

TEST: UPrep 1 Short Articles Project – Sample Format

Time: 55 min.,

Name: _____

/(27 marks)

NOTE: Answer each question based on information from the articles.

I. 1st Article

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1. Pattern of Organization and Main Idea (one paragraph)

The pattern of organization is ... [we will tell you the pattern].

a) Provide 2 key words or key phrases that helped you choose this pattern of organization. (1 mark)

c) Write a main idea sentence for this paragraph. Use your own words. (2 mark)

2. Inference

a) From the article, which idea can we infer? (Circle one) (1 mark)

- i)
- ii)

b) Find a “quote” from the article that helped infer this (one sentence only). (1 mark)

c) Explain how this “quote” helped you make the inference. (1 mark)

3. Application

Use information in the article to answer this question about a new situation. (2 marks)

II. 2nd Article

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Skim and Scan – Comprehension (1 mark each)

1.

2.

3. True / False (1 mark)

4. (2 marks)

5. **Main Idea:** Write a main idea sentence for the ___ paragraph. (2 marks)

6. Pattern of Organization (3 marks)

a) Pattern of Organization of ___ paragraph: (1 mark)

b) Provide 2 key words or key phrases that helped you choose this pattern of organization. (1 mark)

c) Explain why you chose this pattern of organization. (1 mark)

III. 3rd Article**/9****1. Pattern of Organization and Main Idea** (one paragraph)

The pattern of organization is ... [we will tell you the pattern].

a) Provide 2 key words or key phrases that helped you choose this pattern of organization. (1 mark)

c) Write a main idea sentence for this paragraph. Use your own words. (2 mark)

2. Inference (1)

Circle the best answer.

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

3. Skim and Scan – Inference (3)

a)? (1 mark)

b) Find a “quote” from the article that helped infer this (one sentence only). (1 mark)

c) Explain how this “quote” helped you make the inference. (1 mark)

IV. Synthesis – Use Information from All Three Articles**/1**

(one question)