



Types of Tests:

1 - Based on Purposes:

Those tests 5 are

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- (1) proficiency test, to test global competence
 - (2) diagnostic test, diagnose specific aspects
 - (3) placement test, a particular level or section
 - (4) achievement test, acquired by the end of a period of instruction
 - (5) language aptitude test aptitude test is to predict a person's success to exposure

2 - Based on Response

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- 1 subjective test ability or performance are judged by examiners' opinion and judgment
 - 2 Objective Test measured using specific set of answer

3 Based on Orientation and The Way to Test

A - language competence_ test components of language such as vocabulary, grammar, and pronunciation

B - performance language test the basic skills in English that are writing, speaking, listening and reading.

1 direct testing: elicit students competences uses basic skill

2 indirect testing elicit students competences does not use basic skills

divided into four types based on orientation and the way to test. They 4

1-Direct competence test. which the elicitation uses one of the basic skills, speaking, listening, reading

2-Indirect competence test. does not use one of the basic skills

3-Direct performance test : test that the students skill in reading, writing elicitation is through direct communication

4-Indirect performance test. elicitation does not use the basic skill

4 Based on Score Interpretation

1 norm-referenced tests

2 criterion-referenced tests

to highlight achievement

differences between

high achievers & low achievers

tests determine what test takers can do and what they know, not how they compare to others