

ESOL ENTRY 2 READING TEST

Part 1

(About 15 minutes)

Look at this message from your friend Nadia.

Hello,

How are your English classes at college? Do you have nice teachers?

I want to find a good college to study English – I'd like to improve my speaking and listening. My writing is fine now, and I can read well enough, but I need help with computing. Then maybe I can get a job.

You know that I am disabled – I can't walk very far. I need a college very near an underground station. Do you think your college would be good for me?

Thanks and best wishes

Nadia

Question 1

(1 mark)

Why is Nadia writing to you? Put a cross (x) in **one** box

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| to give advice about studying English | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| to ask for advice about where to study | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| to ask how to get to your college | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Question 2

(4 marks)

What would Nadia like to do better? Type **YES** or **NO** next to **each** skill

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| Speaking and Listening | |
| Reading | |
| Writing | |
| Computing | |


Question 3

(2 marks)


What does Nadia hope to do after her course?


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Now look at the leaflet about two college buildings.



**Hammersmith
& West London College**
Gliddon Road, Barons Court, London
W14 9BL


 Nearest over-ground train station: Kensington Olympia (from Clapham Junction and Willesden Junction) 15 minute walk to College.


 Nearest Underground (Zone 2): Barons Court for Piccadilly and District Lines 5 minute walk to College.

 Bus: 9, 10, 33, 209, 211, 266, 267, 419, H91, 27, 391, 190, 220, 295P
Airport: Heathrow, Piccadilly Line to Barons Court.



**Acton
& West London College**
Mill Hill Road, Acton, London W3 8UX

 Nearest over-ground train station: South Acton, half a mile to College.

 Nearest Underground (Zone 3): Acton Town for Piccadilly and District Lines, 10 minute walk to College.

 Bus: 70, 207, 266, 607, E3, H40
Airport: Heathrow, Piccadilly line to Acton Town.

Question 4

(5 marks)

What information does the leaflet give about the colleges Type **YES** or **NO** next to **each** one on the list

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| addresses | |
| train times | |
| telephone numbers | |
| underground stations | |
| bus times | |

Question 5

(3 marks)

Which college building is better for Nadia? Put a cross (x) in **one** box

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|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Hammersmith and West London College | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Acton and West London College | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Why? Give one reason.

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