

## INDEX OF EXAM SKILLS AND TASKS

The activities in *Pathways Reading, Writing, and Critical Thinking* develop **key reading skills** needed for success on standardized tests such as TOEFL® and IELTS. In addition, many of the activities provide useful exam practice because they are similar to **common question types** in these tests.

Key Reading Skills	IELTS	TOEFL®	Page(s)
Recognizing vocabulary from context	✓	✓	4, 9, 13, 18, 28, 42, 52, 66, 76, 81, 92, 116, 131, 140, 164, 188, 202, 227
Identifying main ideas	✓	✓	8, 10, 17, 32, 41, 57, 80, 106, 115, 132, 139, 154, 163, 178, 202, 211, 226, 235
Identifying supporting ideas	✓	✓	9, 10, 17, 18, 56, 57, 92, 107, 130, 139, 187, 202, 211, 235
Scanning for details	✓	✓	17, 32, 41, 42, 65, 80, 130, 139, 163, 164, 179, 202, 204, 211, 212, 228, 235
Making inferences	✓	✓	33, 42, 66, 81, 91, 155, 227
Recognizing pronoun references	✓	✓	82, 188
Understanding charts and infographics	✓		58, 66, 91, 130, 131, 155, 164, 202, 211

Common Question Types	IELTS	TOEFL®	Page(s)
Multiple choice	✓	✓	8, 65, 81, 91, 106, 154, 164, 187, 211, 226, 236
Completion (notes, diagram, chart)	✓		17, 18, 34, 41, 65, 80, 92, 107, 108, 116, 187, 212
Completion (summary)	✓		8, 80, 91, 163, 178, 187, 226
Short answer	✓		9, 33, 56, 66, 80, 91, 92, 107, 116, 131, 139, 140, 154, 163, 164, 179, 202, 203, 211, 235
Matching headings / information	✓		8, 32, 41, 56, 65, 115, 178, 235
Categorizing (Matching features)	✓	✓	8, 18, 32, 66, 106, 115, 139, 155
True / False / Not Given	✓		32, 41, 80, 154
Prose summary		✓	56, 130
Rhetorical purpose		✓	8, 178

Level 3 of *Pathways Reading, Writing, and Critical Thinking* also develops **key writing skills** needed for exam success.

Key Writing Skills	Unit(s)
Writing strong body paragraphs	1, 4, 7, 9, 10
Writing a strong introduction and conclusion	3, 10
Expressing and justifying opinions	6, 7
Giving reasons and examples	1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
Paraphrasing / Summarizing	2
Making comparisons	1
Describing problems and solutions	3
Explaining a process	4
Expressing agreement and disagreement	6, 9
Describing a graph or chart	6

Pathways	CEFR	IELTS Band	TOEFL® Score
Level 4	C1	6.5–7.0	81–100
<b>Level 3</b>	<b>B2</b>	<b>5.5–6.0</b>	<b>51–80</b>
Level 2	B1–B2	4.5–5.0	31–50
Level 1	A2–B1	0–4.0	0–30
Foundations	A1–A2		