



KARABUK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES

MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 1 (A1)

Total duration: Approximately 70 minutes

READING	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text followed by multiple matching questions Task 2: A gapped text followed by open-ended questions
Number of questions	10 in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Opinion (of the writer), Meaning from context, Simple Reference, Basic Inference
Text types	Menus, timetables, simple questionnaires/interviews, short simple description and narratives, short simple personal letters/e-mails, notices/signs
Length of texts	Approximately 150-200 words in total
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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Level: Module 1 (A1)

LISTENING	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text followed by Table completion Task 2: A text followed by multiple choice questions
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information,
Text types	Phone calls/messages, everyday transactions (shopping, eating out, etc.), simple announcements, everyday conversations, short simple interviews, simple stories.
Length of texts	Approximately 2 minutes
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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Level: Module 1 (A1)

USE OF ENGLISH	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A gapped text Task 2: A text followed by multiple choice questions Task 3: Matching Task 4: A text followed by multiple choice questions
Number of questions	Approximately 40 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Grammar & Vocabulary
Text types	Newspaper /magazine articles, fiction, e-mails/letters, narratives, descriptions
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	40% of the Midterm

WRITING	
Content	Email
Test focus & objectives	To write a short simple email using prompts
Answer format	Candidates write their email on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 2 (A2)

Total duration: Approximately 80 minutes

READING	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text followed by multiple matching questions Task 2: A gapped text
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Opinion (of the writer), Meaning from context, Simple Reference, Basic Inference
Text types	Newspaper /magazine articles, fiction, e-mails/letters, interviews, simple questionnaires, narratives, descriptions, notices & signs.
Length of texts	Approximately 250-300 words per text.
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 2 (A2)

LISTENING	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text followed by table completion Task 2: A text followed by multiple matching questions
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Meaning from context
Text types	Monologues, short conversations, interviews, discussions, descriptions, instructions, announcements, narratives, short & simple podcasts
Length of texts	Approximately 3-4 minutes
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 2 (A2)

USE OF ENGLISH	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text with multiple choice options Task 2: A gapped text Task 3: A text with multiple choice options Task 4: A gapped text
Number of questions	Approximately 40 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Grammar & Vocabulary
Text types	Newspaper /magazine articles, fiction, e-mails/letters, narratives, descriptions
Length of texts	Approximately 500 words in total
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	40% of the Midterm

WRITING	
Content	A narrative paragraph
Test focus & objectives	To write a short simple paragraph using the prompts
Answer format	Candidates write their paragraph on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 3 (B1)

Duration: Approximately 80 minutes

READING	
Content & Task Types	A text followed by: Task 1: Multiple matching Task 2: True/False/Not Given questions
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Opinion (of the writer), Meaning from context, Simple Inference, Reference
Text types	Academic texts on a variety of topics, magazine / newspaper articles, blogs, reviews, reports, short story, letters, brochures.
Length of texts	Approximately 350-450 words per text.
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 3 (B1)

LISTENING	
Content and Tasks Types	Task 1: A text followed by multiple choice questions Task 2: A text followed by note-taking
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Opinion (of the writer), Meaning from context, Inference
Text types	Simple presentation or lectures, discussions, podcasts, radio programmes, interviews, narratives.
Length of texts	Approximately 3-4 minutes
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 3 (B1)

USE OF ENGLISH	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A gapped text Task 2: A gapped text with multiple choice questions Task 3: A gapped text with multiple choice questions Task 4: A gapped text
Number of questions	Approximately 40 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Grammar & Vocabulary
Text types	Short academic texts on a variety of topics, short stories, magazine/newspaper articles, blogs, etc.
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	40% of the Midterm

WRITING	
Content	Opinion paragraph
Test focus & objectives	To write a well-developed paragraph
Answer format	Candidates write their paragraph on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 4 (B2)

Duration: Approximately 90 minutes

READING	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text followed by Multiple Matching and T/F/NG Questions
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Opinion (of the writer), Meaning from context, Inference, Reference
Text types	Academic texts on a variety of topics, magazine / newspaper articles, blogs, reviews, reports, short story, letters, brochures.
Length of texts	Approximately 450-500 words per text.
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 4 (B2)

LISTENING	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A text followed by multiple choice questions Task 2: A text followed by multiple matching questions
Number of questions	Approximately 10 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Main idea, Specific information, Opinion (of the writer), Meaning from context, Inference
Text types	Simple presentation or lectures, discussions, podcasts, radio programmes, interviews, narratives.
Length of texts	Approximately 3-4 minutes
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm



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MIDTERM EXAM SPECIFICATION

Level: Module 4 (B2)

USE OF ENGLISH	
Content & Task Types	Task 1: A gapped text with multiple choice options Task 2: A gapped text Task 3: Restatement Task 4: A gapped text
Number of questions	Approximately 40 questions in total
Test focus & objectives	Grammar & Vocabulary
Text types	Academic texts on a variety of topics, magazine / newspaper articles, blogs, reviews, reports, short story, letters, brochures.
Answer format	Candidates mark their answers on the exam paper
Marking	40% of the Midterm

WRITING	
Content	An opinion essay
Test focus & objectives	To write a well-organized essay
Answer format	Candidates write their essay on the exam paper
Marking	20% of the Midterm