**PART 1  
Listening  
(approx. 10 minutes)**

**Task type:** Multiple choice  
**Format:** ten unrelated dialogues of about 30 seconds’ duration, each followed by a 3-option multiple choice item  
The candidates listen to a short dialogue, then choose the correct statement from three that are based on the dialogue. The recordings are dialogues between two interacting speakers (conversations, interviews, discussions, etc.).

**Task Focus:** identifying detail, understanding and interpreting information, specific information, gist, detail, main idea, function, purpose, attitude, opinion, etc.

**Marking Scheme:** 10 items x 2 points = 20 points

**NOTE:** Each part is heard twice.

**PART 2  
Knowledge of Linguistic Means  
(20 minutes)**

**Task type:** Multiple choice  
**Format:** 18 4-option multiple choice sentences  
**Task Focus:** lexical

**Topic areas:** the classroom; classroom supplies/language/rules/management; assessments; student backgrounds; traits of the kindergarten teacher; education and certification; (before) the first day; arrival/dismissal; mealtimes; recess/naps and rest; play; stories and reading; clean up; lesson plan formats; assessing the lesson; language skills/strategies; writing skills/strategies; math strategies

**Marking Scheme:** 18 items x 2 points = 36 points

**PART 3  
Knowledge of Language Functions  
(15 minutes)**

**Task type:** Multiple choice  
**Format:** 16 2-option multiple choice exchanges  
**Task Focus:** lexis-grammatical

**Functions:** assigning responsibilities/tasks; giving a polite reminder; describing order of events/goals/experience/mixed results/success and failure; stating a preference; giving (mixed) feedback/a warning/a reminder/a compliment/encouragement/praise; discussing frequency/rules/goals; generating responses; stressing importance; stating values/goals; talking about attendance; accepting responsibility; making a recommendation/suggestion; offering advice; de-escalating a situation; sympathizing with someone; asking for information/a favor/advice/help/about plans; checking for understanding; citing strengths and weaknesses/benefits; providing examples/options/reassurance

**Marking Scheme:** 16 items x 1 point = 16 points

**PART 4  
Reading  
(10 minutes)**

**Task type:** Multiple choice – True/False/Doesn’t say  
**Format:** Three short texts (60-100 words each) containing factual information related to the field of kindergarten teaching; the first two texts are followed by two 3-option multiple choice questions each, while the third text is followed by two True/False/Doesn’t say questions.

**Task Focus:** understanding detail, specific information, implication, attitude, reference and meaning

**Marking Scheme:** 6 items x 3 points = 18 points

**NOTE:** All the texts are related to the specific field of study.

**PART 5  
Writing Awareness  
(5 minutes)**

**Task type:** A gapped or jumbled text of approx. 200 words  
**Format:** Gapped text – a text with five gaps to be filled with either one sentence from a choice of three or, one pair of sentences from a choice of six or, an appropriate word or, information from two short texts. Jumbled text – seven or eight paragraphs, of which five are to be organized into a text.

**Task Focus:** Recognition of writing features and language as required in their field of study.

**Marking Scheme:** 5 items x 2 points = 10 points

**NOTE:** The candidate may be asked to complete a list, a teacher’s/student’s report, contact information, notes for a conference, a class goal list, a rule book entry, student teacher’s notes, test results, notes on students’ backgrounds, a report card, instructions for the teacher’s assistant, tips for the first day, mealtimes rules, recess guidelines, book walk instructions, dismissal policies, a lesson plan, tips for getting student’s attention, a letter to the parents, a progress report or a classroom management guide for student teachers. This task is based on elements of writing that the candidates will need to produce in the field of kindergarten teaching for professional purposes.

**Duration:** 60 minutes  
**Marks:** **TOTAL:** 100 points