

Who we are

We are Cambridge Assessment English.

Part of the University of Cambridge, we help millions of people learn English and prove their skills to the world.

For us, learning English is more than just exams and grades. It's about having the confidence to communicate and access a lifetime of enriching experiences and opportunities.

With the right support, learning a language is an exhilarating journey. We're with you, every step of the way.

Your path to learning English, step by step

Cambridge English Qualifications are in-depth exams that make learning English enjoyable, effective and rewarding.

Our unique approach encourages continuous progression with a clear path to improving language skills. Each of our qualifications focuses on a level of the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR), enabling you to develop and build speaking, writing, reading and listening skills.

Our qualifications are based on research into effective teaching and learning. They motivate people of all ages and abilities to learn English and develop practical skills for the real world.

Whether you're planning to live, work or study in your own country or abroad, our qualifications prove you have the English language skills to succeed.

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Why choose Cambridge English Qualifications?

Accepted worldwide

Cambridge English Qualifications are accepted and trusted by thousands of leading employers and organisations worldwide. Whether you aspire to start your own business or work in a multi-national organisation, our qualifications are a mark of excellence and will help you achieve your ambitions.

Global business communication

Our qualifications are based on authentic situations. This gives you the skills and confidence to communicate in real-life business scenarios.

Develop your speaking skills

The Speaking exam is taken face to face with our expert examiners. As you prepare you will develop the ability to express your opinion, present your ideas and negotiate in the workplace.

Practice materials

We offer a broad range of learning and support materials to help you prepare for your exam and communicate with confidence, for life.

Cambridge English Qualifications provide reliable assessment at the CEFR levels above and below the target level. These exams are also reported on the Cambridge English Scale, which provides detailed information of performance. Our qualifications for young learners – Pre A1 Starters, A1 Movers and A2 Flyers – report achievement at the target level and the one below.

For more information visit:
cambridgeenglish.org/cambridgeenglishscale

For every learner, every step of the way

A few facts and figures about us:

- 5.5 million assessments taken every year
- Accepted by over 20,000 organisations worldwide
- 2,800 exam centres in 130 countries
- Over 50,000 preparation centres
- Providing English language assessment since 1913

We have Cambridge English Qualifications for schools, general and higher education, and business.

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Our qualifications

Cambridge English Qualifications for business include the following exams:

- B1 Business Preliminary
- B2 Business Vantage
- C1 Business Higher

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Cambridge English Scale
140–159

B1 Business Preliminary

This qualification shows that you have mastered the basics of business English.

Exam format	
CEFR level B1	Reading and Writing 90 mins
Test format CB or PB*	Listening 40 mins
Number of papers 3	Speaking 12 mins
Total exam length 142 mins	

*CB: computer-based; PB: paper-based



See our range of preparation materials at cambridgeenglish.org/business-preliminary/prepare

Cambridge English Scale
160–179

B2 Business Vantage

This qualification will help you when applying for new jobs, getting a promotion or to further develop your career.

Exam format	
CEFR level B2	Reading 60 mins
Test format CB or PB	Writing 45 mins
Number of papers 4	Listening 40 mins
Total exam length 159 mins	Speaking 14 mins



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Cambridge English Scale
180–199

C1 Business Higher

This qualification gives you the practical language skills you need to operate confidently at a senior level in global business.

Exam format	
CEFR level C1	Reading 60 mins
Test format CB or PB	Writing 70 mins
Number of papers 4	Listening 40 mins
Total exam length 186 mins	Speaking 16 mins



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Discover our qualifications for business

