

VERSANT™
French Test



Make fast, objective, and confident decisions for roles where French speaking ability matters.

The French Test, created by leading language experts and powered by advanced AI, measures how effectively individuals can understand and communicate in spoken French in everyday and professional contexts.

French Test Features

Recommended for

Recruiting, promotion, school admission, and teacher credentialing

Skills Assessed

Speaking

Test Duration

15 minutes

Format

63 questions across varied types, including Repeats, Story Retell, and Short Answer Questions

Why choose the French Test?



Accuracy you can trust

Test scores align closely with expert human ratings (correlation 0.97), giving you confidence when making high-stakes decisions.



Reliable results

The test delivers highly consistent scores (split-half reliability 0.97), reducing the variability that often comes with multiple evaluators.



Reports in minutes

The test is fully automated and can be taken on a smartphone or computer. Score reports are ready within minutes of completion.



Actionable and insightful reporting

Receive precise scores mapped to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) along with a clear explanation of language ability and relevant suggestions for improvement.

Why customers love our language skills assessments



94% of customers say our assessments help reduce time-to-hire*



89% of customers agree using our assessments improves the quality of new hires*



88% of customers say hiring with our assessments improves communication with clients and customers*

*A 2023 global customer survey of our 34 language skills assessments customers, conducted by Pearson.

All our assessments are:

Fast

Issue tests quickly and receive results within minutes.

Simple to use

Quick and easy to administer. Track results through a dedicated dashboard.

Relevant

Practical, business-relevant content to evaluate language skills in real-world contexts.

Accurate

AI technology accurately assesses language proficiency without human bias.

Convenient

24/7 test availability on web, mobile, or desktop.

Secure

Guaranteed data privacy. Optional anonymous test ID numbers and remote monitoring.

What is the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)?

The Common European Framework of Reference of Languages (CEFR) is a scale developed by the Council of Europe to guide learning, and describe proficiency, in a second language. The framework has six bands – from A1 at the lowest level to C2 at the highest.

Assessments your organization can trust



Whether you need a comprehensive evaluation of language skills, or require a targeted assessment of specific abilities, our language skills assessments provide the flexibility and reliability needed for successful, high-volume talent acquisition, as well as accurately assessing employees as part of learning and development programs.

Take the next step

Pearson helps enterprises build future-ready workforces through integrated talent planning, talent sourcing, and talent development solutions. With global reach and expertise in AI and learning sciences, Pearson enables organizations to identify strengths today and develop the talent they need for what's next.

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