

This document contains the answer keys and rubrics for the LEAP Connect Grade 4 ELA Practice Test. Information related to item complexity is indicated in the column labeled “Tier” (i.e., 1-4) in the Grade 4 ELA Practice Test – Sessions 1-3 tables. Additional information about the item complexity is located in the [LEAP Connect Assessment Guides for Grades 3-5](#).

**Item Type Key**

MC – multiple choice

CR – constructed response

**Grade 4 ELA Practice Test – Session 1**

Session 1					
Item #	Item Type	Value (points)	Answer	Tier	LC Alignment
1	MC	1	B	1	LC.RL.4.2b
2	MC	1	A	1	LC.RL.4.3b
3	MC	1	B	1	LC.RL.4.3b
4	MC	1	A	1	LC.RL.4.1a
5	MC	1	B	1	LC.RL.4.1a
6	MC	1	B	1	LC.L.4.6a
7	MC	1	A	2	LC.RI.4.2a
8	MC	1	C	2	LC.RI.4.7a
9	MC	1	B	2	LC.RI.4.7c
10	MC	1	A	2	LC.RI.4.7c
11	MC	1	C	2	LC.L.4.6a
12	MC	1	A	3	LC.RL.4.2b
13	MC	1	C	3	LC.RL.4.2b
14	MC	1	B	3	LC.RL.4.3b
15	MC	1	C	3	LC.RL.4.3b
16	MC	1	C	3	LC.RL.4.1a
17	MC	1	B	3	LC.RL.4.1a
18	MC	1	A	3	LC.L.4.4a

**Grade 4 ELA Practice Test – Session 2**

Session 2					
Item #	Item Type	Value (points)	Answer	Tier	LC Alignment
19	MC	1	C	3	LC.RI.4.2a
20	MC	1	B	3	LC.RI.4.7a
21	MC	1	A	3	LC.RI.4.7c
22	MC	1	B	3	LC.RI.4.7c
23	MC	1	A	3	LC.RI.4.7a

Grade 4 ELA Practice Test – Session 3

Session 3					
Item #	Item Type	Value (points)	Answer	Tier	LC Alignment
24	MC	1	B	1	LC.W.4.2f
25	MC	1	B	2	LC.W.4.2c
26	MC	1	C	3	LC.W.4.2f
27	MC	1	C	4	LC.W.4.2c
28-31	Set	2			Note: This set (Items 28-31) has a point value of 2 based on the number of correct student responses in the set. 0/4 = 0 points 1/4, 2/4 = 1 point 3/4, 4/4 = 2 points
28	MC	0	A	1	LC.W.4.4a
29	MC	0	B	1	LC.W.4.4a
30	MC	0	B	1	LC.W.4.4a
31	MC	0	A	1	LC.W.4.4a

Grade 4 ELA Practice Test – Session 4

Session 4					
Item #	Item Type	Value (points)	Answer	Tier	LC Alignment
32	CR	9	N/A	2	LC.W.4.4a

Grade 4 ELA Practice Test – Session 4: Constructed Response Rubric

Session 4 - Item 32	
Score	Description
Organization – The narrative establishes a situation and includes a character with relevant descriptive statements. The response provides a conclusion.	
3	The narrative includes at a minimum: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• character and situation;</li> <li>• a concluding statement that connects to the situation.</li> </ul>
2	The narrative includes at a minimum: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• character and situation;</li> <li>• a concluding statement that may not connect to the situation.</li> </ul>
1	The narrative includes at a minimum some evidence related to a character, situation, or conclusion.
0	There is no evidence of organization or response is off topic.
Idea Development – The narrative includes a sequence of events that unfold naturally and develops the story using temporal words.	

<b>3</b>	<p>The narrative includes at a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a sequence of two events related to the situation;</li> <li>• both events include a detail about the character’s actions, thoughts, or feelings.</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<p>The narrative includes at a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• one event related to the situation;</li> <li>• an event that includes a detail about the character’s actions, thoughts, or feelings.</li> </ul>
<b>1</b>	The narrative includes at a minimum an event related to the situation or a detail about the character.
<b>0</b>	There is no evidence of idea development or the evidence is off topic.
<b>Conventions</b> – The student uses standard English conventions (subject-verb agreement).	
<b>3</b>	<p>The essay includes more than one sentence and at a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• end punctuation for more than one thought unit;</li> <li>• one simple sentence with subject-verb agreement.</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<p>The narrative includes at a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• end punctuation for one thought unit;</li> <li>• one simple sentence with or without subject-verb agreement.</li> </ul>
<b>1</b>	The narrative includes at a minimum one use of standard English conventions.
<b>0</b>	There is no evidence of standard English conventions.