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**International Certificate**

# The English test for real-world success

Certify your **real-world English skills** with this ultra-convenient online test.  
Fast, secure, and recognised in countries around the world.

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## International Certificate facts

### Type of test

Certification

### Learners

Age: 14+

Levels available: All levels  
(Choose from A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2)

Type of English: General International English

### Delivery

Length: Under 2 hours

When: On-demand

Where: From home or authorised test centre

### Scoring

**Scored by:** Pearson English AI scoring system  
(Human markers in 2021)

**Results returned:** Less than 2 weeks  
(turnaround time in 2021 may be longer during  
standard-setting period)

**Certificate:** Never expires

### Results

**Primary score:** CEFR

**Additional insights:** Detailed performance  
summary for each skill; Recommendations  
for onward learning; Mapping to Pearson  
English courseware

# Introducing Pearson English International Certificate

**Reach the best opportunities and make your mark  
in this challenging, changing world**

Welcome to the next generation of English certificate.

No more inflexible test dates, travelling miles to a test centre or long waits for your results. No more expensive exam preparation courses, or memorising verb tables or lists of vocabulary. And no more wondering how you'll deal with real life situations in English.

Pearson English International Certificate has been designed to meet your needs as a 21st century global citizen – and support your high expectations and dreams for the future.

Schedule your test for a time that suits you, take it securely from home, and receive your International Certificate and detailed results fast.

Once you have your certificate, you can be confident that employers and universities in countries around the world trust it as proof of your real-world English skills in real-life contexts.



# So how is the International Certificate really different?

Meet the next generation English certificate, designed to give you what you need – now and into the future



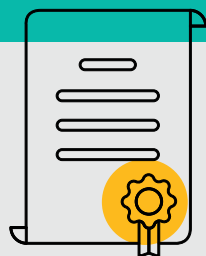
## ★ Ultra-convenient

Make your online booking quickly and easily, up to 24 hours in advance. Take a single, secure test from your home computer in under 2 hours, any day and time that suits you. Manage the end-to-end process through one user-friendly system.



## ★ Accessible and supported

Certify your English at any level, from A1 to C2, and at any age from 14 upwards. Because it's a test of your genuine English skills, no specific preparation is required for the test, though plenty of test familiarisation resources are on hand.



## ★ Real proof

Receive trusted proof of your authentic English language ability. Set in real-world contexts, the test assesses combinations of your reading, writing, speaking and listening skills, reflecting the reality of daily communication.



## ★ Results for life

You'll receive a trusted certificate – which never expires – and so much more besides. Your accompanying score report provides a deep dive into your abilities, with targeted, personalised guidance on how to improve your skills in the future.





### ★ Recognised and respected

The International Certificate is recognised in many countries around the world, by businesses who need employees with real, working English skills, and universities looking for students who can thrive in real academic settings.



### ★ Enhanced security

Whether you take your test from the comfort of home or from an authorised test centre, it's backed by our robust, state-of-the-art security system. This ensures your results are equally trusted, regardless of where you choose to take the test.



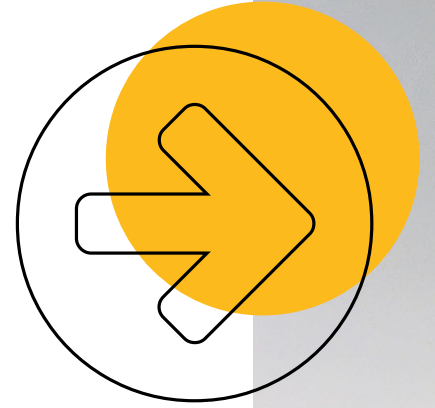
### ★ Highest standards

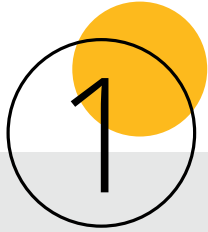
The International Certificate is delivered by Pearson, the world's learning company. It's awarded by Edexcel, the UK's largest awarder of academic and vocational qualifications, and accredited by Ofqual, the official regulator in England.



# Ultra-convenient testing, on your terms

Never has certifying your English been this  
straightforward, fast and flexible





### ✓ Schedule your test on your schedule

Setting up your test couldn't be easier. Whether you want to take your test from home or a Pearson-approved test centre, you can schedule it in as little as 24 hours. There's no need to wait for scheduled exam dates.



### ✓ Get familiar with the test

Don't worry about memorising a course book or specific language items. Just use our range of free and purchased familiarisation materials to help you know what to expect in your test – and feel totally confident that you're ready to pass.



### ✓ Take the test at home or a test centre

Using your own computer, you can take your test from home or any private location. Our trusted online proctoring system ensures the process is completely secure.

If for any reason you would prefer to take your test in a test centre, you can search our global network of authorised centres for the most convenient one for you.



### ✓ Get your results and certificate, fast

In 2022, results will be available less than 2 weeks after taking your test, with your certificate arriving by post shortly afterwards. This is weeks faster than with a paper-based test.

While we calibrate our scoring system using expert human scorers in 2021, you'll benefit from a discount, with results taking longer than usual as we ensure comparable results with the paper test. There will be no difference in your results, only the time it takes to receive them.

## Pearson | English | Test Hub

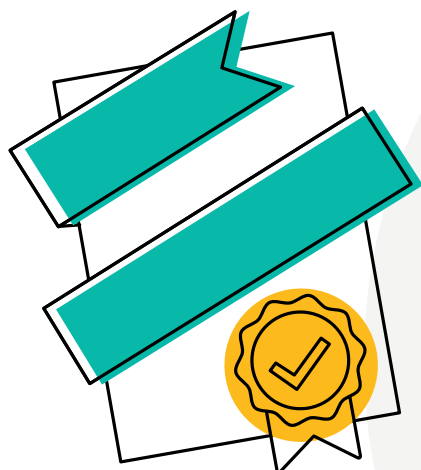
The whole end-to-end International Certificate experience takes place in Test Hub, our state-of-the-art assessment portal. From scheduling your test all the way through to receiving your results, you'll be guided seamlessly through the process with just one log-in.

# More than a certificate

Results to take your life and learning to the next level

## Your Certificate

Your printed, water-marked certificate will arrive to you by post within a few weeks. Include it in your applications and your CV, to show the world you have what it takes to succeed in an English-speaking workplace or university.







## Your Digital Score Report

Your digital score report will provide valuable, in-depth feedback about how you performed in your test.

For the skills gaps that were identified, you'll receive specific recommendations on how to improve. If you're learning with a Pearson English course (Including *Wider World*, *Gold Experience*, *Speak Out* or *Business Partner*), you'll also be directed to specific activities that will help.

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Test date: 5th Sept 2020    Test center ID: 56789UK
   
Location: Italy    Report issued: 21/12/2021

**LEVEL**
  
B1
   
INTERMEDIATE

**OVERALL SCORE**
  
75/100
   
PASS WITH DISTINCTION

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION**
  
Date of birth: 01/01/1989    Gender: Female    Email: rossi.sofia@email.com

### Listening

#### PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

B1+

At this level, you can understand most recordings about familiar topics, such as online talks and lectures within your fields of interest, and you can follow classes and training courses on a range of familiar topics. You can recognise examples and the points that they support. You can usually comprehend both formal and informal speech, distinguishing between different points of view in a discussion or presentation, and between relevant and irrelevant content in casual conversation.

### Speaking

#### PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

B1+

At this level, you can details to confirm ur and sustain views cl

### Writing

At this level, you can write short simple es convey information : and making relation: formal emails and le

### Reading

At this level, you can most correspondence information in longe

#### COURSE MAPPING

BUSINESS PARTNER B1



Business Partner B1  
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#### Listening B1+

##### RECOMMENDED ACTIVITIES

To start working towards CEFR B2, you should:

- practice listening to conversations and formal discussions on unfamiliar, contemporary topics, such as news broadcasts and topical debate programmes.
- practice following descriptions of complex processes and detailed instructions by listening to online videos.
- build familiarity with a range of informal expressions by watching and listening to a wide variety of TV programmes, plays, podcasts and talks from both inside and outside your fields of interest.

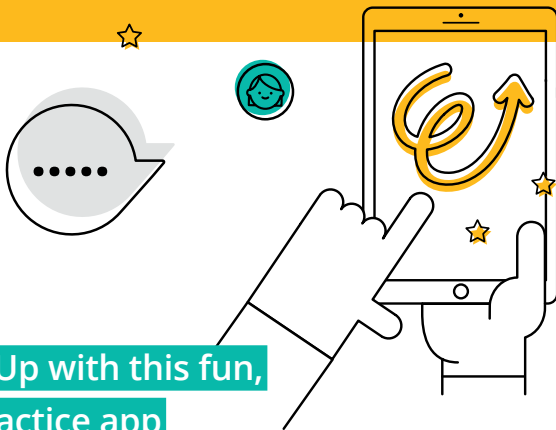
##### EXERCISES

- Unit 6.6 / p.66 / Ex.1A
- Unit 8.5 / p.86 / Ex.1A

# Free practice and support



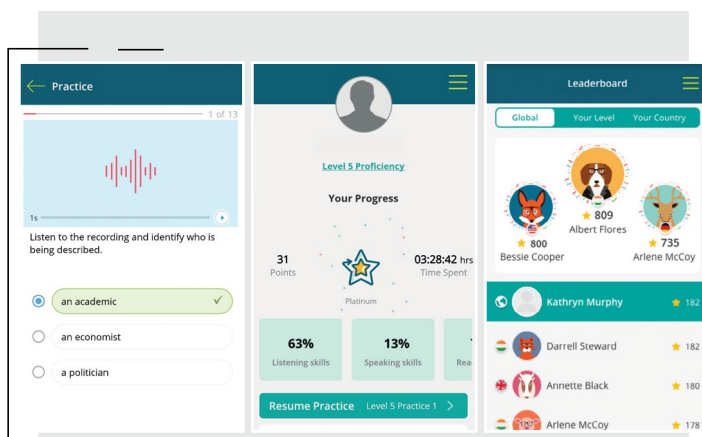
Everything you need to get totally comfortable with your test before you take it



## Warm Up with this fun, free practice app

Pearson English Warm Up helps you prepare for the Pearson English International Certificate test in a way that's motivating and fun.

Personalise your profile, and then get practising with items like those you will see on your real test, across all four language skills: reading, writing, speaking and listening. Earn points and badges, and compete with other users in your country and around the world.



Find out more and download the app at

[pearsonenglish.com/warmup](https://pearsonenglish.com/warmup)

## Free familiarisation resources

Find answers to all your questions about taking the test in our free, downloadable guides.

Browse your Test-taker Handbook, take a step-by-step walk-through of the item types you'll see in your test, and benefit from loads of bonus test tips.



Find everything you need at

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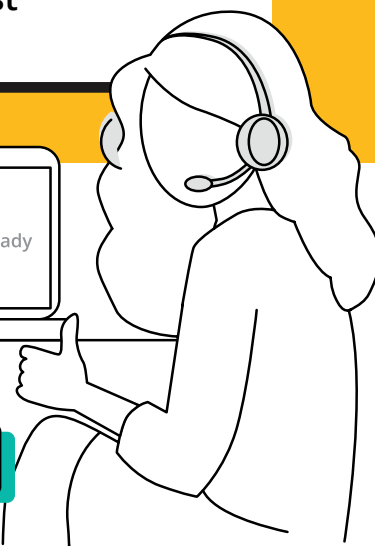
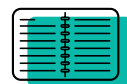
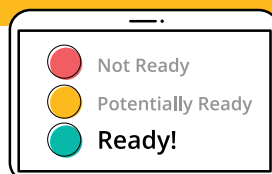
# Know when you're ready to pass

Achieve the ultimate International Certificate confidence with a revolutionary, online Readiness Test

## Readiness Test

In just one hour, from the comfort of home, you can get a clear idea of how ready you are to pass the International Certificate at your chosen level. The Readiness Test predicts overall readiness and gives a complete breakdown across speaking, listening, reading and writing.

Your score report will give you a valuable boost of confidence if you're ready. And if you're not, it will provide lots of personalised learning recommendations.



### B1 Readiness Test Summary

Readiness Prediction

Ready

Not Ready

Potentially Ready

Ready

### ✓ Easy to understand

'Traffic light' indicators show overall if you are Ready, Potentially Ready or Not Ready to take your exam.

### Listening Ready

#### PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

At this level, you can identify key details and make basic inferences in conversations on familiar everyday topics. You can understand simple routine exchanges and derive the meaning of unknown words within familiar contexts.

### ✓ Detailed information

Detailed summaries explain your current English abilities, overall and in each of the four language skills.

### B1 Skills Readiness

LISTENING

READING

SPEAKING

WRITING

Ready

Not Ready

Ready

Potentially Ready

### ✓ Clear insights

Understand at-a-glance which are your strong skills, and which skills you need to work on before your exam.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTIVITIES FOR A2

Your listening skills are at the level. Before taking the test, you are advised to:

Practice listening to or watching short narratives in films and television programmes and after pausing the recording predict what will happen next.

Listen to or watch extended dialogues and discussions in standard speech on familiar topics, using materials such as online talks, news broadcasts and current affairs programmes.

Develop the ability to derive the meaning of unknown vocabulary in less familiar contexts by watching online videos about a wide variety of topics.

### ✓ Valuable recommendations

You'll see what activities you can do to bring each language skill up to the required level for the exam.

Find out more and buy a Readiness Test at

[pearsonenglish.com/readinesstest](https://pearsonenglish.com/readinesstest)





# About us

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**We are Pearson, the world's learning company.**

With 30,000 employees in more than 70 countries, our products and services are used every day by millions of learners and their teachers around the world.

At Pearson English we specialise in helping people make progress in their lives through learning of the world's number one language. We believe that learning English opens up opportunities, creating fulfilling careers, better lives and a happier, more collaborative global community.

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