

NZQA Assessment Support Material

Unit standard	30509				
Title	Demonstrate and apply understanding of a short spoken text in English for an academic purpose				
Level	3	Credits	5	Version	1

Student guidelines

CONDITIONS OF ASSESSMENT

This is a **closed book assessment** and will take place over a time frame set by your assessor.

For assessment against this standard:

- Before listening to the text, you will be told what the academic purpose of the listening is.
- You will be given time to read through the questions.
- You will hear the text twice.
- After the second listening you will be given enough time to complete the assessment task.
- You will be given time at the end of the assessment to check your answers.
- Your responses may be in any form. This may include table, graphic, written, oral.
- Your responses do not need to be grammatically correct, but any errors you make should not interfere with meaning.
- You cannot resubmit this assessment.
- Refer to the checklist below to help you with your assessment.

Assessment task

You have been studying the topic of learning strategies. Listen to this presentation and complete the task below.

The academic purpose of the task is to answer the following research question.

Research question

Explain some of the ways in which students can learn vocabulary more effectively.

Student Checklist

In this assessment task you will need to show you can do the following:	PC
Identify key information in the text relating to the academic purpose.	1.1
Identify detailed and/or supporting information that is relevant to the key information.	1.2
Apply the information in a form that is relevant to the key information you have identified. This could be:	1.3
summarising i.e. to write the main ideas only of what you have heard	
outlining i.e. to make a list of the main points	
• tabulating i.e. to arrange the information in a systematic form such as in a table or bullet points.	

Assessment task

Name:	Date:

Student instructions

- 1. You will hear the talk twice.
- 2. Section 1: Answer the questions and complete the table as you listen to the talk.
- 3. Section 2: Use the information from Section 1 to answer the research question.

Section 1: Answer the questions and complete the tables as you listen.

Key information relating to the academic purpose is identified (1.1)

Detailed and/or supporting information relevant to the key information is identified (1.2)

	Key information is identified (PC 1.1)	Detailed and/or supporting information is identified
A.	i) What words should students learn?	Further details:
		ii)
В.	i) Stage 1	What does this involve?
		ii)
		iii)
		iv)
		v)
C.	i) Stage 2	What does this involve?
		ii)
		iii)
		iii)

D.	i) Stage 3	What does this involve?
		ii)
		iii)
Section	on 2	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Under limited	standing is applied in a form relevant to the I to - summarising, outlining, tabulating. (1.3	e academic purpose. This may include but is not 3).
	n what vocabulary students should learn ar , draw a diagram or write a paragraph.	nd the best ways to do this. You may use bullet