



IESOL Assessment Writing

RQF Level: Level 1

(CEFR Level: B2)

Candidate Booklet - Writing

SAMPLE VERSION 2

The following details must be completed:

Candidate Name: _____

Candidate Date of Birth: _____ DD / MM / YYYY

Centre Name: _____

Examination Date & Time: _____ DD / MM / YYYY | _____ HH:MM

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES:

- Do NOT turn over the page until instructed.
- This examination is made up of 2 TASKS.
- Answer both questions.
- Both tasks are weighted equally.
- Use only black or blue PEN.
- ONLY monolingual English dictionaries are allowed.

Time allowed: 60 minutes

Total marks available: 55

GA USE ONLY:

Writing Task 1

Choose **ONE** of the following two topics: A or B

A. You have recently returned home from a holiday in Spain, but you experienced some problems while you were there. Write a letter of complaint to the holiday company. In your letter, explain what problems you experienced, and say what you expect the company to do.

You can use some of the following ideas, or write about your own:

CLEANLINESS	QUALITY OF FOOD	UNFRIENDLY STAFF
HOTEL LOCATION	TOO FEW ACTIVITIES	NO SWIMMING POOL

B. You read this notice from the local Tourist Office.

Can you help us attract more visitors to our town? If you have any interesting ideas about how we can make our town more attractive to tourists, email us at: services@towntourism.com

Write an email in response to the notice. In your email, present your ideas, and explain why you think they will work.

You can use some of the following ideas, or write about your own:

MORE EVENTS	BETTER TRANSPORT	CLEANER PARKS
FREE MAPS	LATE NIGHT SHOPPING	NEW WALKING TOURS

Which topic have you chosen: A or B? _____

You should spend approximately 30 minutes on this task.

Writing Task 2

Choose ONE of the following two topics: A or B

A. All children should learn the English language at school – do you agree with this statement? Write an essay presenting your opinion.

You can use some of the following ideas, or write about your own:

GLOBALISATION

TRAVEL

CAREER PROSPECTS

OTHER LANGAUGES

STUDY TIME

OTHER INTERESTS

Remember to:

- write an introduction
- present your opinions/the main points
- include supporting reasons and relevant examples
- write a relevant and clear conclusion

B. Write an article for a literary magazine discussing the common opinion that people nowadays do not read enough books. Say whether you agree with this opinion or not and why/why not.

You can use some of the following ideas, or write about your own:

BUSY LIVES

INTERNET

E-BOOKS

QUALITY NOT QUANTITY

OTHER INFORMATION
SOURCES

OTHER COMMITMENTS

Remember to:

- write an introductory paragraph
- use a style appropriate to your audience
- present opinions/the main points and give reasons and relevant examples
- write a relevant and clear conclusion

Which topic have you chosen: A or B? _____

You should spend approximately 30 minutes on this task.

