

# Examination for Certification

Examination Code

General Education in the Adult Sector

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

English to Inform

Diversified Basic Education Program (DBE)

ENG-4103-3

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Adult's Booklet

Part 3: Uses language/talk to communicate and to learn

Adult Learner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Code: 

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Centre Code: 

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Date of the Examination: \_\_\_\_\_

Congrès de l'AQIFGA 2015

“Down it at Dawn”

The City of Montreal is considering extending the time bars stay open from the present 3:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. This proposal has citizens intensely debating the pros and cons of having alcohol served into the early morning hours. If the proposal is accepted, this legislation will be passed throughout the province of Quebec.

You read and analyze a report on this issue and then write a report for your adult centre’s online newspaper investigating whether or not bars and clubs should serve alcohol until 6:00 a.m.

In addition, you will role play the part of a reporter and give an oral report for your adult centre’s YouTube news channel. You will inform the student population on the issue of extending bar and club hours to 6:00 a.m.

**Task(s)**

- **Role-play the part of a reporter: Orally present your written report on the issue of extending the hours alcohol can be served. (45 minutes – 42 minutes to prepare and 3 minutes for your presentation.)**

**Instructions** (for one or more tasks)

In this task you will role-play the part of a reporter informing the adult centre about the controversy over extending the business hours of bars and clubs to 6:00 a.m. You will use your written report as the basis for your oral report. This task will measure your ability to work effectively with information and to communicate and relay it orally, clearly and objectively.

- You will present your report orally to the teacher who is role-playing the part of a concerned citizen.
- Remember you are role-playing the part of a reporter. Do not simply read from your text as you are required to maintain eye contact with your audience.
- You can write or make notes on the copy of your written report.
- Use the attached pages to prepare notes for your oral presentation.
- Make sure your oral presentation orients your audience and includes the most important information to be relayed.
- Your presentation must be approximately 3 minutes in length.
- You have 42 minutes to prepare your oral report.
- Remember to use the features and conventions of oral presentations.

**Authorized Materials** (see the Definition of the Evaluation Domain)

- A copy of your written report from Part 2
- Notes pages

WORKING DOCUMENT