Practice Word Lists

Examiner Packet (No Equated Scores)

Directions

Easy Word List

Say, "I want you to read this word list out loud and do your best reading. Begin at the top, and read down the list as fast as you can until I tell you to stop. If you come to a word you cannot read, just skip it and go to the next word. If you skip more than one word, point to the word you are reading next. Do you understand? ... Okay, you will begin as soon as I turn the page."

- Start timing when the student says the first word.
- As he or she is reading, mark any words incorrect that are misread or skipped.
- If the student hesitates for more than 3 seconds on a word, mark it incorrect and say, "Go on" or "Try the next word."
- After 60 seconds, say, "Stop." Circle the last word read.
- If the student finishes all the words before the time is up, note the time required to read all the words.
- If, before the time is up, the student indicates that he or she cannot read any more words, say, "Look over the whole list to see if there are any more words you can read." If the student then indicates that he or she can read no more words, circle the last word read, record the time, and stop testing.

Moderate & Challenging Word Lists

"Now try this list. Ready? ... Begin." Follow guidelines listed above.

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EASY LIST—NO EQUATED SCORES

1.	INNER	39.	MICE	77.	SHOOK	115.	STEAM
2.	PALE	40.	FILL	78.	FALLS	116.	ITEMS
3.	CASE	41.	ROOMS	79.	DEAD	117.	CYCLE
4.	CALM	42.	BAD	80.	INCH	118.	WRONG
5.	WAKE	43.	BURN	81.	GRAY	119.	DREAM
6.	TEAMS	44.	BULL	82.	DECK	120.	FANCY
7.	STORM	45.	ENEMY	83.	WE'LL	121.	SING
8.	ROOF	46.	WEST	84.	TAPE	122.	FIRM
9.	VOTE	47.	GLASS	85.	STAND	123.	EMPTY
10.	HOPED	48.	EIGHT	86.	VAST	124.	MUD
11.	MET	49.	BONES	87.	SIX	125.	TRIP
12.	ALARM	50.	FLOOR	88.	REAR	126.	WE'VE
13.	RUNS	51.	PACK	89.	DAD	127.	CANDY
14.	SCENE	52.	OCCUR	90.	WHOSE	128.	TRIAL
15.	HOLDS	53.	FUELS	91.	FLY	129.	JOE
16.	WANTS	54.	SLOPE	92.	TRIBE	130.	DATE
17.	JOIN	55.	KEY	93.	CARRY	131.	MAMA
18.	KING	56.	l'LL	94.	WEIGH	132.	KNIFE
19.	LOUD	57.	PARTY	95.	COURT	133.	COAL
20.	TEST	58.	KNEES	96.	PITCH	134.	WAGON
21.	WALLS	59.	ROADS	97.	FAITH	135.	GATE
22.	BOOTS	60.	ATE	98.	CAT	136.	NOISE
23.	POEM	61.	BEGUN	99.	DOG	137.	SMELL
24.	WOOL	62.	PUSH	100.	BUY	138.	USING
25.	SHALL	63.	FAT	101.	SMOKE	139.	SPARE
26.	PIGS	64.	ENTER	102.	FLEW	140.	MOVIE
27.	QUICK	65.	BIKE	103.	BUSY	141.	ENDS
28.	LEAD	66.	LAKE	104.	NOTED	142.	FOOT
29.	ACID	67.	ОН	105.	SWEAT	143.	EASY
30.	BAGS	68.	START	106.	SHE'S	144.	PLAIN
31.	EXTRA	69.	HANG	107.	CUP	145.	NECK
32.	PETER	70.	TURNS	108.	ACTS	146.	NEST
33.	VERB	71.	SIGHT	109.	DRAWN	147.	ROUND
34.	SAT	72.	SEES	110.	PAY	148.	TITLE
35.	DIED	73.	SIGNS	111.	SALE	149.	TIN
36.	ODD	74.	CAVES	112.	PRIDE		
37.	EAR	75.	KILL	113.	RULE		
38.	CELLS	76.	CODE	114.	ROOT		

EASY LIST—NO EQUATED SCORES

1	FLAME	20	BITE	77	BAY	115	HONOR
	WIN		RULER				
					TANK		PHONE
	DUE		ENDED		ROAD		STORE
	BENCH		TOUCH		GOLD		BED
	EYE		HENRY		LUCK		JANE
	BADLY		SPAIN		HOLD		BRUSH
	SANG		ASIDE		RAINS		FUNNY
	COVER		DEATH		RISES		STOP
	LIVES		FLESH		LIE		APPLE
	BRING		SHOOT		SPOTS		FED
	OAK		BIT		CHINA		READY
	GODS		LOST		GAIN		PURE
	THUS		BORN		DEER		FIXED
14.	WORST		BEN		VISIT		GLOBE
15.	ROLL	53.	ICE	91.	HEAT	129.	ROCKY
16.	MAP	54.	BEND	92.	JACK	130.	SEEDS
17.	LUCKY	55.	TRACE	93.	TOWER	131.	PIECE
18.	ROCKS	56.	STOCK	94.	SON	132.	MOM
19.	ARROW	57.	POUND	95.	WAVED	133.	SLOW
20.	FROST	58.	PLATE	96.	AGE	134.	ONE'S
21.	CHAIN	59.	TALL	97.	BONE	135.	MARIA
22.	HILLS	60.	WAR	98.	BACKS	136.	OLDER
23.	BAG	61.	YORK	99.	RISE	137.	FACED
24.	CLASS	62.	EARS	100.	TIE	138.	TOM
25.	SLEEP	63.	SHOPS	101.	SWORD	139.	WE'RE
26.	MEAT	64.	SMILE	102.	ILL	140.	ROPE
27.	CLEAN	65.	SAVE	103.	LOCAL	141.	TYPES
28.	WHEAT	66.	STRIP	104.	MOUSE	142.	POOL
29.	WORSE	67.	STYLE	105.	TRIPS	143.	DRESS
30.	SNAKE	68.	CAUSE	106.	FAIR	144.	APRIL
31.	MARKS	69.	HUNT	107.	SEED	145.	SPLIT
32.	WASTE	70.	CLAIM	108.	TOES	146.	CHIN
33.	OUTER	71.	LIKED	109.	LATE	147.	APART
34.	RAISE	72.	PROUD	110.	WOODS	148.	SAND
35.	HURRY	73.	WOMEN	111.	LEAF	149.	OCEAN
36.	JAMES	74.	WINGS	112.	FACTS	150.	FIRES
37.	CANOE	75.	DIE	113.	FIFTH		
38.	SAYS	76.	JUDGE	114.	PORCH		

MODERATE LIST—NO EQUATED SCORES

1.	GAINED	39.	COMBINED	77.	FREEDOM	115.	FINISH
2.	DESTROYED	40.	AFFECTS	78.	HELPFUL	116.	HUNGRY
3.	INSTRUMENT	41.	OFFICER	79.	HOUSEHOLD	117.	POCKET
4.	WHENEVER	42.	LAUGHED	80.	LOADED	118.	PRODUCES
5.	SIGNED	43.	DESCRIBE	81.	DIFFERENTLY	119.	BROTHERS
6.	FATHER'S	44.	OCCURRED	82.	PROFESSOR	120.	KEEPING
7.	PRESENCE	45.	INCLUDING	83.	LEATHER	121.	ROUNDED
8.	VISITORS	46.	MISSED	84.	SILENT	122.	THROAT
9.	IMPRESSION	47.	MELTED	85.	SHOUTING	123.	DOCTORS
10.	KILOMETERS	48.	MAGAZINE	86.	INFLUENCE	124.	LEANED
11.	DICTIONARY	49.	FEARED	87.	FREQUENTLY	125.	NEAREST
12.	DECEMBER	50.	INTERESTING	88.	SOVIET	126.	LOSING
13.	DESIRE	51.	ABSOLUTELY	89.	AUTUMN	127.	NEIGHBORS
14.	OURSELVES	52.	INCOME	90.	FORMING	128.	NARROW
15.	VIOLENT	53.	ELECTRICITY	91.	MEADOW	129.	INVENTED
16.	RESULTS	54.	BRANCH	92.	ARCTIC	130.	FAVORITE
17.	PURPLE	55.	ASKING	93.	NORMAL	131.	PROPER
18.	EXCLAIMED	56.	RUBBED	94.	DROPPED	132.	SHOULDER
19.	APPROACH	57.	LANDING	95.	IMAGINATION	133.	HIDDEN
20.	CLEARLY	58.	EFFORT	96.	DANGER	134.	SAFETY
21.	LEAVING	59.	SLIGHTLY	97.	BELONG	135.	THERE'S
22.	SETTLE	60.	INDEPENDENT	98.	INTERESTS	136.	POWERFUL
23.	BITTER	61.	CAREER	99.	TRIBES	137.	KILLED
24.	GLANCE	62.	JACKSON	100.	SMALLEST	138.	FINDING
25.	RETURNING	63.	MIGHTY	101.	EARLIEST	139.	REMARKABLE
26.	GRANDFATHER	64.	HEAVILY	102.	HUNTED	140.	SECONDS
27.	BEDROOM	65.	NATURALLY	103.	ARRANGED	141.	STREAM
28.	CONTROLLED	66.	BURNED	104.	SHOWING	142.	AFRICAN
29.	THREAD	67.	QUALITY	105.	ACTIONS	143.	STRONGER
30.	DIOXIDE	68.	LONDON	106.	EMPIRE	144.	AFFECTED
31.	SYMBOLS	69.	LISTED	107.	CROSSING	145.	BASEBALL
32.	TROPICAL	70.	EXPLORE	108.	INSTANT	146.	LOWERED
33.	BUSINESSES	71.	OFFICIAL	109.	APPEARS	147.	VISIBLE
34.	REMEMBERED	72.	MUSCLES	110.	LIBRARY	148.	YOUNGER
35.	SCIENTIST	73.	FAILED	111.	RUSSIAN	149.	PLAINS
36.	LOVELY	74.	PROMISED	112.	DREAMS	150.	CONTENT
37.	SAMPLE	75.	PROMISE	113.	RIVERS		
38.	BACKWARD	76.	JANUARY	114.	THEY'D		

MODERATE LIST—NO EQUATED SCORES

1	FALLEN	20	CAPITAL	77	CAUSES	115	STARTS
	WINDOWS						
			EVIDENCE		PUTTING		RABBIT
	DISEASE		FRANKLIN		CHOCOLATE		IMPROVE
	BOSTON		COLLECTION		TRAVELS		ENTIRE
	BREEZE		EXPENSIVE		STANDS		THUNDER
	HEALTHY		CLOSING		TREASURE		SYSTEMS
	ELIZABETH		LIMITED		REPEATED		POLICE
8.	ANYWAY		WHEELS	84.	LIQUID	122.	FROZEN
	APPEARANCE	47.	ROCKET	85.	FOLLOWS		STORMS
	JACKET	48.	OCEANS	86.	CHICAGO	124.	DEPEND
11.	TERRIBLE	49.	JAPANESE	87.	ORDINARY	125.	EATING
12.	SEPARATED	50.	PRINTED	88.	SEPARATE	126.	EXCITED
13.	COOKING	51.	JOHNNY	89.	SMILED	127.	EXPERIMENT
14.	ADDRESS	52.	PROTECTED	90.	SENDING	128.	CUSTOMS
15.	REPORTED	53.	EXCITING	91.	PULLING	129.	BREATH
16.	TRAVELING	54.	DANCING	92.	WELCOME	130.	SOMEHOW
17.	THEY'RE	55.	MISSISSIPPI	93.	DRESSED	131.	SEARCH
18.	LIGHTED	56.	REQUIRES	94.	STRIPS	132.	HARDER
19.	PROJECT	57.	APPEAR	95.	CARRYING	133.	TREMENDOUS
20.	GOLDEN	58.	RELATIVES	96.	CREATED	134.	HOLLOW
21.	BODIES	59.	PERIODS	97.	SURROUNDED	135.	EXPERIENCES
22.	DRINKING	60.	ATTACHED	98.	BALANCED	136.	HARDLY
23.	SCIENTIFIC	61.	BLANKETS	99.	WONDERED	137.	DOLLARS
24.	CHARGED	62.	HABITS	100.	LIGHTNING	138.	APPLES
25.	REGULAR	63.	SPORTS	101.	ENTERED	139.	CLOTHING
26.	WOODEN	64.	EQUALLY	102.	SUBSTANCES	140.	STEADY
27.	SHARPLY	65.	SUCCESSFUL	103.	HORIZON	141.	SETTLED
28.	NEWSPAPERS	66.	AVERAGE	104.	RECEIVED	142.	CERTAINLY
29.	MEMORY	67.	NOVEMBER	105.	SUBJECTS	143.	VARIETY
30.	MOLECULES	68.	SIGHED	106.	SUNLIGHT	144.	METALS
31.	PROGRESS	69.	FEATURES	107.	ACCOUNT	145.	GERMANY
32.	WEREN'T	70.	MESSAGES	108.	INCHES	146.	IMPORTANCE
33.	TWENTY-FIVE	71.	LINCOLN	109.	COURAGE	147.	SIXTEEN
34.	TONGUE	72.	HEADED	110.	CLIMBING	148.	PRESSED
35.	VEGETABLES	73.	ORANGE	111.	HUNTERS	149.	WONDERFUL
36.	DRAGON	74.	READER	112.	MIRROR	150.	REMAINED
37.	FORCED	75.	PENCIL	113.	REMINDED		
38.	MOVIES	76.	BASKET	114.	STRETCHED		
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CHALLENGING LIST—NO EQUATED SCORES

1.	SMASHING	39.	INTENTIONS	77.	NIBBLING	115.	HALLEY'S
2.	PAUL'S	40.	WEIGHTLESS	78.	DEFENDANT	116.	BRACELET
3.	POTOMAC	41.	SLAMMING	79.	CHERISHED	117.	DESSERT
4.	GWYDION	42.	MAPPED	80.	SHAPELESS	118.	MERIDIANS
5.	GLAZED	43.	STROLLING	81.	DODGERS	119.	FILLER
6.	DISASTERS	44.	PRECISION	82.	SICILY	120.	DISGUISED
7.	INSULIN	45.	DARKEST	83.	OBEDIENTLY	121.	MARCHES
8.	DEPRESSING	46.	FRACTURE	84.	BLOOMED	122.	DISAPPROVAL
9.	CARTON	47.	SHEILA	85.	THERE'D	123.	PARCEL
10.	LANDFORMS	48.	PACING	86.	PHILLIPS	124.	SUCTION
11.	FORBADE	49.	PIPELINE	87.	DELEGATE	125.	ADDITIONS
12.	STARBOARD	50.	CONTRACTED	88.	PROPHET	126.	EARDRUM
13.	SUBDUED	51.	VANCOUVER	89.	MOUNTAINTOP	127.	CARROT
14.	NEEDLESS	52.	HOARSE	90.	FLURRY	128.	FIRESIDE
15.	DESPISED	53.	CONSTANCE	91.	HISTORIAN	129.	DISCOURAGE
16.	BATTERIES	54.	FLAVORS	92.	INITIALS	130.	CHANCED
17.	UNREAL	55.	GALLERIES	93.	CHRISTENED	131.	SOMEBODY'S
18.	LUNGED	56.	RUBIES	94.	ROUGHER	132.	HANDLEBARS
19.	AGREEMENTS	57.	CRICKETS	95.	BREWING	133.	FORGIVENESS
20.	MUMMIES	58.	EXERCISING	96.	UNDERWORLD	134.	WEAKEN
21.	ONE-ROOM	59.	VICINITY	97.	SCRAPBOOK	135.	ONESELF
22.	IRONING	60.	CHATTING	98.	PETRIFIED	136.	CRITICIZE
23.	GRABBING	61.	RANGER	99.	CHIEF'S	137.	CRAYFISH
24.	FOOLISHNESS	62.	OBSERVERS	100.	PERSISTENT	138.	HEROIC
25.	DEVOURED	63.	KEEPERS	101.	TOLERANCE	139.	RECIPES
26.	FLOCKED	64.	CARNIVOROUS	102.	THRIVING	140.	FRINGED
27.	DRIZZLE	65.	JASPER	103.	STEAMED	141.	SUGARCANE
28.	BRILLIANCE	66.	IMPOSED	104.	BLOOMING	142.	UNBEARABLE
29.	SPIRITUAL	67.	LIMPED	105.	SEASHELLS	143.	DOORWAYS
30.	DISPLEASED	68.	FORTY-TWO	106.	SPEEDED	144.	INSTINCTIVE
31.	SUBMIT	69.	CINDERS	107.	THROTTLE	145.	LIZZIE
32.	KAREN'S	70.	PROTESTANT	108.	THIRTIES	146.	MISERABLY
33.	HEBREWS	71.	LEYDEN	109.	HITLER'S	147.	JEANNETTE
34.	BUCKLE	72.	HARD-BOILED	110.	PHYLLIS	148.	RELATES
35.	GRUMBLING	73.	COMMONPLACE	111.	CALLER	149.	BENNETT
36.	TRIUMPHANT	74.	NORMANDY	112.	SIDNEY	150.	CUSTER
37.	MARKERS	75.	IMMUNE	113.	DISMAYED		
38.	BARGAINING	76.	OUTLAW	114.	DANDELION		

CHALLENGING LIST—NO EQUATED SCORES

1.	LANDLORDS	39.	REWARDING	77.	GNARLED	115.	ITHACA
2.	REMINDERS	40.	FOLDER	78.	VICTIM'S	116.	HERSCHEL
3.	RHYMES	41.	BOSSES	79.	PARTING	117.	COMFORTING
4.	BANISHED	42.	BUSHEL	80.	MENTIONING	118.	SLUGGISH
5.	WARSHIPS	43.	FRONTIERS	81.	TRENTON	119.	PRESUMABLY
6.	JENNIFER	44.	PLEASES	82.	CLOCKWISE	120.	AVENUES
7.	PROMPTED	45.	SLACKS	83.	PLAYMATES	121.	HIGGINS
8.	CLAUDIA	46.	CHIPMUNKS	84.	HUMILIATION	122.	DANGLED
9.	COUNSELORS	47.	CHLORINE	85.	REMINDING	123.	FIREFLIES
10.	CHOPPY	48.	CONFUCIUS	86.	THRIVE	124.	ORPHANAGE
11.	RONALD	49.	SPARKLE	87.	SAVAGES	125.	CRAYON
12.	FAIREST	50.	TURBINE	88.	RETREATING	126.	ASTOUNDED
13.	INCHED	51.	FOSTER	89.	WORLDWIDE	127.	FRANKLY
14.	CORNFIELDS	52.	CLIENTS	90.	APHIDS	128.	JUDGMENTS
15.	LABORER	53.	IMPLIED	91.	CHUCKLE	129.	YEAR-ROUND
16.	INHALE	54.	SAILBOAT	92.	EXCLUSIVE	130.	COMFORTS
17.	PUBLISHER	55.	SEDIMENTS	93.	PURELY	131.	CRUSOE
18.	DRENCHED	56.	CANTERBURY	94.	CEREMONIAL	132.	CANADA'S
19.	HORSEMAN	57.	WAISTCOAT	95.	INGENIOUS	133.	OBLIGATIONS
20.	UNAIDED	58.	BRIGHTEN	96.	THIRTY-TWO	134.	THUNDERED
21.	SETTLER	59.	TAIWAN	97.	SHILLING	135.	SAGGED
22.	QUEENIE	60.	ALEC'S	98.	FIFTIES	136.	FELLED
23.	RETORTED	61.	PIZARRO	99.	HOMILY	137.	KEENLY
24.	DASHES	62.	BAGHDAD	100.	APPARATUS	138.	REIGNED
25.	REINED	63.	WORKINGS	101.	SYLLABLES	139.	STOOPING
26.	VETERANS	64.	PERILOUS	102.	HEDGES	140.	BAHAMAS
27.	SEMICIRCLE	65.	RATING	103.	TREATIES	141.	RUSTLE
28.	MATTRESSES	66.	RUSTED	104.	MIKE'S	142.	POODLE
29.	HOSTESS	67.	APPALLED	105.	WHISKY	143.	BUTTONED
30.	LABYRINTH	68.	TINIEST	106.	DISBELIEF	144.	BANNERS
31.	ENVELOPES	69.	SKATER	107.	POLYNESIA	145.	REVIEWING
32.	SLEDGE	70.	BRUTAL	108.	BATTLEFIELD	146.	YELLOWSTONE
33.	OVERTAKE	71.	BATHROOMS	109.	SURVEYOR	147.	RIPPING
34.	ADVENTURER	72.	ALMANAC	110.	PAKISTAN	148.	EXTRACT
35.	PERPETUAL	73.	ADOLESCENT	111.	LANDMARKS	149.	CLOAKS
36.	PORTRAITS	74.	DIPPER	112.	NONETHELESS	150.	OBJECTION
37.	SUPPOSING	75.	SPINACH	113.	PEAKED		
38.	GRUNTING	76.	BROOMS	114.	SADDLED		