

ENGLISH READING TEST (Sample 1)

Section 1

ADMINISTER THIS SECTION WITH ALL CHILDREN AND MARK THEM AT THEIR HIGHEST LEVEL

Letter

b

h

o

r

y

i

Ask the child to read all letters. At least 4 must be correct.

Word

cow

eye

doll

sit

home

jump

Ask the child to read all words. At least 4 must be correct.

Sentence

How is your mother?

He has a blue shirt.

Asif sat on a chair.

Hema eats an apple.

Ask the child to read all sentences. At least 2 must be correct.

Section 2

ONLY FOR CHILDREN MARKED AT 'WORD LEVEL' OR 'SENTENCE LEVEL' IN SECTION 1

Comprehension

For a 'word level' child (Code 2 in Section 1) – Ask the child to tell the meaning of the words s/he has read correctly, in his/her local language.

Meaning of at least 4 of the read words must be correct to give code '1' to the child in the word meaning column.

For a 'sentence level' child (Code 3 in Section 1) – Ask the child to tell the meaning of the sentences s/he has read correctly, in his/her local language. Consider the meaning correct even if the child correctly says the meaning of the main underlined words.

DO NOT ASK THE MEANING OF THE UNDERLINED WORDS BY POINTING AT THEM ONE BY ONE.

Meaning of at least 2 of the read sentences must be correct to give code '1' to the child in the sentence meaning column.

Section 3

ONLY FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE AT 'SENTENCE LEVEL' IN SECTION 1

Paragraph

This is a big tree.

There are birds on the tree.

The birds are small.

They are black.

1 ಮರದಲ್ಲಿ ಏನಿವೆ?

2 ಪಕ್ಷಿಗಳು ಯಾವ ಬಣ್ಣದಲ್ಲಿವೆ?

- Ask the first question and wait for the child to answer.
- Do not repeat each question more than twice.
- The child can answer orally in either English or his/her local language.
- Mark the child according to his/her answer.

ENGLISH READING TEST (Sample 1)

Section 4

ONLY FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE GIVEN CODE 2 IN SECTION 3

Ask the child to read the story. Listen carefully while the child is reading and mark him/her accordingly.

Story

Sanjay and his father went to see a lake on a Sunday morning. They saw people boating in the lake. Sanjay and his father also sat in a boat and started to pedal. The lake was very big. They took a round of the lake. Sanjay was tired. He was hungry too. They got off the boat. They sat near the lake and ate lunch. Sanjay enjoyed the day with his father.

- 1 ಸಂಜಯನು ಯಾರ ಜೊತೆ ಕೆರೆ ನೋಡಲು ಹೋದನು?
- 2 ಸಂಜಯನಿಗೆ ಏಕೆ ಸುಸ್ತಾಯಿತು?

- Ask the first question and wait for the child to answer. After the child has responded ask the second question.
- Do not repeat each question more than twice.
- The child can answer orally in either English or his/her local language.
- Mark the child according to his/her answer.

ENGLISH READING TEST (Sample 2)

Section 1

ADMINISTER THIS SECTION WITH ALL CHILDREN AND MARK THEM AT THEIR HIGHEST LEVEL

Letter

h

p

t

x

e

n

Ask the child to read all letters. At least 4 must be correct.

Word

cat

leg

door

tree

sing

eat

Ask the child to read all words. At least 4 must be correct.

Sentence

Where is the shop?

Anil ate one orange.

She has a big car.

Riya likes a red kite.

Ask the child to read all sentences. At least 2 must be correct.

Section 2

ONLY FOR CHILDREN MARKED AT 'WORD LEVEL' OR 'SENTENCE LEVEL' IN SECTION 1

Comprehension

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Meaning of at least 4 of the read words must be correct to give code '1' to the child in the word meaning column.

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Meaning of at least 2 of the read sentences must be correct to give code '1' to the child in the sentence meaning column.

Section 3

ONLY FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE MARKED AT 'SENTENCE LEVEL' IN SECTION 1

Paragraph

This is a big pond.

There are frogs in the pond.

The frogs are fat.

They are brown.

1 ಕೊಳದಲ್ಲಿ ಏನಿವೆ?

2 ಕಪ್ಪೆಗಳು ಯಾವ ಬಣ್ಣದಲ್ಲಿವೆ?

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ENGLISH READING TEST (Sample 2)

Section 4

ONLY FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE GIVEN CODE 2 IN SECTION 3

Ask the child to read the story. Listen carefully while the child is reading and mark him/her accordingly.

Story

One day, Mohan and his sister Anita went to play in a garden. It was a sunny day. Mohan and Anita heard some sounds. The sounds were coming from a tree. They saw two birds sitting on the tree. The birds were thirsty. Anita told her brother to bring a bowl of water. Mohan kept the bowl under the tree. The birds stopped making the sounds. Mohan and Anita started playing again.

1 ಮೋಹನ್ ಮತ್ತು ಅನಿತಾ ಆಟವಾಡಲು ಎಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಹೋದರು?

2 ಪಕ್ಷಿಗಳು ಏಕೆ ಸುಮ್ಮನಾದವು?

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