



## Next steps

### Try before you buy!

You can get a good idea of how the test works by trying the free online demo. This light version of the test is a great way of seeing what the test looks like and what students are asked to do<sup>1</sup>.

1. Go to: [www.demcpt.cambridgetest.org](http://www.demcpt.cambridgetest.org)
2. Watch the tutorial
3. Try out the test – enter token number: DEMCPTE1

### Find out more

To find out more about the *Cambridge English Placement Test*, including information for administrators, technical requirements and information about the research behind the development of the test, visit:

[www.CambridgeESOL.org/placement](http://www.CambridgeESOL.org/placement)

## About the Cambridge English Placement Test

The *Cambridge English Placement Test* is developed by University of Cambridge ESOL Examinations (Cambridge ESOL).

Cambridge ESOL offers the world's leading range of qualifications for learners and teachers of English. Over 3 million people take our exams each year in 130 countries. Around the world, more than 11,000 universities, employers, government ministries and other organisations recognise our qualifications as proof of English language ability.

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# Cambridge English Placement Test

*A fast, accurate way of placing students on English language courses*

<sup>1</sup> Note: Test scores are only produced by the full working version of the test.



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- ✓ Find out what level of English your students already have
- ✓ Decide which language class is most appropriate for them
- ✓ Make decisions about which **Cambridge English** exam they should aim for



## Cambridge English Placement Test

The *Cambridge English Placement Test* is a fast, accurate and affordable online test designed to pinpoint students' level of English and relate it to the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR) – the standard benchmark used internationally to describe language ability.

This is an international test of general English language ability, focusing on the skills of **Reading, Use of English** and **Listening**.

The *Cambridge English Placement Test* assesses the entire spectrum of learning ability, from pre-CEFR Level A1 to Level C2.

- ✓ **Fast and reliable**  
The test takes only 30 minutes, but extensive research and pretesting ensures that the *Cambridge English Placement Test* is reliable and valid.
- ✓ **International**  
The *Cambridge English Placement Test* is an international exam that features a variety of accents and text sourced from a range of English-speaking countries.
- ✓ **Suitable for all students**  
You use the same test for all your students as it is computer adaptive. Based on the student's responses, the test becomes progressively easier or more difficult until a consistent level of ability is achieved, and the student's level of English can be identified.
- ✓ **Easy to manage**  
The test is online so you order tests when you want and students take it whenever you choose. You manage your test orders and view and print results from a dedicated administration site.

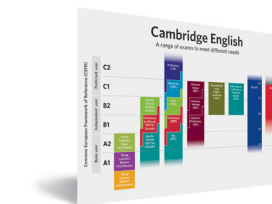
- ✓ **User-friendly**  
Students can choose to take a tutorial before the test, access on-screen help at any time and see a timer and progress bar during the test. Should any problems with internet connectivity occur, the candidate does not have to start again – they can simply pick up the test where they left off.
- ✓ **Secure**  
The test is taken under secure conditions and, because the test is adaptive, each student gets a 'unique' test, seeing different items and in a different order. The item bank is encrypted for security and new items are being added to the bank on a regular basis.

## Immediate, meaningful results

*Cambridge English Placement Test* results are instant, helping you make informed decisions about which classes and courses are most suitable for your students. You decide whether to show them their results at the end of the test or not.

Results are presented in a clear, easy-to-understand report which can be produced for one student or groups of students.

A student's score is based on a scale of 1 to 100 and tells you their appropriate CEFR level and the Cambridge English exams available at their level.



To view a diagram of how the CEFR relates to Cambridge English exams, go to: [www.CambridgeESOL.org/CEFR](http://www.CambridgeESOL.org/CEFR)