



2024 Paper, Grade 8. Answer key

A2+ / B1 Preliminary for Schools. 30 minutes. Total 25 points: 19 questions × 1 point + writing 5 points. Short answers: spelling must be correct; alternatives separated by a slash.

Structure

Part	Questions	Based on
Part 1	1–5	Preliminary for Schools Reading Part 1, short texts
Part 2	6–10	TOEFL Junior reading comprehension, non-academic text, 3 options
Part 3	11–16	TOEFL Junior language form and meaning, 3 options
Part 4	17–19	Key for Schools Reading and Writing Part 5, open cloze, one word
Part 5	20	Key for Schools Reading and Writing Part 6, short e-mail, 25 words or more

Answers

Q	Answer	Q	Answer	Q	Answer	Q	Answer
1	B	6	A	11	B (has played)	16	C (the most interesting)
2	A	7	B	12	A (who)	17	which
3	B	8	C	13	B (have to)	18	his
4	C	9	B	14	B (where the station is)	19	as
5	A	10	C	15	A (rains)		

Writing, marking guide, 5 points

Points	What the marker sees
5	All three points covered clearly; 25 words or more; e-mail style (greeting, closing); only small mistakes.
3 to 4	All or most points covered; some mistakes in grammar, vocabulary or spelling, but the message is clear.
1 to 2	Only one point covered, or very short (under 15 words), or many mistakes that make it hard to understand.
0	Nothing written, or not about the task.

