

**Academic Language – Grade 3 (2014)**  
(From SBAC Practice Test Scoring Guide 2014 for Grade 3)

Which sentence **best describes** the lesson of the passage?

Which sentence **best supports** your answer in part A?

**Arrange** the events from the passage in the correct order in which they happen. **Click** on the sentences to **drag** them into the correct locations.

What does the word \_\_\_\_\_ **most likely** mean?

What **inference** can be made about the **author's message** about \_\_\_\_\_?

Include information from the passage to **support your answer**.

Why is \_\_\_\_\_ **important to understand the passage**? Pick three choices.

What does the phrase " \_\_\_\_\_ " **tell the reader** about \_\_\_\_\_?

Pick **three** details from the passage that **best supports** this idea.

What is the **main idea** of the paragraph?

The author uses a word that means \_\_\_\_\_. Click on the word in the paragraph that is **closest** to that idea.

Click on the sentence that gives the **best conclusion** about \_\_\_\_\_.

What inference can be made about why the author includes \_\_\_\_\_ in the passage? **Support your answer with details from the passage.**

Choose the sentence that **best describes** what the information in the paragraph shows about the **author's point of view.**

What two sentences from the passage **best support** your answer in part A?

What is the **most likely reason** the author used paragraph headings for each part of the passage?

Why did the author use the phrase " \_\_\_\_\_ " in the sentence?

The first sentence of the story is **not the best beginning.** Move the groups of sentences so that the group that makes the best beginning comes first.

Choose the sentence that **best introduces** the topic of the student's report.

The beginning of the student's essay does not state her opinion. **Write an opening paragraph that states the opinion and explains what the topic is about.**

The writer wants to replace the underlined word to make her meaning clearer. Which two words would make her **word choice better**?

Choose the sentence that contains a spelling error.

Which of the sentences **contains an error** in grammar usage?

Which statement **best describes** how \_\_\_\_\_?

What is the **most likely reason** the author made the presentation?

Which details in the presentation **best supports** the idea that \_\_\_\_\_?

Click in the box next to each type of \_\_\_\_ which detail it best matches.

Which question can a listener answer after hearing the presentation?

Part A: Which statement is supported by the presentation?

Part B: Which sentence from the presentation **best supports** your answer in part A?

The parts of the student's report are listed below. Where in the report should the student place the information from the source?

A student is writing a research report about \_\_\_\_\_. The student took notes and thought of three main ideas for her report. Click on the box to show the main idea that each note **best supports**:

A student is writing a report about \_\_\_\_\_. Which source would **most likely have information** for the report?