**Reading Curriculum in SMART IELTS**

**Lesson 1**

* **Orientation to Academic Reading**
	+ Reading Test Basics
	+ Passage Topics and Sources
	+ Introduction to question types
	+ Sample reading passage and questions
	+ Reading in PBT Vs Reading in CDT
	+ Basics of Reading Strategy

**Lesson 2 Part 1**

* **Most Important Reading Skills**
	+ Analysing Passage Headings and subheadings
	+ Skimming Techniques
		- Skimming only with content words
		- Skimming the topic sentence and conclusion of a paragraph

**Test 1:** Analysing a heading and sub-heading (5 Questions)

**Test 2**: Skimming Exercise (with first and last sentence) (5 Questions)

**Lesson 2 Part 2**

* **Advanced skimming and scanning techniques**
	+ Using skimming to locate answers
	+ Introduction to scanning
		- Scanning for specific information
		- Scanning for specific keywords
	+ Recognising Paraphrasing and the use of Synonyms
	+ Understanding vocabulary in context

**Test 3:** Recognising Paraphrase and Synonyms (5 Questions)

**Lesson 3**

* **Multiple-choice and note completion questions**
	+ Basics of Multiple-choice single answer questions
	+ Strategy for Multiple-choice single answer questions
	+ Basics Multiple choice multiple answer questions
	+ Strategy for Multiple choice Multiple answer questions
	+ Basics of Note completion questions
	+ Strategy for Note Completion questions

**Test 4:** Multiple-choice single answer (5 questions)

**Test 5:** Multiple-choice multiple answer (6 Questions)

**Test 6**: Note Completion (5 Questions)

**Lesson 4**

* **Table Completion, Flow Chart, Matching Sentence Endings questions**
	+ Basics of Table Completion questions
	+ Strategy for Table Completion questions
	+ Basics of Flow Chart questions
	+ Strategy for Flow Chart questions
	+ Basics of Matching Sentence Endings questions
	+ Strategy for Matching Sentence Endings questions

**Test 7:** Table Completion (5 Questions)

**Test 8**: Flow chart (5 Questions)

**Lesson 5**

* **Sentence Completion, Short Answer and Summary questions**
	+ Basics of Sentence Completion questions
	+ Strategy for Sentence Completion questions
	+ Basics of Short Answer questions
	+ Strategy for Short Answer questions
	+ Basics of Summary questions
	+ Strategy for Summary questions

**Test 9: Short Answer (5 questions)**

**Lesson 6 Part 1**

* **Matching Features and Matching Information Questions**
	+ Basics of Matching Features questions
	+ Strategy for Matching Features questions
	+ Basics of Matching Information questions
	+ Strategy for Matching Information questions

**Test 10:** Matching Questions mixed set (5 Questions)

**Lesson 6 Part 2**

* **Paragraph Heading Questions**
	+ Basics of Paragraph heading questions
	+ Strategy for Paragraph Heading Questions

**Test 11:** Paragraph Headings (5 Questions)

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**Lesson 7**

* **TRUE/FALSE/NOT GIVEN Questions and YES/NO/NOT GIVEN Questions**
	+ Basics of TRUE/FALSE/NOT GIVEN Questions
	+ Strategy for TRUE/FALSE/NOT GIVEN Questions
	+ Basics of YES/NO/NOT GIVEN Questions
	+ Strategy for YES/NO/NOT GIVEN Questions

**Test 12:** YES/NO/NOT GIVEN (5 Questions)

**Test 13:** TRUE/FALSE NOT GIVEN (5 Questions)

**Lesson 8**

* **Introduction to Reading Strategy**
	+ Introduction to Easy Passages
	+ Strategy for Easy Passages
	+ Easy Paragraphs with Paragraph Heading Questions
	+ Strategy for Easy Paragraphs with Paragraph Heading Questions

**Test 14:** Easy Passage (13 Questions)

**Test 15:** Difficult Passage (13 Questions)

**Lesson 9**

* **Advanced Reading Strategy**
	+ Passages with mixed question sets (following answer order/not following answer order)
	+ Walk through 2 difficult passages