Types of text quiz

Level A

1. What type of text is a dictionary?
   A) informative
   B) persuasive
   C) instructive

2. What type of text is a recipe?
   A) descriptive
   B) persuasive
   C) instructive

3. What type of text is an estate agent’s leaflet?
   A) informative
   B) persuasive
   C) instructive

4. What type of text is a college prospectus (guide to courses)?
   A) informative
   B) persuasive
   C) instructive

5. What type of text is a manual for a DVD player?
   A) descriptive
   B) instructive
   C) persuasive

6. What type of text is a flier (advertising leaflet you receive in the post)?
   A) persuasive
   B) descriptive
   C) instructive

7. What type of text is a benefits leaflet?
   A) descriptive
   B) persuasive
   C) informative
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8. What type of text is a witness statement?
   A) persuasive
   B) descriptive
   C) instructive

9. What type of text is a car manual?
   A) descriptive
   B) persuasive
   C) instructive

10. What type of text is a travel book?
    A) descriptive
    B) persuasive
    C) instructive
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Level B

1. What type of text tells you what something is like?
   A) descriptive
   B) persuasive
   C) instructive

2. What type of text tries to get you to do something?
   A) informative
   B) descriptive
   C) persuasive

3. What type of text tells you how to do something?
   A) persuasive
   B) instructive
   C) descriptive

4. What type of text gives facts, information or news?
   A) persuasive
   B) instructive
   C) informative

5. What type of text would you use to find out how to cook a meal?
   A) persuasive
   B) informative
   C) instructive

6. What type of text is this?
   DON'T MISS THE BOAT!
   Hurry before they've all gone: Buy 1 cruise ticket, get another free!
   A) persuasive
   B) descriptive
   C) informative
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7. What type of text would you use to find out what travelling in Africa is like?
   A) persuasive
   B) informative
   C) instructive

8. What type of text would you use to find out about the politics of a country in Africa?
   A) persuasive
   B) instructive
   C) informative

9. What type of text would you use to convince someone of your point of view?
   A) informative
   B) descriptive
   C) persuasive

10. What type of text would you use to find out how to wire a plug?
    A) persuasive
    B) descriptive
    C) instructive
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Answers

Level A

1. What type of text is a dictionary?
   The correct answer is: A. A dictionary is an informative book.

2. What type of text is a recipe?
   The correct answer is: C. A recipe is an instructive piece of text.

3. What type of text is an estate agent’s leaflet?
   The correct answer is: B. An estate agent’s leaflet is a persuasive piece of text.

4. What type of text is a college prospectus (guide to courses)?
   The correct answer is: A. A college prospectus is an informative type of text.

5. What type of text is a manual for a DVD player?
   The correct answer is: B. A manual for a DVD player is an instructive type of text.

6. What type of text is a flier (advertising leaflet you receive in the post)?
   The correct answer is: A. A flier is a persuasive type of text.

7. What type of text is a benefits leaflet?
   The correct answer is: C. A benefits leaflet is an informative type of text.
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8. What type of text is a witness statement?
   The correct answer is: B. A witness statement is a descriptive type of text.

9. What type of text is a car manual?
   The correct answer is: C. A car manual is an instructive type of text.

10. What type of text is a travel book?
    The correct answer is: A. A travel book is a descriptive type of text.
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Level B

1. What type of text tells you what something is like?
   The correct answer is: A. The type of text that tells you what something is like is descriptive.

2. What type of text tries to get you to do something?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that tries to get you to do something is persuasive.

3. What type of text tells you how to do something?
   The correct answer is: B. The type of text that tells you how to do something is instructive.

4. What type of text gives facts, information or news?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that gives facts, information or news is informative.

5. What type of text would you use to find out how to cook a meal?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text you would use to find out how to cook a meal is instructive.

6. What type of text is this?
   DON'T MISS THE BOAT!
   Hurry before they've all gone: Buy 1 cruise ticket, get another free!
   The correct answer is: A. This is an example of persuasive text as it is trying to persuade you to buy a ticket for the boat cruise.
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7. What type of text would you use to find out what travelling in Africa is like?

   The correct answer is: B. The type of text you would use to find out what travelling in Africa is like is informative.

8. What type of text would you use to find out about the politics of a country in Africa?

   The correct answer is: C. The type of text you would use to find out about the politics of a country in Africa is informative.

9. What type of text would you use to convince someone of your point of view?

   The correct answer is: C. The type of text you would use to convince someone of your point of view is persuasive.

10. What type of text would you use to find out how to wire a plug?

    The correct answer is: C. The type of text you would use to find out how to wire a plug is instructive.
Types of text quiz

Level C

1. What type of text would be most likely to contain a list of instructions to follow?
   The correct answer is: B. The type of text that would be most likely to contain a list of instructions to follow is instructive.

2. What type of text would be most likely to contain facts?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that would be most likely to contain facts is informative.

3. What type of text would be most likely to use ‘must’ and ‘must not’?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that would be most likely to use ‘must’ and ‘must not’ is instructive.

4. What type of text would be most likely to use an emotional one-sided argument?
   The correct answer is: A. The type of text that would be most likely to use an emotional one-sided argument is persuasive.

5. What type of text would be most likely to include descriptions of places, people and feelings?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that would be most likely to include descriptions of places, people and feelings is descriptive.

6. What type of text would be most likely to be written as though the reader is being spoken to?
   The correct answer is: A. The type of text that would be most likely to be written as though the reader is being spoken to is instructive.
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7. What type of text would be most likely to make use of adjectives and adverbs?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that would be most likely to make use of adjectives and adverbs is descriptive.

8. What type of text would be most likely to give information in a clear way - introducing the subject and then developing it?
   The correct answer is: B. The type of text that would be most likely to give information in a clear way – introducing the subject and then developing it is informative.

9. What type of text would be most likely to use rhetorical questions (questions where no answer is needed)?
   The correct answer is: C. The type of text that would be most likely to use rhetorical questions (questions where no answer is needed) is persuasive.

10. What type of text would be most likely to use comparisons to help create a picture (something is like something else)?
    The correct answer is: A. The type of text that would be most likely to use comparisons to help create a picture (something is like something else) is descriptive.
Types of text quiz

Level C

1. What type of text would be most likely to contain a list of instructions to follow?
   A) descriptive
   B) instructive
   C) informative

2. What type of text would be most likely to contain facts?
   A) instructive
   B) persuasive
   C) informative

3. What type of text would be most likely to use ‘must’ and ‘must not’?
   A) informative
   B) descriptive
   C) instructive

4. What type of text would be most likely to use an emotional one-sided argument?
   A) persuasive
   B) informative
   C) instructive

5. What type of text would be most likely to include descriptions of places, people and feelings?
   A) informative
   B) instructive
   C) descriptive

6. What type of text would be most likely to be written as though the reader is being spoken to?
   A) instructive
   B) informative
   C) descriptive

7. What type of text would be most likely to make use of adjectives and adverbs?
   A) instructive
   B) informative
   C) descriptive
Types of text quiz

8. What type of text would be most likely to give information in a clear way – introducing the subject and then developing it?
   A) persuasive
   B) informative
   C) instructive

9. What type of text would be most likely to use rhetorical questions (questions where no answer is needed)?
   A) descriptive
   B) informative
   C) persuasive

10. What type of text would be most likely to use comparisons to help create a picture (something is like something else)?
    A) descriptive
    B) informative
    C) instructive