Functional Skills Mark Scheme

Mathematics

Entry Level 3 FSME304



General Marking Guidance

- Markers should apply the mark scheme consistently across all papers marked. Standardisation will take place to ensure this is confirmed.
- If a learner has crossed out a response to a question, the work should still be marked unless the learner has replaced it with an alternative answer.
- Markers should mark according to the mark scheme and should apply it positively awarding full marks where the answer meets the mark scheme.
- Where the answers do not meet the mark scheme, markers should be prepared to award zero marks.
- The mark scheme gives guidance as to how to allocate marks where an answer is graded according to learner performance. Where the response does not meet the requirements of the minimum mark, zero marks should be awarded.
- Where the mark scheme allows a mark for 'any (other) valid response', the marker should judge the response's merits based on the information provided in the assessment materials.
- Where the marker is unsure of how to apply the mark scheme, guidance from your Lead Quality Reviewer must be sought.
- Where the mark scheme has responses in brackets $-(\pounds)5.00$, the learner will gain the mark whether or not the information within the brackets is present or not as long as the answer is correct.
- Some answers allow follow through marks where the learner has given an incorrect answer in a previous part of the task. If this is the case, the marker must check that the learner's answers are correct and should apply the format of the mark scheme to the learner's response.
- Assessment papers and mark schemes must be kept secure at all times.
- Should any issues or irregular practice arise that may put at risk the security of assessment papers or mark schemes these will be reported to Open Awards <u>immediately</u>.

Conducting the Assessment and Support for Learner

- Learners can take the assessment when they, and the tutor, feel they are ready.
- At this level tutors may read the questions to the learners. The tutor may explain words and phrases if the learners do not understand them.
- Calculators are not permitted for Section A
- Calculators are allowed only for Section B
- The assessment should take place under supervised conditions and conducted on a one to one basis or within a group.
- The assessment may be split up into shorter tasks to meet the needs of the learners, but the total time taken should not exceed one hour and forty five minutes.
- Realia such as coins and notes may be used if required for the relevant questions.

Marking of the Assessment

Centres must mark in accordance with the Open Awards mark scheme below.

Pass Mark: 24 out of 36

Part A – 9 Marks								
Question Number	Question	Evidence Required (marks)	Maximum Marks	PS or US	Subject Content			
1	Complete the calculation	3	1	US	7c			
	$\frac{6}{10} = \frac{1}{5}$	$\overline{5}$ Accept if written as three fifths or 3 seen						
2	Work out 235 + 412 + 107	754	1	US	2a			
3	Complete the sequence of numbers below 0.8 1.1 1.4	(0.8 1.1 1.4) 1.7 2(.0) 2.3 All three correct numbers needed for the mark	1	US	9			

4	Alex finishes work at 5pm. He is going to see a film at the cinema. The film starts at 7:30pm.	A correct method showing the earliest he can get to the bus stop is 6.05pm. (eg. (5pm) + 30mins + 20 mins + 15 mins =	3	PS	12 (1) 13b (2)
	 Alex takes: 30 minutes to get home 20 minutes to get ready 15 minutes to walk to Main Street Bus Stop 8 minutes to walk from the station 	6.05pm) (1 mark) 19.15 + 8 = 19.23 OR 19.30 - 8 = 19.22 (1 mark) This may be implied by the correct selection of Bus 2.			
	to the cinema Which bus should Alex catch? Show your workings.	OR any other valid method. Correctly selecting Bus 2 with correct workings. (1 mark)			
		Allow FT for incorrect addition of times. No marks awarded for selecting Bus 2 without workings shown.			

5	Jack is writing a handbook to give out to 10 people at work.	Correctly identifying that 34 should be multiplied by 11 (1 mark)	3	PS	4
	The handbook has 34 pages.	An appropriate method to calculate 11 x 34			
	Everybody needs a copy of the	(1 mark)			
	handbook, including Jack.	374 (1 mark)			
	How many pages in total will need to be printed?	Allow FT for not including Jack in the numbers e.g. an appropriate method to calculate 10 x 34 = 340 (1 mark)			
	Show your workings.	(3 marks max)			

		Part B – 2	27 Mark	S			
Question Number	Question	Eviden	ce Required	(marks)	Maximum Marks	PS or US	Subject Content
6	Write the number 511 in words	Five hundred and	eleven		1	US	1a
7	Sort these shapes into the table below Sort these shapes into the table below. A B C D B C D C D C D C D C D C D C D C D	Correctly identifyin (C, D, H) or Identifying the sha (E, F, G) May be drawn on Correctly identifyin (B, E, F, A, C, H) or Identifying the sha (G and D) May be drawn on Fully correct table (implies the first tw	pes with no ri the shapes. Ing the shapes pes with no s the shapes	ght angles. (1 mark) with symmetry	3	PS	19a 19b 23a

8	Robert wants know how far he drives and keeps a record over 4 days. He thinks he has driven over 800km Round each number to the nearest hundred to check his calculation. Using your rounded totals, do you think he is correct?	200, 100, 100, 300 seen either in table or working (1 mark) (200+100+100+300) = 700 Allow FT for incorrect rounded distances (1 mark) No - 700 (km) seen (1 mark) No marks awarded for 'no' without calculation seen.	3	PS	5
9	Lisa wants to be able to swim 50 laps of a swimming pool. She continues increasing the number of laps at the same rate. Day 1 Day 2 Day 3 18 22 26 How many days will it take her to reach her target?	Correctly identifying the sequence as increasing by 4. (May be implied) or 30 34 38 42 46 50 (1 mark) (May be seen in table or working) 9 days in total OR 6 more days (1 mark)	2	PS	6

10	This is a record of hours spent watching television over a month. $\frac{1^{15} \text{ sept}}{2} \frac{1^{10} \text{ sept}}{1} \frac{3^{10} \text{ sept}}{3} \frac{4^{10} \text{ sept}}{5} \frac{5^{10} \text{ sept}}{5} \frac{6^{10} \text{ sept}}{3} \frac{7^{10} \text{ sept}}{5} \frac{10^{10} \text{ sept}}{3} \frac{10^{10} \text{ sept}}{1} 10^{$			Correct first c	olumn (1 marł	()	3	US	21b				
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Question Number	Question	Evidence Required (marks)	Maximum Mark	PS or US	Subject Content
11	<text><text><image/><text><image/><image/><image/><image/><image/></text></text></text>	(£)13.75 + (£)1.30 = (£)15.05 (1 mark) (£)20 - (£)15.05 (1 mark) Allow FT for correctly subtracting <i>their</i> total from mark 1 £20 £4.95 (1 mark) Final answer must show £ for mark to be awarded.	3	PS	10a(2) 10b(1)

12	A theme park keeps a record of how many people visit one weekend.	Interpreting the data on the graph e.g. calculations include 600 OR 200 OR 500 OR 400 (may be implied) (1 mark) (Saturday) = 800 visitors (Sunday) = 900 visitors (1 mark) Correct conclusion based on <i>their</i> totals (1 mark) FT their adult + children values. (Must attempt to add the number of adults and children together to get this mark, i.e. just comparing 600 and 500 does not earn the mark).	3	PS	22a
13	Before going to the theme park Claire needs to know how tall she is. Which instrument should she use to measure her height? Tick the correct answer.	Tape Measure only ticked (1 mark) (Accept any indication of correct answer as long as it is clear)	1	PS	18

14	Below are the minimum height requirements in centimetres (cm) for three different rides at the theme park.	Log Flume only ticked (1 mark) Accept any indication of correct answer as long as	1	US	14a
	Claire is 1.18m tall.	it is clear.			
	Tick the ride she can go on				
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15	Claire drinks 2 bottles of water. Each bottle holds 300ml of water. Jessica's bottle holds 0.5 litres of water. She drinks 1 bottle. Claire thinks she drinks more water than Jessica. Is she correct? Show how you decide.	300 ml x 2 (1 mark) Correct conversion of millilitres to litres (600 ml = 0.6 litres) or litres to millilitres. (0.5 litres = 500 ml) (1 mark) Yes, she is correct with comparable figures seen. (1 mark) (3 marks max)	3	(3) PS	17
16	How much water is in this bottle?	140 ml (1 mark)	1	(1) US	14b

17	The table shows what lunch when they visite park on Monday.		210 + 180 = 390 910 - 390 = 520 FT their 210 + 180 May be in the table.	910 – 390 = 520 (1 mark) FT their 210 + 180			2a(1) 2b(1) 1b(1)
	Theme Park Restaurant 1 210 N Theme Park Restaurant 2 180 O Brings a Picnic O		No he is incorrect and correct or Correct conclusion based or (1 mark)	0			
	The manager thinks that more people ate in a theme park restaurant than brought their own picnic. Is he correct?						
	Show how you decide						