

SKILLS LIST and SAMPLE TEST ITEMS

FOR

PRACTICE TEST FOR LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 4 - FORM B

(Test items developed for skills measured in Stanford9)*

Skills

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|---|------------------------------------|
| 1.0 Listening Skills | 9.0 Using Information |
| 1.1 Vocabulary | 9.1 Locating Information |
| 1.2 Recreational Reading | 9.2 Organizing Information |
| 1.3 Informational Reading | 10.0 Related Process |
| 1.4 Functional Reading | 10.1 Prewriting |
| 2.0 Comprehension | 11.0 Thinking Skills |
| 2.1 Understanding | 11.1 Recreational Reading |
| 2.2 Interpret Information | 11.2 Informational Reading |
| 2.3 Explicit/Implicit Information | 11.3 Functional Reading |
| 3.0 Spelling | 11.4 Interpret Information |
| 3.1 Homophones | 11.5 Explicit/Implicit Information |
| 3.2 Consonants | 11.6 Sentence Structure |
| 3.3 Vowels | 11.7 Content and Organization |
| 3.4 Inflectional Endings | 11.8 Composing |
| 3.5 Affixes | 11.9 Dictionary Skills |
| 3.6 No errors | 11.10 General Reference Skills |
| 4.0 Related Process/Spelling | 11.11 Locating Information |
| 4.1 Editing | 11.12 Organizing Information |
| 5.0 Language Mechanics | 11.13 Prewriting Skills |
| 5.1 Capitalization | 12.0 Using Information |
| 5.2 Punctuation | 12.1 Dictionary Skills |
| 5.3 Usage | 12.2 General Reference Skills |
| 6.0 Language Expression | 12.3 Locating Information |
| 6.1 Sentence Structure | 12.4 Organizing Information |
| 6.2 Content and Organization | 12.5 Prewriting |
| 7.0 Related Process (Language Expression) | |
| 7.1 Editing | |
| 7.2 Composing | |
| 8.0 Library/Reference Skills | |
| 8.1 Dictionary | |
| 8.2 General Reference | |

Number of questions: 148

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TEACHER DIRECTIONS - LISTENING SECTION

TEACHER DIRECTIONS: Listen carefully to each question that is read to you. Then listen and read along in your booklet as the answer choices are read. Choose the best answer.

SAMPLE A

The boy sailed toy rafts made of light wood. A raft is a

- A. wagon B. boat C. doll D. ball

1. Native Americans and settlers often bartered for supplies instead of using money. Bartered means

- A. fought B. cooked C. picked D. traded

2. Settlers saw Native Americans make moccasins for their feet. Moccasins are

- A. shoes B. shirts C. pants D. hats

3. Many settlers lived in wigwams. A wigwam is

- A. wagon B. house C. bridge D. game

4. All ants have two antennae. Antennae are

- A. legs B. eyes C. sections D. feelers

5. My brother complains about the weather. To complain means to

- A. gripe B. pretend C. argue D. laugh

6. The food supply was so low, the people were worried about starvation. Starvation means having no

- A. water B. heat C. food D. clothes

7. Women prepare foods for the party. Prepare means

- A. eat B. make C. display D. visit

8. Some visible streams can be seen for miles. Visible means

- A. hidden B. shallow C. deep D. noticeable

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D. noticeable

9. A. copy

B. drawing

C. fake

D. piece

10. A. explained

B. studied

C. read

D. encountered