



KARABÜK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES
Midterm Exam Specifications

Level: Level 1

Total duration: 100 minutes

(Test: 70 min., Writing: 30 min.)

| LISTENING | |
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| Content & Task Types | Task 1: Table / Note Completion Task 2: Five conversations followed by multiple choice questions |
| Number of questions | 10 (5+5) 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 |
| Answer format | Candidates mark and write their answers on the exam paper |
| Marking | 20% of the Midterm |

| GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY | |
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| Content & Task Types | Grammar: Gap-filling in a text, Circle the correct form (independent questions and in a context) Vocabulary: Matching the words with definitions, Matching sentence halves, Gap-filling in a text, Circle the correct form (in a context) |
| Number of questions | 40 questions in total 20 questions for grammar 20 questions for vocabulary |
| Test focus & objectives | Use of English |
| Answer format | Candidates mark and write their answers on the exam paper |
| Marking | 40% of the Midterm Grammar: 20% of the Midterm Vocabulary: 20% of the Midterm |



| READING | |
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| Content & Task Types | Task 1: A text followed by open-ended questions Task 2: A text followed by multiple choice questions |
| Number of questions | 10 (5+5) questions in total |
| Test focus & objectives | Main idea Specific information Opinion (of the writer) Meaning from context |
| Text types | Newspaper /magazine articles, fiction, e-mails/letters, interviews, simple questionnaires, narratives, descriptions. |
| Answer format | Candidates mark and write their answers on the exam paper |
| Marking | 20% of the Midterm |

| WRITING | |
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| Test focus & objectives | To write a short simple paragraph using the prompts. |
| Answer format | Candidates write their paragraph on a separate writing exam sheet. |
| Marking | 20% of the Midterm |