

## Commentary:

✓	✗
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Complex sentences and grammatical structures are used throughout the response.</li><li>● Errors are rare.</li><li>● Vocabulary is carefully chosen to match context (“cognitive abilities,” “physical malfunctions,” “passing on his/ her knowledge”).</li><li>● The response fully completes the task—the supporting details are clearly developed.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Some errors with sentence boundaries in longer sentences (see the last sentence of paragraph 2).</li></ul>

# Writing Test Responses Commentary

## for Practice Test 2

CEFR Level: A2

### Task 1:

1. Do you like to take photographs? What do you take photographs of?

Yes I do I take to my family

2. Describe a place where you like to take photographs.

Yes I like, is to take photographs is phonic.

3. Tell us about a photograph you took recently.

Photograph took recently is a happy birthday on my sister.

### Commentary:

✓	✗
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Some basic thoughts are presented.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Grammar mistakes create confusion for the reader.</li><li>● Only simple vocabulary is used.</li><li>● The response is short.</li></ul>

CEFR Level: A2

### Task 2:

Some public places have a lot of garbage. One solution is to provide more trash cans for people to use. Another option is to increase penalties for people who throw garbage on the street. What do you think should be done? Use specific examples to support your opinion.

The places is good because, the garbage is terrible in the city, the people diven't have control, not importan in the floor garbage. Solution the problem garbage is: the person introduction have a conferment for a concietiser an contaminer of the city, the river and another person, because, produse the virus, take a ticket, and clean comunitari for 15<sup>th</sup> days. Use the gabechee for the garbage an use the bag. I done take a concienst the not garbage because and contamineret the mund, contamineiret the river, the family, the aire and the live, I take conscientizer and when you see another person for a garbage.

**Commentary:**

✓	✗
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The writer attempts to use some more sophisticated vocabulary.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Grammar and vocabulary errors are present in almost every sentence.</li> <li>● Spelling mistakes are common, and there is little control over sentence boundaries.</li> <li>● The response is not cohesive—the ideas are not clearly connected.</li> <li>● The response is very short and simple and, at times, difficult to understand.</li> </ul>

**CEFR Level: B1**

**Task 1:**

**1. Do you like to take photographs? What do you take photographs of?**

*Yes, I would like take photographs and, something that I think will be nice to take photos are diferents people and they culture.*

**2. Describe a place where you like to take photographs.**

*I think Africa, India and Japan are good places to take this tipe of photographs but the culture are really special and signif.*

**3. Tell us about a photograph you took recently.**

*A photograph that I took recently was sunset when the sky was realy beautiful and colorful.*

**Commentary:**

✓	✗
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The response is relevant to the task and provides some supporting detail ("the culture are really special," "sky was realy beautiful and colorful").</li> <li>● Some sophisticated vocabulary is attempted ("sunset," "colorful").</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Most sentences contain grammar, vocabulary, or spelling errors, which are distracting.</li> <li>● Most of the vocabulary used is simple.</li> <li>● Connective devices are used, though ideas are not always connected.</li> </ul>

## CEFR Level: B1

### Task 2:

Some public places have a lot of garbage. One solution is to provide more trash cans for people to use. Another option is to increase penalties for people who throw garbage on the street. What do you think should be done? Use specific examples to support your opinion.

At there days the garbage becomes a big problem because the public places and the streets were full of it. I understand that it looks like nothing but when we think on hoge quantity it becomes the reason of lot of desasters like floods and the start of some epidemy.

To start, we could not dell on this topic without important and we should talk about it on the schools, on the companys, on the hospitals on the TV with helps of something interesting for the population pay attention. Another solution was creat programs that incentyvorts the treatment correct for the trash where has places specifying to separate and transformer it on oder stufs.

first when the people understand the important of they will started to they care of it.

### Commentary:

✓	✗
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● The response is mainly relevant to the task.</li><li>● There is control of punctuation and sentence boundaries.</li><li>● The writer uses some connective devices.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Few supporting details are given due to the short length of the response.</li><li>● Some grammar, spelling, and vocabulary errors are severe enough to obscure meaning ("we could not dell on this topic," "incentyvorts," "transformer it on oder stufs").</li><li>● The response is not cohesive at times, such as the first sentence of paragraph 2.</li></ul>

## CEFR Level: B2

### Task 1:

#### 1. Do you like to take photographs? What do you take photographs of?

Yes I do. I love take phtographs so I take photographs of everything. For example, of landscapes, of myself, of my friends, of foods like, my meals and of me and my frends.

#### 2. Describe a place where you like to take photographs.

A place that I like to take photographs is outside. The illumination is better and more high quality.

#### 3. Tell us about a photograph you took recently.

The last photograph I took was of me and my friends in a party.

## Commentary:

✓	✗
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The response is relevant to the task.</li> <li>● The writer provides supporting details ("The illumination is better and more high quality").</li> <li>● Control of sentence boundaries is demonstrated.</li> <li>● Few grammar errors are present.</li> <li>● Some sophisticated vocabulary is used ("landscapes," "illumination").</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Some spelling errors occur, but these do not cause confusion ("phtographs," "frends").</li> <li>● Mostly simple sentences are used.</li> </ul>

## CEFR Level: B2

### Task 2:

Some public places have a lot of garbage. One solution is to provide more trash cans for people to use. Another option is to increase penalties for people who throw garbage on the street. What do you think should be done? Use specific examples to support your opinion.

*In my opinion, first of all, we have to invest in education because people who throw garbage on the street does not have education, a thing that is essential and comes of the parents to.*

*I agree with increase penalties for people who throw garbage on the street because it looks like they can not put in their bags or pockets and wait to find a trash to throw, but I understand that sometimes people are not carrying bags or have a pocket to put away, so I agree with provide more trash cans for people to use to. With more trash cans, less floods we will have, I guess.*

*But all of this requires invest, so it is not a thing that we can do by ourselves, the government have to do their part to help the environment, the nature, help us to have a clean city with no trash, no pollution.*

*For all of this, things works, we have to become aware for all the problems that around us and help and do what we can.*

## CEFR Level: C1

### Task 2:

Some public places have a lot of garbage. One solution is to provide more trash cans for people to use. Another option is to increase penalties for people who throw garbage on the street. What do you think should be done? Use specific examples to support your opinion.

*As the world seems to be a little more dirty every day, solutions for these problems must be talked about. Providing more trash cans and increasing penalties for thrown garbage on the street are both good solutions that might help our planet in this point. But if we want it to be very significant, we cannot just choose one of them; they have to be put in action together, then we can get better results.*

*A lot of times I saw myself holding my rubbish for a long time because there were not trash cans where I could throw it away and I am sure that it did not happen just to me. People get tired of holding these stuff so long, so they just drop it. It does not seem so bad, but it can cause so many floods, animals death because of eating and pollution is general. If we put more trash cans, people will not have problems about dropping the garbage in the right place because it will be very close to them.*

*In our society, putting the rubbish in the adequate place is, mostly, a moral "rule". People are told since they are children that doing this is good for the environment. None the less, as they are not punished, they keep doing what is easier for them (in this case, not holding the garbage in their hands). Considering it, increasing penalties is a good option because then, people have more to lose than just a clean place to live (and it really hurts).*

*Even though the penalties are a good option, it does not work so good alone. Some cities in Brazil, like Rio de Janiero, are examples; the penalties were increased and the level of pollution decreased but it was not enough, considering the amount of trash. So, in my opinion, the solutions are good and can make things better, but if we want bigger results, we should increase both together.*

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The response is relevant to the task.</li> <li>● Appropriate context and supporting details are provided.</li> <li>● Complex sentences are used with few errors.</li> <li>● Word choice is appropriate.</li> <li>● The response is cohesive.</li> <li>● There is effective use of connective devices.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The vocabulary used is not exceedingly sophisticated.</li> </ul>