

Mood choice after common conjunctions

French 4 (high school) · Test Answer Key

Level: French 4 (high school, ACTFL Intermediate Mid) · **Standards:** ACTFL Intermediate Mid, WL 1.2 Interpretive, WL 1.3 Presentational, WL 4.1 Language Comparisons

Question 1 Choose the mood (2 points)

a. **finisses** b. **a**

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 2 Conjugate (3 points)

a. **soit** b. **dînions** (imperfect indicative) c. **entende**

Scoring: 1 point each; accept *dînions* only as an imperfect.

Question 3 Choose the conjunction (2 points)

a. **avant que** b. **après que**

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 4 Correct the error (2 points)

a. **Il étudie pour réussir.** b. **Après qu'il est parti, nous avons rangé.**

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 5 Join the sentences (2 points)

a. **Lina sort sans rien dire.** b. **Je t'explique pour que tu comprennes.**

Scoring: 1 point each. In (a), accept *sans qu'elle dise rien* only if the subject changes; here the infinitive is expected.

Question 6 Translate into French (3 points)

a. **Bien qu'il soit tard, nous restons.** b. **Reste ici jusqu'à ce que le bus arrive.** c. **Nous sortirons à moins qu'il pleuve.**

Scoring: 1 point each; subjunctive required.

Question 7 Translate into English (2 points)

a. **He succeeded without anyone helping him.** b. **Fatou sings while I cook.**

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 8 Reading (2 points)

a. **So that he does not miss his connection.** b. **Because he is tired.**

Scoring: 1 point each.

Question 9 Short writing (2 points)

Model: Je ferai mes devoirs avant que mes amis arrivent. Je reste à la maison parce que j'ai un examen lundi.

Scoring: 1 point per sentence, correct mood after the conjunction.