

Mark Scheme: Reading Level 2**Paper Code: Practice paper 2**

Reference	Subject Content
11.	Identify the different situations when the main points are sufficient and when it is important to have specific details
12.	Compare information, ideas and opinions in different texts, including how they are conveyed
13.	Identify implicit and inferred meaning in texts
14.	Understand the relationship between textual features and devices, and how they can be used to shape meaning for different audiences and purposes
15.	Use a range of reference materials and appropriate resources (e.g. glossaries, legend, keys) for different purposes, including to find the meanings of words in straightforward and complex sources
16.	Understand organisational features and use them to locate relevant information in a range of straightforward and complex sources
17.	Analyse texts, of different levels of complexity, recognising their use of vocabulary and identifying levels of formality and bias
18.	Follow an argument, identifying different points of view and distinguishing fact from opinion
19.	Identify different styles of writing and writer's voice

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Question	Subject Content	Marks available	Accepted Answers
1	13	4	<p><u>1 mark per correct advantage, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Will create jobs b) New link road (bring more business to the area) c) Less traffic d) Maximised/assured productivity e) More revenue/turnover for the company f) Regeneration of derelict land <p>AND</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct disadvantage, max 2 marks</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> g) Disruption to local residents h) Increased traffic i) Noise j) Risk of planning being denied <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
2	15	2	<p><u>1 mark per correct answer, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) the land is not fit for farming/growing crops <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct supporting statement, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) it is derelict land and cannot be used for any agricultural purpose c) the land is only suitable for being built on <p><i>Accept any other correct explanation based on the text (VP)</i></p>
3	11	1	<p><u>1 mark per correct answer, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) to enable a 24-hour operation b) to maximise company productivity <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
4	19	3	<p><u>1 mark per correct style, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) formal b) specialist <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct example, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> c) We need to recruit staff in an efficient and timely manner d) We will shortlist prospective employees based on their qualifications e) Open days must be arranged for the shortlisted candidates f) All new employees must undergo a formal induction, which will include a tour of the site, health and safety training, first-aid reporting and the company's code of conduct. <p><i>Accept any other correct example based on the text (VP)</i></p>

5	11	2	<p><u>1 mark per correct answer, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) the use of persuasive language b) use of high-quality supporting graphics c) the promotion of company benefits d) portray the company as a supporter of local communities <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
6	16	3	<p><u>1 mark per correct organisational feature, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) sub-headings b) numbered list c) paragraphs d) email headings <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct explanation, max 1 mark</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> e) introduces different parts of the text f) draws attention to important detail/allows the reader to identify key details quickly g) collates related content and allows easy reading/flow of content h) provides details about who the email is from/to, the date and subject <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
7	14	3	<p><u>1 mark per correct purpose with explanation, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) to persuade/explain <p>Textual devices include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) rhetorical questions to make the reader think/question c) 1st person perspective to draw the reader in/engage the reader d) punctuation to emphasise points/show emotion e) idioms to express ideas/emphasise points/add character or humour to their ideas <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct example, max 2 marks</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> f) Don't they realise how much noise that road will create? g) I am so pleased/I am desperate to get back to work h) I'll be one of the first to apply!/I'll have no chance! i) Better late than never! <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
8	18	2	<p><u>1 mark for 'opinion', max 1 mark</u></p> <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct explanation, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) The writer is expressing her own thoughts on the situation <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>

9	18	1	<p><u>1 mark per correct answer, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) John thinks the development will destroy local habitats/Richard thinks local wildlife should be moved to other suitable habitats b) John wants to start a protest group/Richard thinks this is a golden opportunity <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
10	14	2	<p><u>1 mark per correct feature, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Use of italics b) Use of emboldened (bold) text c) Different font sizes <p><i>Accept any other correct feature based on the text (VP)</i></p>
11	17	3	<p><u>1 mark for either Text A or Text C, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>1 mark per correct explanation, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <p>TEXT A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Only one side considered b) Focus of the report is on how it will benefit the company c) Counter arguments given to sway the local residents <p>TEXT C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> d) The majority are for the centre e) Counter arguments are given f) Includes personal opinions on the development g) Use of persuasive language <p><i>Accept any other correct answer based on the text (VP)</i></p>
12	12	4	<p><u>Comparison of information from Text A (TA) with information from Text C (TC), awarded as follows, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>2 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) 2 correct comparisons given (but not from the same text) <p>1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) 1 correct comparison given (but not from the same text) <p>0 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> c) Information given from one text only <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) TA says the development will bring greater employment opportunities / TC says that industry and employment for the area is fantastic ii) TA says that the land is currently wasteland / TC states that the area is home to a rich variety of wildlife iii) TA states that improved transport links are likely to bring additional business to the area / TC states that new people to the area will mean more competition for houses, which will increase house prices <p>PLUS</p> <p><u>Comparison of how the ideas and opinions are conveyed, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) TA is formal/TC is informal b) TA is factual/TC is emotive <p><i>Accept any other correct answers based on the text (VP)</i></p>

