

ESOL Skills for Life

Entry 3 – Writing

Sample Paper 1

Your full name:.....
(BLOCK CAPITALS)

Candidate number:.....

Centre number:.....

Exam date:.....

Time allowed: 70 minutes

- ▶ Write your name, candidate number, centre number and exam date on the front of this exam paper.
- ▶ You must not open this exam paper until instructed to do so.
- ▶ This exam paper has **three** tasks. Complete **all** tasks.
- ▶ You may highlight parts of the exam paper with a highlighter pen.
- ▶ Write your answers on the exam paper.
- ▶ Use only blue or black pen for your answers.
- ▶ Do all rough work on the exam paper. Cross through any work you do not want marked.
- ▶ You must not use pencil, erasable pen or correction fluid.
- ▶ You must not use a dictionary in this exam.
- ▶ You must not take this exam paper out of the exam room.

For examiner use only

| Examiner initials | Examiner number |
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Planning section

For this exam you must show you know how to plan your writing. Use this section to plan your answer to one or two of the tasks in this exam paper. Remember, you **must** plan at least one answer in this box.

Use this box to plan your answers.

Task 1

There is a competition for the UK's favourite park. You would like to nominate a park you know. Complete the application form below.

Write about 120 words.

| Best Park Award |
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| Name: |
| Name of the park: |
| Town/City: |
| How often do you use the park? |
| What do you do in the park and why do you like it? |
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Task 2

Write an article for your teacher about a course you took to learn English or another language.

Write about:

- ▶ why you chose to learn the language
- ▶ what you studied on the course
- ▶ how you have used the language.

Write about 150 words.

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Task 3

You want to have a picnic with your friend this weekend. Write an email to your friend. Suggest a place to meet, say what you will take with you and ask your friend what food you should bring.

Write about 80 words.

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| To: friend@email.com |
| Subject: Picnic |
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