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Score	Reading for writing	Task fulfilment
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Understanding of source materials</li> <li>▶ Selection of relevant content from source texts</li> <li>▶ Ability to identify common themes and links within and across the multiple texts</li> <li>▶ Adaptation of content to suit the purpose for writing</li> <li>▶ Use of paraphrasing/summarising</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Overall achievement of communicative aim</li> <li>▶ Awareness of the writer-reader relationship (style and register)</li> <li>▶ Adequacy of topic coverage</li> </ul>
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Full and accurate understanding of the straightforward ideas of most source materials demonstrated</li> <li>▶ A wholly appropriate and accurate selection of relevant content from the source texts</li> <li>▶ Excellent ability to identify the main conclusions, significant points and common themes within and across the multiple texts</li> <li>▶ An excellent adaptation of content to suit the purpose for writing</li> <li>▶ Excellent paraphrasing/summarising skills of short pieces of information demonstrated</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Excellent achievement of the communicative aim</li> <li>▶ Excellent awareness of the writer-reader relationship</li> <li>▶ All requirements (ie genre, topic, reader, purpose and number of words) of the instruction appropriately met</li> </ul>
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Full and accurate understanding of the straightforward ideas of most source materials demonstrated</li> <li>▶ An appropriate and accurate selection of relevant content from the source texts (ie most relevant ideas are selected and most ideas selected are relevant)</li> <li>▶ Good ability to identify the main conclusions, significant points and common themes within and across the multiple texts</li> <li>▶ A good adaptation of content to suit the purpose for writing</li> <li>▶ Good paraphrasing/summarising skills of short pieces of information demonstrated (with very limited lifting and few disconnected ideas)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Good achievement of the communicative aim (ie important messages conveyed)</li> <li>▶ Good awareness of the writer-reader relationship (ie appropriate use of style and register throughout the text)</li> <li>▶ Most requirements (ie genre, topic, reader, purpose and number of words) of the instruction appropriately met</li> </ul>
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Full and accurate understanding of more than half of the source materials demonstrated</li> <li>▶ An acceptable selection of relevant content from the source texts (the content selected must come from more than one text)</li> <li>▶ Acceptable ability to identify the main conclusions, significant points and common themes within and across the multiple texts</li> <li>▶ Acceptable adaptation of content to suit the purpose for writing</li> <li>▶ Acceptable paraphrasing/summarising skills of short pieces of information demonstrated (with some lifting and disconnected ideas)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Acceptable achievement of the communicative aim</li> <li>▶ Some awareness of the writer-reader relationship</li> <li>▶ Most requirements (ie genre, topic, reader, purpose and number of words) of the instruction acceptably met</li> </ul>
0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Inaccurate and limited understanding of most source materials</li> <li>▶ Inadequate and inaccurate selection of relevant content from the source texts (ie fewer than half of the relevant ideas are selected and most of the selected ideas are irrelevant)</li> <li>▶ Poor ability to identify the main conclusions, significant points and common themes within and across the multiple texts (ie misunderstanding of the common themes and links is evident)</li> <li>▶ Poor adaptation of content to suit the purpose for writing (ie does not use the source texts' content to address the purpose for writing)</li> <li>▶ Poor paraphrasing/summarising skills of short pieces of information demonstrated (with heavy lifting and many disconnected ideas)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Poor achievement of the communicative aim (ie difficult to follow and unconvincing for reader)</li> <li>▶ Poor awareness of the writer-reader relationship</li> <li>▶ Most requirements (ie genre, topic, reader, purpose and number of words) of the instruction are <b>not</b> met</li> </ul>
0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Task not attempted</li> <li>▶ Paper void</li> <li>▶ No performance to evaluate</li> </ul>	

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Score	Organisation and structure	Language control
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Text organisation, including use of paragraphing, beginnings/endings</li> <li>▶ Presentation of ideas and arguments, including clarity and coherence of their development</li> <li>▶ Consistent use of format to suit the task</li> <li>▶ Use of signposting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Range and accuracy of grammar</li> <li>▶ Range and accuracy of lexis</li> <li>▶ Effect of linguistic errors on understanding</li> <li>▶ Control of punctuation and spelling</li> </ul>
<b>4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Effective organisation of text (ie clear organisation of text with ideas sequenced in a linear fashion, the use of paragraphs to separate key themes)</li> <li>▶ Very clear presentation and logical development of all straightforward ideas and arguments</li> <li>▶ Appropriate format throughout the text</li> <li>▶ Effective signposting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Good range of grammatical items relating to the task with good level of accuracy</li> <li>▶ Good range of lexical items relating to the task with good level of accuracy</li> <li>▶ Any errors do not impede understanding</li> <li>▶ Excellent spelling and punctuation</li> </ul>
<b>3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Good organisation of text (eg appropriately organised into paragraphs, appropriate opening and closing)</li> <li>▶ Clear presentation and logical development of most straightforward ideas and arguments</li> <li>▶ Appropriate format in most of the text</li> <li>▶ Good signposting (eg appropriate use of cohesive devices and topic sentences to address a linear sequence)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Appropriate range of grammatical items relating to the task with good level of accuracy (errors may occur when handling more complex ideas)</li> <li>▶ Appropriate range of lexical items relating to the task with good level of accuracy (may contain some circumlocutions)</li> <li>▶ Errors occasionally impede understanding but the overall message is clear</li> <li>▶ Spelling and punctuation good enough to be followed (punctuation of simple sentences is free from errors)</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Acceptable organisation of text (ie showed some awareness of the need for structure with new ideas introduced in new sentences)</li> <li>▶ Presentation and development of most straightforward ideas and arguments are acceptably clear and logical</li> <li>▶ Appropriate format in general</li> <li>▶ Acceptable signposting (eg some appropriate use of cohesive devices and topic sentences to address a linear sequence)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Acceptable level of grammatical accuracy and appropriacy relating to the task, though range may be restricted</li> <li>▶ Acceptable level of lexical accuracy and appropriacy relating to the task, though range may be restricted</li> <li>▶ Errors sometimes impede understanding</li> <li>▶ Acceptable spelling and punctuation</li> </ul>
<b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Very limited or poor text organisation which causes the reader difficulties</li> <li>▶ Most ideas and arguments lack coherence and do not progress logically</li> <li>▶ Inappropriate format throughout the text</li> <li>▶ Poor signposting (lacks use of simple cohesive devices)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Inadequate evidence of grammatical range and accuracy (may have control over the language <b>below</b> the level)</li> <li>▶ Inadequate evidence of lexical range and accuracy (may have control over the language <b>below</b> the level)</li> <li>▶ Errors frequently impede understanding</li> <li>▶ Poor spelling and punctuation throughout</li> </ul>
<b>0</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Task not attempted</li> <li>▶ Paper void</li> <li>▶ No performance to evaluate</li> </ul>	