

New KS3 Levels Productive: Writing and Speaking

NB: In all cases a piece of work can be either written or spoken

Level 9 As below, plus:	A	Including at least three sentences about an imaginary situation, e.g. "youngsters' attitude towards exercise." in a piece of work of at least 240 words.
	S	Including two sentences about general concepts, e.g. "youngsters' attitude towards exercise" in a piece of work of at least 240 words.
	E	Including one sentence about an imaginary situation, e.g. "youngsters' attitude towards exercise" in a piece of at least 240 words.
Level 8 As below, plus:	A	Using two tenses from two different time frames (e.g. the conditional and the simple future and the imperfect and the simple past) along with the present tense in a piece of work of at least 200 words.
	S	Using two tenses from two different time frames (e.g. the conditional and the simple future and the imperfect and the simple past) along with the present tense in a piece of work of at least 180 words.
	E	Using two tenses from the same time frame (e.g. the conditional and the simple future) along with the present tense in a piece of work of more than 160 words.
Level 7 As below, plus:	A	Using the present tense plus more than three different verbs in two different tenses (cannot both be from the same time frame) in a piece of work of at least 150 words.
	S	Using the present tense plus three different verbs in two different tenses (cannot both be from the same time frame) in a piece of work of at least 140 words.
	E	Using the present tense plus at least one verb in two different tenses (cannot both be from the same time frame) in a piece of work of at least 120 words.
Level 6 As below, plus:	A	Using the present tense plus more than three different verbs in another tense in a piece of work of at least 100 words.
	S	Using the present tense plus three different verbs in another tense in a piece of work of at least 100 words.
	E	Using the present tense plus at least one verb in another tense in piece of work of at least 100 words.
Level 5 As below, plus:	A	Giving more than three opinions (both positive and negative) with justifications using a range of adjectives in a piece of work of at least 90 words.
	S	Giving three justified opinions using an appropriate connective and a range of opinions in a piece of work of at least 80 words.
	E	Giving one opinion with a justification using an appropriate connective in a piece of work of at least 75 words.
Level 4 As below, plus:	A	Giving both positive and negative opinions (more than three) using a range of adjectives.
	S	Giving more than three opinions using different adjectives.
	E	Giving a basic opinion using a verb and an adjective.
Level 3 As below, plus:	A	Producing a piece of work of at least 20 words using adjectives, connectives and negatives.
	S	Producing a piece of work of at least 20 words using adjectives and connectives.
	E	Producing a piece of work of at least 20 words using adjectives.
Level 2 As below, plus:	A	Build sentences using subject, verb and object.
	S	Build sentences using subject and verb.
	E	Using familiar vocabulary to create basic sentences e.g. "Me llamo Ana" or "Je m'appelle Nicholas"
Level 1	A	Listing vocabulary from memory using a range of words appropriate to the topic.
	S	Listing vocabulary from memory – relying heavily on cognates
	E	Listing vocabulary with use of dictionary and/or phonics