



Student Example Questionnaire

2016
Grade 4
(Pilot)

Pilot

1. How easy or difficult was this test?

- Ⓐ Extremely difficult
- Ⓑ Quite difficult
- Ⓒ Somewhat difficult
- Ⓓ Somewhat easy
- Ⓔ Quite easy
- Ⓕ Extremely easy

2. How many questions do you think you answered correctly on this test?

- Ⓐ None or almost none
- Ⓑ Some but less than half
- Ⓒ About half
- Ⓓ More than half but not all
- Ⓔ All or almost all

3. How similar were the questions on this test to the questions on your **English/language arts** quizzes and tests at school?

- Ⓐ Not similar at all
- Ⓑ Not similar
- Ⓒ Somewhat similar
- Ⓓ Quite similar
- Ⓔ Extremely similar

4. How much effort did you apply to succeed on this test?

- Ⓐ No effort at all
- Ⓑ Very little effort
- Ⓒ Some effort
- Ⓓ Quite a bit of effort
- Ⓔ A lot of effort

5. How stressful was taking this test?

- Ⓐ Not stressful at all
- Ⓑ A little stressful
- Ⓒ Somewhat stressful
- Ⓓ Quite stressful
- Ⓔ Extremely stressful

6. How challenging was taking this test?

- Ⓐ Not challenging at all
- Ⓑ A little challenging
- Ⓒ Somewhat challenging
- Ⓓ Quite challenging
- Ⓔ Extremely challenging

7. How much time pressure did you feel when taking this test?

- Ⓐ No time pressure at all
- Ⓑ A little bit of time pressure
- Ⓒ Some time pressure
- Ⓓ Quite a bit of time pressure
- Ⓔ A lot of time pressure

8. Are you Hispanic or Latino? Select **one or more** answer choices.

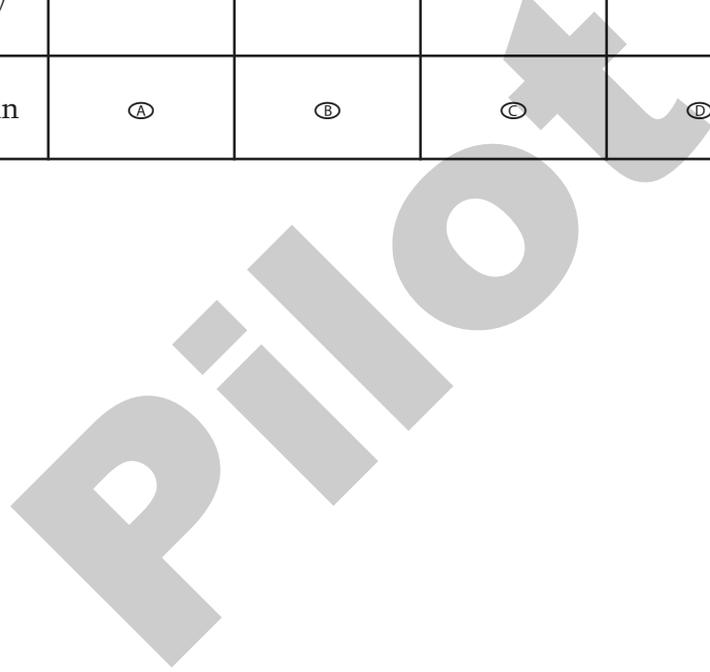
- Ⓐ No, I am not Hispanic or Latino.
- Ⓑ Yes, I am Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano.
- Ⓒ Yes, I am Puerto Rican or Puerto Rican American.
- Ⓓ Yes, I am Cuban or Cuban American.
- Ⓔ Yes, I am from some other Hispanic or Latino background.

9. Which of the following best describes you? Select **one or more** answer choices.

- Ⓐ White
- Ⓑ Black or African American
- Ⓒ Asian
- Ⓓ American Indian or Alaska Native
- Ⓔ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

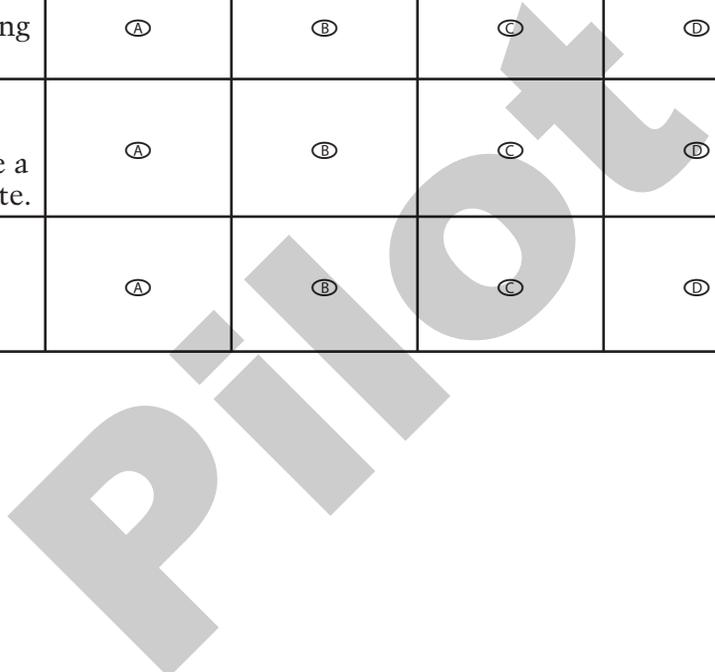
10. How often do the following things happen at home? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Never	About once or twice a year	About once or twice a month	About once or twice a week	Every day or almost every day	
a. People at home check if I do my homework.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271263
b. People at home make sure that I make time for my homework.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271262
c. I talk about things I have studied in school with someone in my family.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271261
d. People at home ask what I am learning in school.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271260



11. How much does each of the following statements describe a person like you? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Not at all like me	A little bit like me	Somewhat like me	Quite a bit like me	Very much like me	
a. I finish whatever I begin.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271338
b. I like complex problems more than easy problems.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271750
c. I try very hard even after making mistakes.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271339
d. I like activities that challenge my thinking abilities.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271752
e. I continue to work towards my goals, even when they take a long time to complete.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271341
f. I enjoy situations where I will have to think about something.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271753



12. How much does each of the following statements describe a person like you? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Not at all like me	A little bit like me	Somewhat like me	Quite a bit like me	Very much like me	
a. I find satisfaction in thinking hard and for long hours.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271754
b. I keep working hard even when I feel like quitting.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271342
c. I enjoy thinking about new solutions to problems.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271756
d. I continue working on what I set out to do, even when it takes a long time to complete.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271344
e. I like to think of my life as a puzzle that I must solve.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271758
f. I keep trying to improve myself, even when it takes a long time to get there.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH271345

13. If you have a problem while working towards an important goal, how well can you keep working?

- Ⓐ Not well at all
- Ⓑ Slightly well
- Ⓒ Somewhat well
- Ⓓ Quite well
- Ⓔ Extremely well

14. How often do you stay focused on the same goal for more than 3 months at a time?

- Ⓐ Almost never
- Ⓑ Once in a while
- Ⓒ Sometimes
- Ⓓ Frequently
- Ⓔ Almost always

15. When you are working on a project that matters a lot to you, how focused can you stay when there are lots of distractions?

- Ⓐ Not focused at all
- Ⓑ Slightly focused
- Ⓒ Somewhat focused
- Ⓓ Quite focused
- Ⓔ Extremely focused

16. If you fail at an important goal, how likely are you to try again?

- Ⓐ Not at all likely
- Ⓑ Slightly likely
- Ⓒ Somewhat likely
- Ⓓ Quite likely
- Ⓔ Extremely likely

17. If you need to do something you don't want, in order to reach an important goal, how likely are you to do it?

- Ⓐ Not at all likely
- Ⓑ Slightly likely
- Ⓒ Somewhat likely
- Ⓓ Quite likely
- Ⓔ Extremely likely

18. How often does your teacher ask you to read silently?

- Ⓐ Never or hardly ever
- Ⓑ Sometimes
- Ⓒ Often
- Ⓓ Always or almost always

19. How often does your teacher ask you to read a book you have chosen yourself?

- Ⓐ Never or hardly ever
- Ⓑ Sometimes
- Ⓒ Often
- Ⓓ Always or almost always

20. How often does your teacher ask you to discuss new or difficult vocabulary?

- Ⓐ Never or hardly ever
- Ⓑ Sometimes
- Ⓒ Often
- Ⓓ Always or almost always

21. For school this year, how often do you work in pairs or small groups to talk about something that you have read?

- Ⓐ Never or hardly ever
- Ⓑ A few times a year
- Ⓒ Once or twice a month
- Ⓓ At least once a week

22. For school this year, how often do you have a class discussion about something that the class has read?

- Ⓐ Never or hardly ever
- Ⓑ A few times a year
- Ⓒ Once or twice a month
- Ⓓ At least once a week

23. For school this year, how often have you been asked to write long answers to questions on tests or assignments that involved reading?

- Ⓐ Never
- Ⓑ Once or twice this year
- Ⓒ Once or twice a month
- Ⓓ At least once a week

24. Please indicate how much you agree with the following statements about reading. Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Somewhat disagree	Somewhat agree	Agree	Strongly agree	
a. When I read books, I learn a lot.	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	Ⓕ	VH333182
b. Reading is one of my favorite activities.	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	Ⓕ	VH333181
c. Reading is enjoyable.	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	Ⓕ	VH333183

25. How often do you do each of the following? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Never	About once or twice a year	About once or twice a month	About once or twice a week	Every day or almost every day	
a. Read for fun on your own time	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	VH333224
b. Talk with your friends or family about something you have read	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	VH333225

26. Do you think you would be able to do each of the following when reading? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	I definitely can't	I probably can't	Maybe	I probably can	I definitely can	
a. Figure out the meaning of a word you don't know by using other words in the text	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260848
b. Explain the meaning of something you have read	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260849
c. Understand the feelings of characters in a story	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260850
d. Figure out the main idea of a text	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260851

27. Do you think you would be able to do each of the following when reading? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	I definitely can't	I probably can't	Maybe	I probably can	I definitely can	
a. Figure out the theme of a text	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260852
b. Find text in a reading passage to help you answer a question on a test	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260859
c. Recognize when you don't understand something you are reading	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260861
d. Recognize the difference between fact and opinion in a text	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260863

28. In your English/language arts class this school year, how often have you done each of the following? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Never or hardly ever	Less than half of the time	About half of the time	More than half of the time	All or almost all of the time	
a. I came to my English/language arts class prepared.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260952
b. I remembered and followed directions from my English/language arts teacher.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260953
c. I started working on reading assignments right away rather than waiting until the last minute.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260954
d. I paid attention and resisted distractions during English/language arts class.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260955
e. I stayed on task without reminders from my English/language arts teacher.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260957
f. I paid attention in my English/language arts class even when I was not interested.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	VH260958

29. In this school year, how often do you borrow reading materials (such as books or magazines) from your school library or media center?

- Ⓐ Never
- Ⓑ About once or twice a year
- Ⓒ About once or twice a month
- Ⓓ About once or twice a week
- Ⓔ Every day or almost every day

30. For school this year, how often do you use the following devices to read a story, article, or book? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Never	About once or twice a year	About once or twice a month	About once or twice a week	Every day or almost every day	Several times a day	
a. Desktop computer	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	Ⓕ	VH260200
b. Laptop computer	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	Ⓕ	VH260201
c. Tablet (for example, Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire)	Ⓐ	Ⓑ	Ⓒ	Ⓓ	Ⓔ	Ⓕ	VH260202

31. How often do you receive help from a tutor, family member, or friend with English/language arts **outside of school or after school**?

- Ⓐ Never
- Ⓑ About once or twice a year
- Ⓒ About once or twice a month
- Ⓓ About once or twice a week
- Ⓔ Every day or almost every day

32. Besides doing homework, how much time do you spend reading **outside of school**?

- Ⓐ Less than 30 minutes a day
- Ⓑ 30 minutes up to 1 hour a day
- Ⓒ 1 up to 2 hours a day
- Ⓓ 2 up to 3 hours a day
- Ⓔ 3 up to 4 hours a day
- Ⓕ More than 4 hours a day

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33. How often do you typically do each of the following things **outside of school**? Select **one** answer choice on each row.

	Never	About once or twice a year	About once or twice a month	About once or twice a week	Every day or almost every day	
a. Talk about books (print or online) with other people	<input type="radio"/> A	<input type="radio"/> B	<input type="radio"/> C	<input type="radio"/> D	<input type="radio"/> E	VH260907
b. Go to my local library to borrow books (print or online)	<input type="radio"/> A	<input type="radio"/> B	<input type="radio"/> C	<input type="radio"/> D	<input type="radio"/> E	VH260911
c. Read blogs	<input type="radio"/> A	<input type="radio"/> B	<input type="radio"/> C	<input type="radio"/> D	<input type="radio"/> E	VH260913
d. Use social media (for example, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram)	<input type="radio"/> A	<input type="radio"/> B	<input type="radio"/> C	<input type="radio"/> D	<input type="radio"/> E	VH333261
e. Help friends with reading homework	<input type="radio"/> A	<input type="radio"/> B	<input type="radio"/> C	<input type="radio"/> D	<input type="radio"/> E	VH260917

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34. In this school year, did you participate in a book club?

- A Yes
- B No

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35. Have you ever participated in a summer reading program?

- A Yes
- B No

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36. Last summer, did you participate in a summer reading program?

- A Yes
- B No