

# Digital Literacy Curriculum Resource

## Module 6 Mobile Phones



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**DIGITAL TASK**

This task is intended to be used for the students to demonstrate their digital skills.


For a language assessment, please see the PBLA task following the Digital Task Self-Assessment Checklist.

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Education</b>
<b>Digital Literacy Curriculum Module</b>	<b>Module 6: Mobile Phones</b>
<b>Digital skills required for this task</b>	<p>Ensure that your students have the digital skills necessary for success in this task.</p> <p><b>Skills from other Modules:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mouse and Navigating: click, drag and drop on the touchpad</li> <li>• Keyboarding: basic typing</li> <li>• Online skills: browsers, using the search bar, using keywords to search for information, check customer ratings and reviews</li> </ul> <p><b>Skills from Module 6:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the multi-touch screen</li> <li>• Locate the app store</li> <li>• Search the app store</li> <li>• Identify ads</li> <li>• Check user ratings and reviews</li> <li>• Install an app</li> </ul>
<b>Level(s)</b>	CLB 5/6
<b>Description of learner task</b>	Read and follow instructions on how to install an app on the phone.
<b>Information for the teacher</b>	<p><b>Task conditions:</b> Each student must have their own phone.</p> <p><b>Reminder:</b> Teach the skills prior to this assessment.</p> <p><b>Assessing the digital skills:</b> A content-based answer key does not need to be created because the focus is on digital skills. What is important is <u>how students get to</u> the information, not the information itself. Have your students use the Self-Assessment Checklist to check their digital skills.</p> <p>When the students finish the task, check that they were able to download the app on their phones. Help them to delete the app if necessary.</p> <p><b>Language skills:</b> You are not assessing language skills. If the students do not remember vocabulary in the task instructions or the digital skills checklist, explain it to them again.</p>
<b>Instructions for the task</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Show the Self-Assessment Checklist to students before doing the task.</li> <li>• Remind the students that the purpose of the task is to check their digital skills. The purpose is <u>not</u> to check their answers nor their language skills.</li> </ul>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**Task: Follow the instructions below to install an app on your phone.**

1. Open the App Store or Play Store on your phone.
2. Click in the search bar.
3. Type the keywords 'learner's dictionary'.
4. Press the 'Search' button or  symbol on the keyboard.
5. Look at the list of search results. How many ads do you see? \_\_\_\_\_  
How do you know it's an ad? \_\_\_\_\_  
Write down the names of the sponsored apps:  
Ad 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
Ad 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
Ad 3: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Look through the rest of the search results and find a free app with good ratings and reviews. When you find a dictionary you like, tap the app to get more information.  
Average user rating: \_\_\_\_\_ stars  
\_\_\_\_\_ user reviews  
\_\_\_\_\_ downloads
7. If you are not sure about the app, return to the list of search results and look for a better one.
8. Repeat steps 6 and 7 until you find a free dictionary app you would like to try using. Finally, click the Install or GET button to download the app on your phone.

## Module 6: Mobile Phones • Digital Task Handout



### Digital Skills Self-Assessment Checklist:

	Yes	With Help
I can use the phone multi-touch screen		
I can find the App Store on my phone		
I can search the app store		
I can identify ads		
I can check user ratings and reviews		
I can download an app on my phone		

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**PBLA  
TASK**

The Digital Literacy Curriculum does not include any of the language skills. The language skills need to be taught prior to using this assessment.

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<b>Skill(s) and CLB Competency(ies)</b>	<p><b>Reading: CLB 5/6 - II: Comprehending Instructions</b> Understand moderately complex instructions and instructional texts for multistep procedures related to everyday situations</p> <p><b>Listening: CLB 5/6 - II: Comprehending Instructions</b> Understand common, sequentially presented instructions and directions related to familiar, everyday situations of personal relevance</p>
<b>Description of learner task</b>	Read/Listen and follow instructions on how to install an app on the phone.
<b>Information for the Teacher</b>	<p><b>Conditions for assessment:</b> Each student must have their own phone.</p> <p><b>Reminder:</b> Teach the language skills prior to this assessment.</p> <p><b>Specific information for this task:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To use the task as a listening assessment, read the steps from the reading assessment to students, pausing after each step to let them follow along. This is a good opportunity to check if students can ask for clarification and repetition.</li> <li>• Double check the answer key to make sure the answers are not outdated.</li> <li>• If you modify the task sheet, ensure that the comprehension questions are still correctly linked to the assessment criteria in the assessment tool.</li> </ul>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reading CLB 5/6 - II: Comprehending Instructions**

Understand moderately complex instructions and instructional texts for multistep procedures related to everyday situations

**Description of learner task:**

Read and follow instructions on how to install an app on the phone.

	Can do	Not yet
* Identifies purpose (Q1)		
* Identifies important details (Qs 2, 3, 4) 2/3=yes		
* Interprets sequence and location signals (such as first, next and before). (Q5) 3/5=yes		
* Follows instructions and directions by responding with actions as required to complete task. (Q6)		

**What to do to improve:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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\* These criteria must be checked “Can do” to be successful at this task.

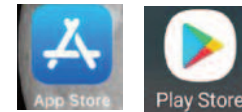
**Success on the task:    Yes    Not Yet**

Reading CLB 5/6 - II: Comprehending Instructions


**Task:** You decided to install an app on your phone to practice English conversation skills on your own. Follow the instructions below to find and install an app.

**Steps:**

First of all, locate the App Store or the Play Store on your phone and tap the app to open it.



Next, find the search bar and tap in it. You will find it at the top of the Android screen, or in the bottom right corner of the iPhone screen.

In the search bar, enter the keywords 'English speaking practice'. Then press the Search button or  symbol on the keyboard, which is usually located in the bottom right corner of the phone keyboard.

Now, look through the list of search results, skipping ads and sponsored content, and find the app called 'Talk'. The icon is grey in color.



After you tap the app, you will see the green 'Install' button or the blue 'GET' button. Tap the button to install the app on your phone.

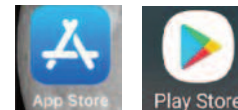
1. What is the purpose of the text?
  - A. To give information about an app
  - B. To convince you to get the app
  - C. To entertain
  - D. To give instructions
2. An App Store/Play Store is the app on your phone where you can  
.....
3. What kind of phone do you use? Circle: *android / iPhone*  
Where is the search bar located on your phone?
  - A. Bottom right corner
  - B. Top of the screen
4. Where is the Search button or symbol located on a phone? .....
5. Highlight the sequence words in the instructions.
6. Show the app to your teacher.

Reading CLB 5/6 - II


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  - B. To convince you to get the app
  - C. To entertain
  - D. To give instructions**
2. An App Store/Play Store is the app on your phone where you can **download apps**.
3. What kind of phone do you use? *android / iPhone*  
Where is the search bar on your phone?
  - A. Bottom right corner – **in iPhones**
  - B. Top of the screen – **in androids**
4. Where is the Search button or symbol located? **Bottom right corner of the keyboard**
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**After** you tap the app, you will see the green 'Install' button or the blue 'GET' button. Tap the button to install the app on your phone.

6. Show the app to your teacher.  
**Check that the app has been successfully installed on each student's phone.**





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Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**Listening CLB 5/6 - II: Comprehending Instructions**

Understand common, sequentially presented instructions and directions related to familiar, everyday situations of personal relevance

**Description of learner task:**

Listen and follow instructions on how to install an app on the phone.

	Can do	Not yet
* Understands supporting details (Qs 1,2,3) 2/3=yes		
* Follows a range of basic cohesive devices indicating order and sequence (Q 4) 2/3=yes		
Seeks clarification and confirmation if required		
* Responds with appropriate actions to directions and instructions. (Q5)		

**What to do to improve:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

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**Success on the task:    Yes    Not Yet**

**Listening CLB 5/6 - II: Comprehending instructions**

**Task: You are looking for a free app to practice your speaking.  
Listen and follow the instructions to find and install an app.**

1. An App Store/Play Store is the app on your phone where you can  
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2. What kind of phone do you use? android / iPhone  
Where is the search bar on your phone?  
A. Bottom right corner  
B. Top of the screen
3. Where is the Search button or symbol located? -----
4. Which step goes first? (Circle)  
A. Open the App store            or        Download the app  
B. Enter the keywords           or        Tap the Search button  
C. Tap Install or GET button   or        Look through the list of apps
5. Install the app and show it to your teacher.

Listening CLB 5/6 - II

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Where is the search bar on your phone?
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  - B. Enter the keywords or **Tap the Search button**
  - C. Tap Install or GET button or **Look through the list of apps**
5. Install the app and show it to your teacher.  
**Check that the app has been successfully installed on each student's phone**