

REFORMED ENTRY LEVEL CERTIFICATE in ENGLISH

SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT

Component 1: Entry Level English

Written examination: 1 hour

25% of qualification

40 marks

Section A: Non-literary Reading

A mix of short answer questions, structured questions and multiple-choice questions in response to two or three short texts, including at least one non-continuous text.

Section B: Functional Writing

One short and one extended writing task based on everyday uses of English.

Externally set, externally assessed.

Component 2: Entry Level English

Topic Tests: 4 × 0.5 hours

60% of qualification

80 marks

Two reading tasks and two writing tasks focusing on applying skills in different contexts.

Test 1: Response to twentieth/twenty-first century literature

Test 2: Editing and sequencing

Test 3: Narrative writing

Test 4: Proofreading

Externally set, internally assessed.

Component 3: Entry Level English

Practical assessment – Communication: 2 × 2 hours

15% of qualification

40 marks

Task 1: Presenting a point of view

Task 2: The World of Work

Externally set, internally assessed.

This linear qualification will be available in the summer series each year. It will be awarded for the first time in summer 2018.