



NYSAWLA FLACS A and B Exams

Administration Date: June 23, 2025

FLACS A: AM Administration

FLACS B: PM Administration

FLACS Checkpoint A Examination – revised 1/7/2025

Chinese, French, German, Italian, and Spanish

Part 1: Presentational and Interpersonal Speaking (40 points)

- 1 Presentational Task (10 points)
- 2 Interpersonal Tasks (15 points each, 30 points total)

Part 2: Interpretive Listening (20 points)

- 2A: 4 items – Passages in the Target Language, questions in English (8 points)
- 2B: 2 items – Passages in the Target Language, questions in the Target Language (4 points)
- 2C: 2 passages with 2 questions each, in English (8 points)

Part 3: Interpretive Reading (20 points)

- 3A: 6 items – Short readings/ads in the Target Language, multiple-choice questions in English (12 points)
- 3B: 4 items – Short readings/ads in the Target Language, multiple-choice questions in the Target Language (8 points)

Part 4: Presentational Writing (20 points)

- 4A: One writing prompt (mandatory) with suggested details provided.
- 4B: Choose ONE of two visually supported writing prompts with suggested details provided.

American Sign Language

Part 1: Expressive Skills (Interpersonal and Presentational) (40 points)

- 1 Presentational Task (10 points)
- 2 Interpersonal Tasks (15 points each, 30 points total)

Part 2: Receptive Skills (Interpretive) (20 points)

- 2A: 6 passages in American Sign Language (ASL), with one signed question each (12 points total)
- 2B: 4 passages in American Sign Language (ASL), with one written question each (8 points total)

Part 3: Comprehension (Interpretive) (20 points)

- 10 Multiple-Choice Video Comprehension Questions focused on NYS themes and topics, incorporating elements of culture, history, and syntax/structure relevant to Checkpoint A.

Part 4: Expressive Skills (Presentational) (20 points)

- 2 See-to-Sign Items – Students use a document/mixed media to develop and record a signed response about a given topic (10 points each)



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Part 1: Presentational and Interpersonal Speaking (30 points)

1 Presentational Task (10 points)

2 Interpersonal Tasks (10 points each, 20 points total)

Part 2: Interpretive Listening (20 points)

2A: 5 items – Passages in the Target Language, questions in English (10 points)

2B: 5 items – Passages in the Target Language, questions in the Target Language (10 points)

Part 3: Interpretive Reading (30 points)

3A: 6 items – Short readings/ads in the Target Language, multiple-choice questions in English (12 points)

3B: 4 items – Short readings/ads in the Target Language, multiple-choice questions in the Target Language (8 points)

3C: 5 items – One passage in the Target Language, multiple-choice questions in English (10 points)

Part 4: Presentational Writing (20 points)

4A: Read-to-Write – Students analyze two documents to develop a response on a given topic, with suggested details provided. (10 points)

4B: Writing Prompt Selection – Students choose between two writing prompts, with suggested details provided. (10 points)