

Student:	Grade:	Rate correct: (words correct in 1 minute)	Rate incorrect: (words incorrect in 1 minute)
Examiner:	Date:	Accuracy (words correct in the first 100 words = ▲)	

Teacher Passage & Directions: 3-C

- 1) Place the copy of the student passage in front of the student.
- 2) Place the teacher/examiner copy on clipboard so the student cannot see it.
- 3) Say: *When I say begin start reading aloud at the top of the page. Read across the page* (point to the first line of the passage). *Begin.* (Trigger stopwatch or timer for 1 minute.)
- 4) Follow along on the teacher/examiner copy as the student reads and put a slash (/) through any incorrect words.
- 5) At the end of one minute, say: *Thank You.* Mark the last word read with a bracket (I).

NOTE: If a student hesitates to correctly pronounce a word within **three seconds**, the student is told the word and an error is scored.

It was shiny, silver, and beautiful. Kris had never seen	10	played the scale. She tried the second, then the third. Each	174
such a trumpet before. She rubbed her eyes, but it was	21	horn was all right, she thought. It was just that she would not	187
still there. It rested in its deep blue case like the treasure	33	be proud to play any of them in front of an audience.	199
of a king.	36	“They’re nothing like the silver one, are they?” the	208
Kris picked it up and fingered the keys. The action	46	shopkeeper said gently. “Is there any chance you could pay	218
was perfect. She could imagine the sounds that would	55	for the silver one over time?” he asked.	226
flow from that instrument!	59	Kris thought awhile, then shook her head. There really	235
“It’s beautiful, isn’t it?” the shopkeeper said, peering	67	wasn’t a chance. She knew that. There was only so much	246
over her shoulder. “You know, that horn belongs in the	77	money for extras at her house. The trumpet was an extra.	257
hands of a talented young person like you,” he added.	87	She was lucky to have the money to get a horn at all. She	271
Kris frowned slightly and put the trumpet back in its	97	began to pull the money out of her back pocket.	281
case. “Thank you,”▲ she said softly. “Do you have any used	108	“No,” the shopkeeper said firmly. “I can’t sell you	290
trumpets?” she asked, remembering the purpose of her trip.	117	something you don’t want. But I can sell you something you	301
“Come right this way,” the shopkeeper said. He	125	do want,” he added. “I will sell you the silver horn. Then you	314
motioned toward the rear of the small store. “These are my	136	can work here after school to pay for it. Is it a deal?”	327
nearly new models,” he joked.	141		
Kris looked at the three battered trumpets in the display	151		
case. “Let me try that one,” she said. She shuddered as she	163		