

## Summary of Procedures

The usher introduces the child to the examiner.

- 1 After asking the child 'What's your name?', the examiner familiarises the child with the scene picture first, e.g. 'Where is the sun?' and then asks the child to point out certain items on the scene picture, e.g. 'Where is the helicopter?' 'Where are the cows?'

The examiner then asks the child to put two object cards in different locations on the scene picture, e.g. 'Put the mouse between the sheep.' And then 'Put the handbag in front of the train.'

- 2 The examiner asks questions about two of the people or things in the scene picture, e.g. 'What's this?' (Answer: lorry) 'What colour is it?' (Answer: brown) 'How many lorries are there?' (Answer: two) 'What's the black horse doing?' (Answer: drinking).

The examiner also asks the child to give more information about an object or person in the scene picture, e.g. 'Tell me about the girl.'

- 3 The examiner asks questions about the four other object cards. Various answers are possible, e.g. 'What's this?' (Answer: chocolate) 'Do you like eating chocolate?' (Answer: yes/no) 'What do you eat for breakfast?' (Answer: bread).

'What's this?' (Answer: guitar) 'Have you got a guitar?' (Answer: yes/no) 'What colour is your/this guitar?' (Answer: red and black).

'What's this?' (Answer: bat) 'Can you play table tennis?' (Answer: yes/no) 'What's your favourite sport?' (Answer: soccer)

'What's this?' (Answer: board game) 'Would you like to have this board game?' (Answer: yes/no) 'Who do you enjoy playing with?' (Answer: my brother).

- 4 The examiner asks questions about the child, e.g.  
'How old are you?'  
'Do you live in a house or in a flat?'  
'What do you like doing at home?'

The examiner then ends the test thanking the child and saying goodbye.

Note that the examiner will use back-up questions to support the child if necessary, e.g. in Part One, 'What's your name?' – 'Is your name Maria?' 'Where is the sun?' – 'Is this the sun?'