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Functional Skills English

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## Section A

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	Accept any reasonable answer based on the text.  For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To inform us that teenagers do not get enough sleep</li><li>• To argue that teenagers need more sleep</li></ul>	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	D 15%	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	C teenagers need nine to ten hours of unbroken sleep	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• too much technology/mobiles/laptops/TVs</li><li>• academic pressures</li><li>• social lives</li></ul> <p>One mark for each correct answer, up to a maximum of <b>two</b> marks.</p> <p>Note: Do not accept 'teenage lifestyles' as an answer</p>	(2)

Question Number	Answer			Mark
5		<b>Fact</b>	<b>Opinion</b>	
	Sleep is as important as food and water.	✓		
	Sleep is not a priority for teenagers.		✓	
	Short tempers are related to sleep deficiency.	✓		
	Research has been carried out by the Institute of Sleep Studies.	✓		
	Sleep is boring.		✓	
	Sleep has a positive and calming effect.	✓		
	<b>For 0 or 1 correct – 0 marks</b> <b>For 2 or 3 correct – 1 mark</b> <b>For 4 or 5 correct – 2 marks</b> <b>For 6 correct – 3 marks</b>			

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	<p>Accept any reasonable answer identifying ways the writer tries to influence the reader, based on the text, up to a maximum of <b>two</b> marks.</p> <p>Answers may refer to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• emotive/positive language</li><li>• results of research</li><li>• expert opinion</li><li>• quotes the mother</li><li>• (selective) use of statistics/figures</li><li>• asks (rhetorical) questions/presents solutions/gives ways</li></ul> <p>Note: Do not accept direct quotations in place of the writer's ways to influence the reader.</p>	(2)

## Section B

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	Accept any reasonable answer based on the text.  For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• to inform us how to improve our sleep</li><li>• advice on how to sleep better</li><li>• to give us facts about how to sleep better</li></ul>	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	Accept any reasonable answer giving three features of Text B, up to a maximum of <b>three</b> marks.  Answers may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• questions and answers/uses questions as sub-headings</li><li>• bullet points</li><li>• use of italics</li><li>• direct address to the reader</li><li>• sub-heading in bold/heading in large/bold font</li></ul>	(3)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• better health/fit and healthy</li><li>• clear thoughts/clear the mind</li><li>• feel refreshed/feel energised</li></ul> One mark for each correct answer, up to a maximum of <b>two</b> marks.	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a warm, milky drink</li></ul> <p><b>One</b> mark for the correct answer.</p>	<b>(1)</b>

Question Number	Answer	Mark
11	<p>Accept any reasonable answer giving advice to a friend about how to sleep well, based on the text, up to a maximum of <b>three</b> marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>change your bedtime routine</li><li>allow yourself time to unwind</li><li>soak in a warm bath</li><li>relaxing activities/breathing exercises/yoga</li><li>warm milky drink/light snack</li></ul>	<b>(3)</b>

## Section C

Question Number	Answer	Mark
12	The Backcare Super	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
13	The BedExec	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
14	<p>Accept any reasonable answers based on the text up to a maximum of <b>three</b> marks.</p> <p>Any option may be chosen but all reasons <b>must</b> refer <b>only</b> to the chosen bed.</p> <p>Unique reasons for The Backcare Super:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• hand-tufted/firmer feel</li> <li>• low price/small price</li> <li>• three-year guarantee</li> <li>• free delivery</li> <li>• free assembly</li> </ul> <p>Unique reasons for HeavenSent:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• best possible sleeping experience</li> <li>• (finest quality) natural fillings</li> <li>• hypo-allergenic/good for asthma/allergies</li> <li>• softest fabric</li> <li>• makes you feel special</li> <li>• hand-stitched sides/longer life mattress</li> <li>• old bed removed for free</li> </ul> <p>Unique reasons for BedExec:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• memory foam/moulds to the shape of your body</li> <li>• breathable fibres/planet-friendly materials</li> <li>• reduces stress on pressure points</li> <li>• prevents tossing and turning</li> <li>• recommended by healthcare professionals</li> <li>• next day delivery</li> <li>• 10 year guarantee</li> </ul>	(3)



## Mapping to Functional Skills Cover and Range for English Level 2

Question	Fixed Marks	Open Marks	Mapping to standard				
			(L2.2.1) Select and use different types of texts to obtain and utilise relevant information	(L2.2.2) Read and summarise, succinctly, information /ideas from different sources	(L2.2.3) Identify the purposes of texts and comment on how meaning is conveyed	(L2.2.4) Detect point of view, implicit meaning and/or bias	(L2.2.5) Analyse texts in relation to audience needs and consider suitable responses
1		1			x		
2	1		x				
3	1		x				
4	2			xx			
5	3					xxx	
6		2				xx	
7		1			x		
8		3			xxx		
9	2		xx				
10	1		x				
11		3					xxx
12	1						x
13	1						x
14		3		xxx			
<b>Total marks:</b>			<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>
Total percentage:			20%	20%	20%	20%	20%

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