

Mark Scheme: Reading Level 1**Paper Code: FSQR108 (Mock Paper 4)**

Reference	Subject Content
9.	Identify and understand the main points, ideas and details in texts
10.	Compare information, ideas and opinions in different texts
11.	Identify meanings in texts and distinguish between fact and opinion
12.	Recognise that language and other textual features can be varied to suit different audiences and purposes
13.	Use reference materials and appropriate strategies (e.g. using knowledge of different word types) for a range of purposes, including to find the meaning of words
14.	Understand organisational and structural features and use them to locate relevant information (e.g. index, menus, subheadings, paragraphs) in a range of straightforward texts
15.	Infer from images meanings not explicit in the accompanying text
16.	Recognise vocabulary typically associated with specific types and purposes of texts (e.g. formal, informal, instructional, descriptive, explanatory and persuasive)
17.	Read and understand a range of specialist words in context
18.	Use knowledge of punctuation to aid understanding of straightforward texts

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Question	Subject Content	Question Type/ Marks Available		Accepted Answer(s)
		Fixed	OR	
1	9	1		C
2	12	1		A
3	11	1		C
4	13	1		D
5	18		2	1 mark for a correct reason, max 1 mark
				Answers may include: a) it gives additional information to the reader about The Copse b) it separates the clauses
				PLUS (can award the 2nd mark if the first answer is incorrect) 1 mark for a correct example, max 1 mark
				c) Several residents of Birch Close, which backs on to The Copse, have complained that the trees block the sunlight from their garden
6	14		2	Marks to be awarded as follows, max 2 marks
				Subheadings (1 mark) a) break the text down into smaller sections b) give the reader an idea of what the next section is about c) help the reader to easily find specific information
				Footnote (1 mark) d) it explains where the money will go e) it explains what the word proceeds means <i>Accept any other correct answer/similar wording (VP)</i>
7	15		1	1 mark for a correct suggestion, max 1 mark
				Answers may include: a) Some of the trees have fallen down b) The trees are dangerous/unsafe c) Accept some of the tree branches have fallen on to the ground <i>Accept any other similar wording (VP)</i>

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8	17	1		B
9	9	1		D
10	12	1		B
11	9	1		A
12	13		1	<p><u>1 mark for a correct reason, max 1 mark</u></p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <p>a) they do not want to be seen to agree with something which might cause children to be hurt</p> <p>b) they might not agree that falling out of trees teaches children to be careful</p> <p>c) they do not agree with Daniel’s comment</p> <p><i>Accept any other correct reason based on the text (VP)</i></p>
13	16		2	<p><u>Marks to be awarded as follows, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>a) The noise of trees is really soothing when the wind is blowing gently – Descriptive (1 mark)</p> <p>b) Don’t they realise that trees keep us healthy by producing oxygen – Persuasive (1 mark)</p>
14	11		2	<p><u>1 mark for each correct reason, max 2 marks</u></p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <p>a) birds and insects live in the trees</p> <p>b) fungi and moss grow on the trees</p> <p>c) bats, owls and woodpeckers are protected by the trees</p>

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15	10	2	Marks awarded as follows, max 2 marks	
			2 marks	
			a) 2 correct comparisons given (but not from the same text)	
			1 mark	
			b) 1 correct comparison given (but not from the same text)	
			0 marks	
			c) Information given from one text only	
			<i>To have one complete and correct comparison, the learner must reference both texts and have a clear connecting idea/theme.</i>	
			Text A	Text B
	i.		Text A says that The Copse is scruffy	Text B says that The Copse is natural/untamed
	ii.		Text A says the trees are old/dead/hollow and could be a potential hazard	Text B says that being old doesn't make trees dangerous
	iii.		Text A says that children may be hurt if they climb onto rotten branches	Text B says that children have been falling out trees for millions of years and that it teaches them to be careful
	iv.		Text A says that flowers and vegetables are difficult to grow without sunlight	Text B says that residents could grow plants that don't need direct sunlight
	v.		Text A says residents complain that the noise of the trees disturbs them at night	Text B says that the noise of the trees is soothing/exciting
	vi.		Text A says residents complain that the noise of the trees disturbs them at night	Text B says that the trees muffle the noise from the motorway and airport
			<i>Accept any other correct similarity/difference based on the texts (VP)</i>	
Total marks		8	12	