French Extension marking guide and response

External assessment 2022

Extended response (35 marks)

Assessment objectives

This assessment instrument is used to determine student achievement in the following objectives:

- 1. apply knowledge of language elements, structures and textual conventions to understand how meaning is conveyed in the provided stimulus materials
- 2. apply knowledge of language elements, structures and textual conventions to create meaning in texts, in relation to the provided stimulus materials
- 3. identify how meaning, attitudes, perspectives and values underpin the provided stimulus materials, and how they influence audiences
- 4. analyse and evaluate information and ideas to draw conclusions and justify points of view and arguments, in relation to the provided stimulus materials
- 5. create texts that convey information and ideas in French for context, purpose and audience and cultural conventions, in relation to the provided stimulus materials
- 6. structure, sequence and synthesise information to respond personally, critically and/or creatively to the provided stimulus materials.



Purpose

This document consists of a marking guide and a sample response.

The marking guide:

- · provides a tool for calibrating external assessment markers to ensure reliability of results
- indicates the correlation, for each question, between mark allocation and qualities at each level of the mark range
- informs schools and students about how marks are matched to qualities in student responses.

The sample response:

- demonstrates the qualities of a high-level response
- · has been annotated using the marking guide.

Mark allocation

Where a response does not meet any of the descriptors for a question or a criterion, a mark of '0' will be recorded.

Where no response to a question has been made, a mark of 'N' will be recorded.

Marking guide

Criterion: Creating French texts

Cohesion		Meaning		Language elements Textual conventions		Textual conventions		
The response:	М	The response:	М	The response:	М	The response:	М	
uses a wide range of cohesive devices purposefully	3	uses proficient and complex French to create fluent sentences	4	uses a wide range of vocabulary purposefully uses a wide range of grammar purposefully uses a wide range of tenses purposefully uses consistent register for context	8	uses all of the following an introduction at least 2 body paragraphs a conclusion	3	
uses a range of cohesive devices	2	uses proficient French to create generally fluent sentences	3	uses a wide range of vocabulary accurately uses a wide range of grammar accurately uses a wide range of tenses accurately uses consistent register for context	7	uses 2 of the following an introduction at least 2 body paragraphs a conclusion	2	
uses repetitive or few cohesive devices	1	uses mostly proficient French to convey meaning	2	 uses a wide range of vocabulary with few errors uses a wide range of grammar with few errors uses a wide range of tenses with few errors uses consistent register for context 	6	uses - an introduction - at least 1 other paragraph OR uses at least 2 body paragraphs	1	
 does not satisfy any of the descriptors above OR is in English. 	0	uses French to convey fragmented meaning	1	uses a range of vocabulary with few errors uses a range of grammar with few errors	5	 does not satisfy any of the descriptors above OR is in English. 	0	

Cohesion	Meaning		Language elements		Textual conventions	
			 attempts to use a range of tenses mostly uses consistent register for context 			
	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above. OR is in English.	0	 uses a range of vocabulary with errors uses a range of grammar with errors uses a range of tenses with errors mostly uses consistent register for context 	4		
			uses repetitive vocabulary and grammar with some errors	3		
			uses repetitive vocabulary and grammar with frequent errors	2		
			uses isolated words and phrases	1		
			does not satisfy any of the descriptors above OR is in English.	0		

Criterion: Analysing French texts

Understanding		Analysis Evaluation		Evaluation		Argument	
The response:	М	The response:	М	The response:	М	The response:	М
 demonstrates thorough understanding of attitudes and values in the chosen stimulus selects references from the stimulus that are relevant to these attitudes and values 	4	identifies relevant attitudes and values in the chosen stimulus provides an authoritative interpretation of how these attitudes and values are used to influence audiences	4	 states a clear judgment about the attitudes and values in the chosen stimulus and how these are used to influence audiences supports the judgment with well-substantiated conclusions using the chosen stimulus and their own ideas 	5	 clearly states a thesis that is to be substantiated develops a discriminating personal, critical or creative argument to support the thesis across the response 	4
 demonstrates understanding of an attitude and a value in the chosen stimulus selects references from the stimulus that are mostly relevant to the selected attitude and value 	3	 identifies a relevant attitude and a relevant value in the chosen stimulus provides an interpretation of how the attitude and value are used to influence audiences 	3	 states a judgment about how an attitude and a value in the chosen stimulus are used to influence audiences supports the judgment with relevant conclusions using the chosen stimulus and their own ideas 	4	 states a thesis that is to be substantiated develops a personal, critical or creative argument to support the thesis across the response 	3

Understanding		Analysis	lysis Evaluat		Evaluation		Argument	
 demonstrates understanding of an attitude or a value in the chosen stimulus selects references from the stimulus that are mostly relevant to the selected attitude or value 	2	identifies a relevant attitude and a relevant value in the chosen stimulus OR provides an interpretation of a relevant attitude or a relevant value in the stimulus	2	 makes a statement about an attitude and a value in the chosen stimulus links this statement to the chosen stimulus and their own ideas 	3	 states a thesis that is to be substantiated includes statements to mostly support the thesis 	2	
demonstrates comprehension of some words and phrases in the chosen stimulus	1	states their own ideas about the chosen stimulus	1	 makes a statement about an attitude or a value in the chosen stimulus links this statement to the chosen stimulus or their own ideas 	2	provides some statements that show an opinion	1	
does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	makes a statement about 1 attitude or 1 value in the chosen stimulus	1	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	
	•	,		does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0			

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