

SAMPLE 11+ ENGLISH TEST

30 minutes allowed





Look at the painting above and produce a piece of creative writing based on it. You might want to consider:

- What is happening in this picture
- How the lion or woman in the picture feels about what is happening
- What the setting and colours of the painting suggest to you. For example: is this a scary moment, or perfectly harmless?
- You might choose to write in the first person as a character in the painting

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You will be assessed on:

- The quality of your imaginative ideas
- Your ability to craft and vary sentences
- The accuracy of your writing and the vocabulary choices within it

You can plan your answer in the box below. Spend no more than 5 minutes on planning.

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