

EXPLANATION OF CRITERIA FOR THE MAGISTRALE 1 EXAM

The required level of your written English is C1

PARAPHRASING

- *Comprehension of the phrase to be paraphrased
- *Accuracy /appropriateness of the paraphrase
- *Not substituting words or changing the word order of the sentence to be paraphrased from the text automatically invalidates the paraphrase.

SUMMARY

- *Attribution of author/ publication
- *Reading comprehension
- * Selection of points to include
- *Organisation of points
- * Points paraphrased in natural English
- * Linguistic accuracy and appropriateness

ARGUMENTATIVE ESSAY

- *Structure
 1. Logical paragraphing
 2. Structuring your argument – how effectively you develop your argument.
- *Language
 - 1.Range & accuracy of grammar
 - 2.Range and appropriateness of lexis
 3. Register
 - 4.Punctuation
- *Content
 1. Relevance
 2. Exemplification
 3. Attribution and Integration of source material into your essay.