Reading		AO1 Infer Information	AO2 Language and Structure	AO3 Compare and evaluate ideas, perspectives and contexts
Exceptional	Excellent Independently  Good With less Support  Expected Supported  Below Not Met	Shows a clear understanding of texts  Begins to interpret one/both texts  Demonstrates clear connections between texts  Selects relevant quotations/references from texts to support responses	Shows clear understanding of language  Clearly explains the effects of the writer's choices of language or structural features  Explains clearly how methods are used to convey ideas and perspectives  Uses subject terminology accurately	Shows a clear understanding of differences between ideas and perspectives  Compares ideas and perspectives in a clear and relevant way  Clearly evaluates a text  Shows clear understanding of contextual factors
Proficient	Excellent Independently  Good With less Support  Expected Supported  Below Not Met	Shows a some understanding of texts  • Attempts some inference from one/both texts  • Attempts links between texts  • Selects some quotations/references from texts	Shows some understanding of language  Attempts to comment on the effect of language or structural features  Some comment on how methods are used to convey ideas and perspectives  Uses some subject terminology appropriately	Identifies some differences between the ideas and perspectives  • Attempts to compare ideas and perspectives  • Attempts evaluative comment on a text  • Some understanding of contextual factors
Core	Excellent Independently  Good With less Support  Expected Supported  Below Not Met	Shows straightforward understanding of texts  • Offers paraphrase rather than inference of a text  • Makes simple links between texts  • Simple reference or textual details from one/both texts	Shows straightforward awareness of language  Offers straightforward comment on the effect of language or structure  Straightforward identification of how ideas and perspectives are conveyed  Simple mention of subject terminology	Straightforward awareness of different ideas and/or perspectives  • Straightforward cross reference of ideas and/or perspectives  • Straightforward evaluative comment on a text  • Straightforward understanding of contextual factors
oundation	Not yet securely at Level 1			

Communication is consistently clear and effective     Tone, style and register matched to purpose, form and audience     Increasingly sophisticated vocabulary and phrasing, chosen for effect with a range of appropriate linguistic devices     Organisation     Writing is engaging with a range of detailed connected ideas     Coherent paragraphs with integrated discourse markers      Range of purpose, form and audience     Uses a variese sentence form     Mostly uses     English appropriate linguistic devices     Organisation     Writing is engaging with a range of detailed connected ideas     Coherent paragraphs with integrated discourse markers	vith success ty of s for effect Standard oriately with lled tructures ccurate ding complex		
<ul> <li>Coherent paragraphs with integrated discourse markers</li> <li>Effective use of structural features</li> <li>Communication is clear</li> <li>Tone, style and register generally matched to purpose, form and audience</li> <li>Vocabulary clearly chosen for effect and successful use of linguistic devices</li> <li>Organisation</li> <li>Writing is engaging with a range of connected ideas</li> </ul>			
Usually coherent paragraphs with range of discourse markers     Usually effective use of structural features      Communication is mostly successful     Sustained attempt to match purpose, form and audience; some control of register     Conscious use of vocabulary with some use of linguistic devices of agreement     Some use of paragraphs and some use of discourse markers     Some use of structural features     Some use of structural features     Some use of structural features     Communicates with some success     Attempts to match purpose, form and audience; attempts to control register     Begiow Not Met  Below Not Met  Not M	variety of s f Standard ome control ate spelling lex words		
**Simple success in communication of ideas  **Simple success in communication of ideas  **Simple awareness of purpose, form and audience; limited conscious punction of register  **Simple vocabulary; simple linguistic devices  Organisation  **One or two relevant ideas, simply linked  **Random paragraph structure  **Expected Supported  **Simple vocabulary  Occasional userse of purpose, form and/or audience  **Simple vocabulary  Occasional sense of purpose, form and/or audience  **Simple vocabulary  Organisation  Occasional userse  **Communicates some meaning  Occasional sense of purpose, form and/or audience  Simple vocabulary  Organisation  One or two unlinked ideas  No paragraphs  Limited or no evidence of structural features	ctuation e of s use of sh with I of		
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