

ORTIZ PICTURE VOCABULARY ACQUISITION TEST (Ortiz PVAT) ENGLISH TASK INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE ADMINISTRATION

These guidelines have been developed in consultation with Dr. Sam Ortiz, author of the Ortiz Picture Vocabulary Acquisition Test.

[Begin at Practice Item 1 (“apple”)]*

“Look at each of the four pictures on the screen. Each picture has a number below it. Now you will hear a word spoken, like this...”

[Click speaker button to play ‘apple’]

“I want you to look at the pictures and tell me the number that goes with the picture that best describes the word you just heard.”

[Click speaker button to play ‘apple’. If the response is correct, continue. If not, repeat steps above.]

“Good! There are a few other things I want you to know. If you would like to hear the word again, just tell me and I will replay as many times as you want, like this...”

[Click speaker button to play ‘apple’]

“You can change your answer by telling me the number of the picture you want.”

“After you tell me your answer, I will click the Next button to move on to the next word.”

[Use mouse cursor to point to and highlight the Next button but don’t click yet]

“If you want to go back to last word you saw, just tell me and I will click the back button for you.”

[Use mouse cursor to point to and highlight the Back button but don’t click it]

“If you aren’t sure of the answer, just tell me the picture that you think is best. Okay? Let’s practice with a few more words.”

[Click the Next Button]

**The instructions in bold may be translated into any language to assist in helping the examinee comprehend the task. However, the stimulus words should not be translated and should always be presented in English.*