Item Specification Form (Level: KS3 English)

Title: Giving Directions **

Code: E9EL012

Module: Cultures of the World

Class Level: S3

Purpose: To assess learner's performance/progress in the following aspects:

Strand Targets	Descriptions for	Language	Forms and Functions	Generic Skills	Suggested	Suggested	Possible Problems
	Basic	Skills			Time	Answers	
	Competency						
To interpret and	L5-L-2-S3BC	Listening	Use a variety of tenses	Communication	25 minutes	Section 1	Unable to distinguish
use more	Using an		to refer to events in the	Skills		1 – D	main ideas from
extensive	increasing range		past, present and future			2 – A	supporting details
information	of strategies to		and to the frequency			3 – C	
through	understand the		with which things occur			4i - C	Unable to identify the
processes or	meaning of simple		(F04)			4ii – D	sequence of events,
activities such	texts on familiar					4iii – E	causes and effects
as sequencing,	and less familiar		Use the passive voice to				
describing,	topics which are		refer to events in the			Section 2	Unable to extract
classifying,	delivered clearly		past, present and future			1 – D	specific information
comparing,	in generally		and to the frequency			2 – A	
explaining,	familiar accents		with which things occur			3 – B	Unable to listen for
predicting,	(IS, KS, ES)		(F06)			4 – D	gist/main ideas
inferring,							
summarising	Discriminating		Use sequence words to			Section 3	Unable to recognize,
and drawing	between words		seek information (F14)			1 – D	or confuse, specific
conclusions	with a range of					2 – C	consonant and vowel
(KSb)	vowel and		Use formulaic phrases to			3 – B	sounds
	consonant sounds		ask for minor favours			4 - C	
	(KS)		and assistance (F15)				

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Suggested Answers	s Question Intents			
Section 1				
1 – D	1: Distinguishing main ideas from supporting details			
2 – A	2: Identifying the sequence of events			
3 – C	3: Extracting specific information			
4i – C	4i-iii Identifying the sequence of events			
4ii – D				
4iii – E				
Section 2				
1 – D	1: Extracting specific information			
2 – A	2: Extracting specific information			
3 – B	3: Understanding the connection between ideas by identifying a range of cohesive devices			
4 – D	4: Identifying the sequence of events			
Section 3				
1 – D	1: Extracting specific information			
2-C	2: Understanding the connection between ideas by identifying a range of cohesive devices			
3 – B	3: Extracting specific information			
4 – C	4: Listening for main ideas			