TEAL writing assessment criteria

Task 14: Writing a text-based advertisement

Name: Sample 1

Date: _____

t	Communication	Cultural conventions	Linguistic structures and features						EAL curriculum	
Levels of achievement			Text structure	Grammatical features	Vocabulary	Writing conventions	Strategies	level: B2 C2	вз СЗ	С4
Leve 4	 Convincing attempt to persuade a customer Selected information is provided to effectively make simple point(s) about the value of the product Language is limited to essential phrases and expression that convey key messages 	 Use of cultural icons and conventions to add to message and interests and perceptions of the audience Shows skilful control of tone to create relationship with audience 	 Layout allows key words and phrases to be prominent Text shows an effective and varied use of cohesive devices throughout Text is fully coherent and makes references readers will understand Reference to sales brand or source of product 	 Use of limited grammatical features to convey a simple but strong meaning and impression, including: Conditional e.g Could you live without? Imperative e.g Just do it!, Comparison of adjectives & adverbs e.g When only the finest is good enough. Rhetorical questions, e.g. Don't you deserve the best? 	 Precise and skilful use of a range of vocabulary to convey meaning and impression Use of words that have impact in terms of impression being conveyed e.g. <i>Enjoy!</i> <i>Quality!</i> 	 Minimal punctuation, so as not to detract from main message of the limited text Careful integration of visual elements (picture, logo) and text 	Uses devices observed in real world print advertisements e.g. you and your baby will be happier and healthier			
Level 3	 Text provides reasons to persuade the audience about the value of the product Provision of information about the qualities of the product 	 Explicit indication of persuasive purpose Appropriate voice and tone is used overall with occasional inconsistency 	 The layout and text structure are appropriate for an advertisement Cohesion in the text, through use of pronouns for the article, audience and the seller Provides contact information, price 	Use of a range of features, to provide information about the product, including: complex sentences conditional, imperatives, adjectives & adverbs of comparison rhetorical questions	 Use of terminology that portrays product favourably Use of comparatives and superlatives e.g. better than, the best, the cheapest, 	 Punctuation used successfully within text Picture and important information (price, source of product, contact for product) given prominence 	 Uses ideas from prompt sheet 			
Leve 2	 Text partially achieves its purpose to persuade a customer Information provided is limited but appropriate to an advertisement 	 Some appropriate use of persuasive language and elements of advertisements Use of interpersonal voice and tone but not consistent 	 Layout and text structure show some appropriate features for an advertisement Cohesion is achieved through use of pronouns, such as <i>it</i>, and <i>this</i> Use of some advertising techniques - inducement and website information 	 Writing shows varying control but uses some features successfully, including complex sentences, conditional, imperatives, comparative adjectives, including superlative, and adverbs 	 Vocabulary is generally sufficient for the task. Usually uses correct part of speech with some errors 	 Punctuation is adequate for the task with some errors. Organisation of text elements around picture 	 Follows the task prompt sheet closely 			
Leve 1	 Provides description of product emphasising positive features Some Information provided is relevant but some is not relevant for the purpose of an advertisement 	 The writing shows some use of persuasive strategies, Voice and tone are often inappropriate for an advertisement 	 Layout has limited elements of an advertisement text, name of product s heading, text and illustration Text is too long for an advertisement Excessive repetition and limited linking between sentences. 	 Writing shows limited range and control with frequent errors. Some basic grammatical features may be used successfully e.g. conditional, imperatives, comparative adjectives, e.g beeter than before & adverbs 	 Use of adjectives to provide information about the product. 	 Capitalisation errors, some initial letters inappropriately capitalised Errors with us of inverted commas, incomplete or separated from conversational context Text relates to picture of product 	 Attempts to spell new words e.g deret for decorations 			