



In-Class Writing Assessment Task

CLB 3-4 Writing | Sharing Information

TASK: Write a social media post to describe your neighbourhood, its places, and what you do there.

Writing CLB 3-IV: Write a few sentences to describe a familiar person, object, place, situation or event. [Writing is up to about 5 sentences.]

Writing CLB 4-IV: Write a short paragraph to describe a familiar situation, event, personal experience or future plan. [Writing is about 1 paragraph.]

Procedure

This task is completed in class. If technology is available, learners can type their work, print it, and hand it in or email it to their instructor. If learners handwrite their tasks, a task blank tool (see p. 3) can be provided. Learners will hand in the completed task tool.

The task is designed to assess learners at CLB 3 and 4 at the same time. The criteria refer to both CLB levels of performance; however, the scoring distinguishes one level from another. Refer to the feedback form (next page) for the criteria and scoring guidelines.

- Display/write on the board the task instructions for the class to see.
- Distribute/project the feedback form (p. 2) and review the task requirements and assessment criteria.
- Have learners complete the task.
- Review learner performance and provide feedback; complete the provided feedback form.
- Have learners place their completed writing task and feedback form in their portfolios.

Task Instructions

description

Write a social media post to describe your neighbourhood, its places, and activities you do there. Make sure to:

- use adjectives to describe your neighbourhood and its places
- write about places (how far/close they are from where you live), what you do there and how often
- use *and*, *but* and *because* to connect ideas in sentences
- use correct punctuation and capitalization
- write about 4 to 7 sentences

This will be your reference for next Saturday when we will share the descriptions together in class (speaking task for binder, sharing information)!



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Name: _____	Date: _____
TASK: Write a social media post to describe your neighbourhood, its places, and what you do there.	
Can Do: CLB 3: Write sentences about things I know. CLB 4: Write 1 paragraph describing something familiar to me.	
CRITERIA:	<i>Circle one</i> ↘
Overall can complete the task	YES NO
	Achieved Achieved with some difficulty Not yet
Describe your neighbourhood and places in it using adjectives	3 2 1
Write what you do in your neighbourhood and how often, using expressions of frequency	3 2 1
Use <i>and</i> , <i>but</i> and <i>because</i> to connect ideas within sentences	3 2 1
Use correct punctuation and capitalization	3 2 1
Write about 4-7 sentences (mostly simple sentences, with some compound and complex)	3 2 1
	Total
Comments:	

Success:

- CLB 3: 9 out of 15 (and YES on the first criterion)
- CLB 4: 12 out of 15 (and YES on the first criterion)

