09 · Station 1 prompts (teacher only, not a test)

Read this first

There is **no written test** in Nursery. These are the exact prompts for Station 1 and some spare oral items for children who need a second try.

Record E / D / S / X on the record sheet, not right or wrong. Items marked [Extending] are optional and have no effect on the badge.

How to use (Teacher Guide only)

Nursery 1 has **no written test**. Read each question aloud and show the pictures; the child points or says the answer.

Use for oral checks and the Week 10 revision. Never for badges. Stretch items are optional and never assessed.

Answer keys stay in the Teacher Guide, not the Activity Book.

Section A · Objective (picture-supported)

1. Item ① (lay red, blue, red, blue): Add 2 more cards. Which card comes first?

A. Blue
B. Green
C. Red
D. Yellow

Answer: C

2. Item ①: Then which card comes after that?

A. Yellow
B. Blue
C. Red
D. Green

Answer: B

3. Item ② (clap, stamp, clap, stamp… freeze): What comes next?

A. Sleep
B. Stamp
C. Clap
D. Jump

Answer: C

4. Item ②: How do you know?

A. I closed my eyes
B. I don’t know
C. I guessed
D. The pattern repeats

Answer: D

5. Item ③ (6 cards: 3 red, 3 blue): Sort them into 2 hoops. Where do the red ones go?

A. On the floor
B. With the blue ones
C. One in each hoop
D. All in one hoop together

Answer: D

6. Item ③: What is your rule?

A. No rule
B. Size of the room

C. Bedtime
D. Colour
Answer: D

7. Item ④: Make your own pattern with 2 move cards. Which strip is an AB pattern?
A. Hop, wave, hop, wave
B. Hop, hop, hop
C. Hop, wave, clap, sit
D. Wave
Answer: A

8. Item ④: Dance it! How many different moves are in an AB pattern?
A. Five
B. Two
C. One
D. None
Answer: B

9. Spare (second try for ①): Circle, square, circle, square… add the next card.
A. Circle
B. Square
C. Star
D. Triangle
Answer: A

10. Spare (second try for ③): Cat, dog, ball, cup. Sort animal / not animal. Where does the dog go?
A. With the not animals
B. On its own
C. With the animals
D. Nowhere
Answer: C

11. [Extending] Spoon, cup, spoon, cup… what comes next?
A. Fork
B. Spoon
C. Cup
D. Plate
Answer: B

Section B · Talk questions (oral)

1a. Item ①: This is Ayo's pattern.
1b. Add 2 more cards.
1c. Say the whole pattern.

2a. Item ③: Sort these 6 cards into the hoops.
2b. What is your rule?
2c. [Extending] Sort them a different way.

3a. Item ④: Make your own pattern.
3b. Dance it for me.
3c. What comes next?