greater tolerence of ethnic differences?  
A B C D

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7. The comittee will deal with the new agenda as soon as possible.  
A B C D

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8. The chief reason my neice came was to see the new gymnastics instructor.  
A B C D

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