

Appendix 3

Sample Vocabulary & Comprehension Rubric for SEN students

Vocabulary

No Understanding

- No understanding of the key vocabulary words
- Is able to talk about familiar topics but can only convey basic meaning and makes frequent errors in word choice

Partial Understanding

- Partial understanding of the key vocabulary words
- Manages to talk about familiar and unfamiliar topics but uses vocabulary with limited flexibility

Full Understanding

- Full understanding of the key vocabulary words
- Has a wide enough vocabulary to discuss topics at length and make meaning

Written Comprehension

No Understanding

- Fails to address the tasks on worksheets provided, presents limited ideas which may be largely irrelevant/repetitive

Partial Understanding

- Attempts to address the task and adequately highlights key features/bullet points but details may be irrelevant, inappropriate or inaccurate

Full Understanding

- Fully satisfies all the requirements of the task, clearly presents a fully developed response
- Presents, highlights and illustrates key features/bullet points clearly and appropriately