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Functional Skills Level 2 ENGLISH

Paper 1 Reading

Time allowed: 1 hour

Materials

For this paper you must have:

• Sources A, B and C which are provided in a separate Insert Booklet.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer all questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book.
 Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this answer book.
- Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must refer to the Insert Booklet provided.

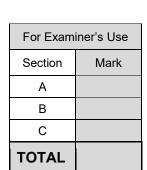
Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 30.
- There are 10 marks for each section.
- You may use a dictionary.

Advice

You are advised to check your work carefully.





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	Section A Read Source A and answer Questions 1 to 6.	
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0 1	According to Source A , what is the name of the poison that collectors use to catch tropical fish?	o help
	Answer	
		[1 mark]
0 2	You are advised to use a dictionary for this question.	
	Source A states: 'with little regard for the creatures themselves.'	
	What does the word 'regard' mean in this quotation?	
	A room	
	B care C money	
	D time	
	Write the correct letter in the box.	
	Answer	[1 mark]
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0 3	The text implies that those who cause most of the suffering of ornamental fi	sh are
	A the businesses that install aquariums.	
	B the pet store owners who sell the fish.C the breeders and collectors who work in the industry.	
	D the people who keep fish in tanks in their homes.	
	Write the correct letter in the box.	
	Answer	[1 mark]
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0 4	Use the information in Source A to decide whether each statement is true or false . Put a tick (✓) in the correct box.		or false.
		True	False
	All coral is protected by international agreements.		
	Using poison to catch fish is against the law.		
	Goldfish are bred in giant tubs in zoos.		
	Goldfish bowls and plastic bags provide insufficient oxygen for goldfish.		
			[2 marks]
0 5	The writer of Source A presents both facts and opinions.		
0 5.1	Identify two facts about the way the collectors catch tropical fish.		
	Fact 1		
	Fact 2		
			[1 mark]
0 5.2	Identify two opinions about fish from the last two paragraphs .		
	Opinion 1		
	Opinion 2		
			[1 mark]



0 6	Explain how the writer of Source A uses words and language techniques to describe the suffering of the fish.	Do not write outside the box
	You should provide examples from Source A in your answer. [3 marks]	
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Section B

	Read Source B and answer Questions 7 to 11 .	
0 7	You are advised to use a dictionary for this question.	
	Source B states: 'Fish need copious space.'	
	What does the word 'copious' mean in this quotation?	
	A plentiful B limited C clear D organised	
	Write the correct letter in the box.	
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0 8	According to Source B,	
	 A untreated tap water is fine for fish. B fish like a variable water temperature. C each fish needs three gallons of water. D fish are cheaper to keep than other pets. 	
	Write the correct letter in the box.	
	Answer	
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Put a tick (✓) in the correct box.		
	True	False
Overfeeding is the only cause of problems in fish.		
Ammonia and nitrites are poisonous to fish.		
Fish in tanks are completely silent.		
Fish need a lot of looking after.		
		[2 marks]
From Source B , list three reasons why fish make good pets.		[3 marks]
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Section C

	Read Source C and answer Questions 12 and 13.	
	You will need to use both Source A and Source C to answer Question 14 .	
1 2	You are advised to use a dictionary for this question.	
	Source C states: 'a gargantuan rescued turtle'.	
	What does the word 'gargantuan' mean in this quotation?	
	 A beautiful B ancient C massive D damaged 	
	Write the correct letter in the box.	
	Answer	[1 mark]
1 3	From Source C , list three experiences or projects visitors can enjoy at Sea Life Birmingham.	[3 marks]
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	3	



1 4	Compare Source A and Source C . Write about what they say and how the is conveyed.	material
	You may wish to refer to the level of detail, presentation and language, form possible bias and how the writers come across.	ality,
		[6 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS



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