

SKILLS LIST and SAMPLE TEST ITEMS

FOR

PRACTICE TEST FOR LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 5

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 Listening 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 Sight Words | 11.10 General Reference |
| 4.0 Related Processes | 11.11 Card Catalog |
| 4.1 Editing | 11.12 Locating Information |
| 5.0 Language Mechanics | 11.13 Organizing Information |
| 5.1 Capitalization | 11.14 Prewriting |
| 5.2 Punctuation | 12.0 Using Information |
| 5.3 Usage | 12.1 Dictionary Skills |
| 6.0 Language Expression | 12.2 General Reference Sources |
| 6.1 Sentence Structure | 12.3 Card Catalog |
| 6.2 Content and Organization | 12.4 Locating Information |
| 7.0 Related Process | 12.5 Organizing Information |
| 7.1 Editing | 12.6 Prewriting |
| 7.2 Composing | |
| 8.0 Library/Reference Skills | |
| 8.1 Dictionary Skills | |
| 8.2 General Reference Skills | |
| 8.3 Card Catalog | |

Number of questions: 148

Number of pages: 31

Approximate testing time: 125 minutes

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TEACHER EDITION

TEACHER SAYS: *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 birds soared across the sky. To soar means to

- A. sail B. fly C. walk D. chase

1. That film is inappropriate for young children. Inappropriate means
- A. incomplete C. capable
B. unsuitable D. enjoyable
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2. Ellen is chopping vegetables to make soup. Chopping means
- A. cutting B. washing C. cleaning D. gathering
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3. The waiter was very insecure with his new job. Insecure means
- A. delighted B. pleased C. surprised D. unsure
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4. Our class finished reading the book. To finish reading is to
- A. complete it B. determine it C. involve it D. attach it
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5. Being a teacher requires a great deal of patience. To require is to
- A. desire to C. challenge it
B. conclude it D. need it
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6. Kathy bought an expensive dress for the banquet. Something that is expensive is
- A. enormous B. costly C. decorated D. precious
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7. My baby sister can be very irritating. Irritating means
- A. cuddly B. sweet C. annoying D. special
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8. My brother is a very outgoing person. Outgoing means
- A. shy B. friendly C. selfish D. hungry

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STUDENT EDITION

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