Assessment Evaluation Rubric—English/Language Arts

Insufficient	Sufficient	Proficient
1	2	3
Text Complexity	Text Complexity	Text Complexity
Text(s) do not follow word count, complexity, and/or task	Text(s) follow some word count, complexity, and/or task	Text(s) follow all word count, complexity, and/or task
guidelines. No evidence of knowledge about word count and/or	guidelines. Some evidence of knowledge about word count	guidelines. Evidence of knowledge about word count and/or
complexity of chosen text(s).	and/or complexity of chosen text(s).	complexity of chosen text(s).
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Standards-Focused	Standards-Focused	Standards-Focused
Does not align clearly to a specific CCSS content area, strand,	Aligns to a specific CCSS content area, strand, and standards but	Aligns clearly to a specific CCSS content area, strand, and
and standards. No evidence of knowledge about	is unclear. Some evidence of knowledge about	standards. Evidence of knowledge about English/Language Arts
English/Language Arts Content Standards.	English/Language Arts Content Standards.	Content Standards.
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Appropriate Performance Level	Appropriate Performance Level	Appropriate Performance Level
Performance level does not align appropriately with CCSS and	Performance level aligns somewhat with CCSS and PARCC.	Performance level aligns appropriately with CCSS and PARCC.
PARCC. No evidence of knowledge about performance levels.	Some evidence of knowledge about performance levels.	Evidence of knowledge about performance levels.
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Type of Task	Type of Task	Type of Task
Specific type of task (literary analysis, narrative writing, and/or	Specific type of task (literary analysis, narrative writing, and/or	Specific type of task (literary analysis, narrative writing, and/or
research simulation) is not clearly identifiable. No evidence of	research simulation) is somewhat identifiable. Some evidence	research simulation) is clearly identifiable. Evidence of
knowledge about types of ELA tasks.	of knowledge about types of ELA tasks.	knowledge about types of ELA tasks.
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Type of Item	Type of Item	Type of Item
Specific type of item (EBSR, TECR, and/or PCR) is not clearly	Specific type of item (EBSR, TECR, and/or PCR) is somewhat	Specific type of item (EBSR, TECR, and/or PCR) is clearly
identifiable. No evidence of knowledge about types of ELA	identifiable. Some evidence of knowledge about types of ELA	identifiable. Evidence of knowledge about types of ELA items.
items.	items.	
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Assessment Stems	Assessment Stems	Assessment Stems
Stem does not provide enough or has extra information; Is not	Stem may or may not provide enough or exclude extra	Stem provides enough and excludes extra information; is
grammatically correct; Uses negatives and absolutes; Is not	information; be grammatically correct; avoid the use of	grammatically correct; avoids the use of negatives and
written in the language of the standard; is contrived	negatives and absolutes; be written in the language of the	absolutes; is written in the language of the standard; is
	standard; be contrived	authentic
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Assessment Responses	Assessment Responses	Assessment Responses
Responses are not plausible; are not grammatically correct; are	Responses may or may not be plausible; be grammatically	Responses are plausible; are grammatically correct; are similar
not similar in length and form; are not logically ordered or	correct; be similar in length and form; be logically ordered or	in length and form; are logically ordered or structurally parallel;
structurally parallel; do not avoid all or none choices; avoid	structurally parallel; avoid all or none choices; avoid obvious	avoid all or none choices; avoid obvious distracters; distracters
obvious distracters	distracters	point out errors in thinking