1 What is meant by the term cohesion in writing?

1 mark

Cohesion in writing means that paragraphs are well structured, logical and flow smoothly. Ideas are 'glued' and linked together.

Award the mark if the gist is clear.

2 Why is cohesion important?

4 marks

Award a mark for each point made, up to 4 marks.

- · It keeps order in the paragraphs.
- · Related ideas are kept together.
- · It makes it easier for the reader to understand the text.
- · Ideas flow more smoothly.
- · It provides links between ideas.

3 Accept any of the words in the table or any other appropriate choices.

marks

14

Award 1 mark for each correct word.

Addition	Opposition	Reinforcing	Explaining	Listing	Indicating Result	Indicating Time
also furthermore moreover still and again	however nevertheless on the other hand in contrast	besides anyway after all	for example in other words to clarify for instance that is to say	firstly first of all lastly secondly thirdly	therefore consequently hence as a result for this reason	in the beginning just then meanwhile later at first

4 Multiple answers possible. Award 1 mark for each blank space completed with an appropriate connecting adverb.

3 marks

