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# UHL 2412 EAC ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC COMMUNICATION

## UNIT 2: READING SKILLS

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- **Aim**

## **Overall reading comprehension B1**

Can read straightforward factual texts on subjects related to his/her field and interest with a satisfactory level of comprehension.

- **Expected outcomes**

Apply reading skills to extract and transfer specific information from general texts.

Evaluate information to present clear and detailed descriptions on a wide range of subjects.

Apply appropriate and accurate language in written and/or spoken discourse.

- **Assessment**

Reading & Summarising (40m) (30%)



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## GRAMMAR IN READING: PARTS OF SPEECH

Parts of speech that we find in reading texts can slightly or totally alter the meaning of words in its context.

Readers who are able to differentiate and know the function of parts of speech can comprehend a reading text easily.



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## PARTS OF SPEECH

### 1) Nouns

Name of location, individual, item or idea.

### 2) Verb

The act of performing a physical activity.

Show state of being.

### 3) Preposition

Designates place, time or position.

### 4) Conjunctions

Combine words or phrases in sentences.



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## PARTS OF SPEECH

### 5) Adjectives

Describe nouns or pronouns.

### 6) Adverb

Describe verb, adjective or other adverb.

### 7) Pronoun

Replace nouns.

### 8) Interjection

Explain any strong emotions.



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