

STATE ASSESSMENT RUBRICS

STAAR Short Constructed Response (SCR) — Reading Domain, Generic Item-Specific Scoring Framework

Grades 3

2 points total

1 criterion

TX

State assessment rubrics

The TX STAAR Short Constructed Response (SCR) — Reading Domain, Generic Item-Specific Scoring Framework scored out of 2 points across 1 criteria, for short answer, reading comprehension writing at 3 through English II (all STAAR RLA grades).

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Short constructed response. This scores a one-to-three sentence answer, not an essay.

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<https://tea.texas.gov/student-assessment/staar/2025-staar-english-ii-scoring-guide.pdf>

How it is scored

CRITERION	POINTS	LEVELS
Reading Short Constructed Response (item-specific)	2	3
Total	2	

The full rubric

Reading Short Constructed Response (item-specific) · 2 points

SCORE	WHAT EARNS IT
2 pts	A complete response provides one of the accepted explanations/answers to the specific reading question and includes at least one piece of supporting evidence from the text (cited or paraphrased). Evidence is accurately used to support the response, and the response and its evidence are based on the text.
1 pt	A partial response may include one of the answers expected in a complete response, but the evidence included does not support the answer stated, or no evidence is provided. Alternatively, a partial response may cite or paraphrase relevant text evidence but not include an accurate answer to the question.
0 pts	The response is incorrect, is not based on the text, or no response is provided.

Scoring record

Student	Assignment	Date	
CRITERION		SCORE	COMMENTS
Reading Short Constructed Response (item-specific)		/ 2	
Total		/ 2	

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