

FEBRUARY 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Saturday, 15 February	07 Feb – 16 Feb
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Saturday, 29 February	21 Feb – 01 Mar
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 10 January 2020			

MARCH 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
A2 KEY [KET]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 14 March	06 Mar – 15 Mar
B1 PRELIMINARY [PET]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 14 March	06 Mar – 15 Mar
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 7 March	28 Feb – 08 Mar
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 14 March	06 Mar – 15 Mar
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 7 March	28 Feb – 08 Mar
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 10 January 2020			

APRIL 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Tuesday, 7 April	03 April – 12 April
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 06 March 2020			

MAY 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 16 May	08 May – 17 May
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 9 May	01 May – 10 May
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 9 May	01 May – 10 May
A2 KEY FOR SCHOOLS [KET FS]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 23 May	15 May – 24 May
B1 PRELIMINARY FOR SCHOOLS [PET FS]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 23 May	15 May – 24 May
B2 FIRST FOR SCHOOLS [FCE FS]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 23 May	15 May – 24 May
B1 BUSINESS PRELIMINARY [BEC PRELIMINARY]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Saturday, 9 May	01 May – 10 May
B2 BUSINESS VANTAGE [BEC VANTAGE]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Saturday, 9 May	01 May – 10 May
C1 BUSINESS HIGHER [BEC HIGHER]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Saturday, 9 May	01 May – 10 May
A2 KEY FOR SCHOOLS [KET FS]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Friday, 15 May	08 May – 17 May
B1 PRELIMINARY FOR SCHOOLS [PET FS]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Friday, 15 May	08 May – 17 May
B2 FIRST FOR SCHOOLS [FCE FS]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Wednesday, 20 May	15 May – 24 May
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 13 March 2020			

JUNE 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
A2 KEY [KET]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 13 June	05 June – 14 June
B1 PRELIMINARY [PET]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 13 June	05 June – 14 June
B2 FIRST [FCE] OUTSIDE VENUES ONLY	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 06 June	29 May – 07 June
B2 FIRST [FCE] LISBON, PORTO & COIMBRA ONLY	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Tuesday, 09 June	05 June – 14 June
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 20 June	12 June – 21 June
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Wednesday, 10 June	05 June – 14 June
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Friday, 12 June	05 June – 14 June
B2 FIRST FOR SCHOOLS [FCE FS] OUTSIDE VENUES ONLY	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 06 June	29 May – 07 June
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 03 April 2020 (for all exams except B2 FIRST later date) Friday, 24 April 2020 (for B2 FIRST later date)			

JULY 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Thursday, 30 July	24 July – 02 Aug
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 11 July	03 July – 12 July
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 08 May 2020 (for C1 Advanced) Friday, 29 May 2020 (For B2 First)			

SEPTEMBER 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Friday, 25 September	18 Sep – 27 Sep
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Computer-Based</i>	Saturday, 19 September	11 Sep – 20 Sep
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 07 August 2020			

OCTOBER 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 10 October	02 Oct – 11 Oct
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 17 October	09 Oct – 18 Oct
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 14 August 2020			

NOVEMBER 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
A2 KEY [KET]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 14 November	06 Nov – 15 Nov
B1 PRELIMINARY [PET]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 14 November	06 Nov – 15 Nov
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 28 November	20 Nov – 29 Nov
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 25 September 2020			

DECEMBER 2020

EXAM	DELIVERY	WRITTEN EXAM	SPEAKING WINDOW
B2 FIRST [FCE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 12 December	04 Dec – 13 Dec
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Wednesday, 02 December	27 Nov – 06 Dec
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Saturday, 12 December	04 Dec – 13 Dec
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	<i>Paper-Based</i>	Thursday, 03 December	27 Nov – 06 Dec
DEADLINE FOR ENROLMENTS: Friday, 02 October 2020			

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GENERAL REGULATIONS & PRICES 2020

A2 KEY [KET] & A2 KEY FOR SCHOOLS [KET FS]	€ 100
B1 PRELIMINARY [PET] & B1 PRELIMINARY FOR SCHOOLS [PET FS]	€ 105
B2 FIRST [FCE] & B2 FIRST FOR SCHOOLS [FCE FS]	€ 187
C1 ADVANCED [CAE]	€ 194
C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]	€ 199
B1 BUSINESS PRELIMINARY [BEC PRELIMINARY]	€ 105
B2 BUSINESS VANTAGE [BEC VANTAGE]	€ 187
C1 BUSINESS HIGHER [BEC HIGHER]	€ 194

Exams will always be offered at the following centres: Lisbon, Porto and Coimbra.

However exams may also be offered at other locations: Almada, Aveiro, Funchal, Guarda, Tomar and Setúbal.

Please check with Examination Services before enrolling at these locations. Other dates may be negotiated depending on demand.

ENTRIES

All **private candidates** must enrol and pay online at: <https://esolreg.britishcouncil.org>. Payment must be made by credit card (Visa or MasterCard) or MBWAY/MBNET/WEBUY CARD. Debit cards are not accepted.

Preparation Centres/Schools also register their candidates online at: <https://esolb2b.britishcouncil.org> but pay exam fees by bank transfer.

The British Council reserves the right to cancel any Cambridge English Qualification if a minimum number of 10 candidates is not reached by the end of the relevant registration period. In this case, you will receive a refund of fees paid.

CONFIRMATION OF ENTRIES

All information regarding the Cambridge Assessment English Qualification, including the date of the Speaking exam, the location and your candidate number, will be communicated to you via email approximately 2 weeks before your first exam date. It is not possible to choose or change the Speaking exam date; it is your responsibility to check the dates window for the Speaking exam and avoid clashes with other commitments. **If you have not received your confirmation of entry 2 weeks before your exam it is your responsibility to contact the Examinations Centre where you have registered.**

IDENTIFICATION PROOF

Candidates must present an original valid identification document (*Cartão de Cidadão* or Passport) on all examination dates and for all papers. **No other documents will be accepted, and candidates without one of these documents will not be allowed to sit their examination.** Note that photocopies or 'Guias de Renovação de Cartão de Cidadão' are not accepted.

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY DISABILITIES

As the UK's principal cultural relations organisation, the British Council is strongly committed to Equal Opportunity & Diversity. If you have a disability you must let the Examinations Centre know when you enrol.

Special arrangements can be provided for paper-based examinations under the conditions stated below. Please check with your examining centre for the special arrangements available for computer-based exams.

All requests for special arrangements must be accompanied by a detailed medical certificate which must be less than 2 years post issue date. The original medical certificate must be sent by post to the Examinations Centre by the end of the relevant registration period.

If you reported your needs when completing your Exam Registration in the British Council Online Registration System but did not submit the relevant documentation by the stated deadline, you will not be entitled to special arrangements.

A final decision lies with the University of Cambridge.

TRANSFERS

Entries cannot be transferred from one examination sitting to a future one, to another examination level or to a different centre. You cannot change the date of any of the components of your examination. The dates set by Cambridge Assessment English for the speaking part of the exam are shown above. Please note that your appointment may be on any of these dates.

EXAM ARRANGEMENTS

You will receive your individual session timetable in the *Confirmation of Entry* issued to candidates. You will receive your *Confirmation of Entry* by e-mail. If you do not receive your *Confirmation of Entry* you are requested to contact the British Council exam centre with which you registered for the examination immediately. If you miss your exam because you did not receive your *Confirmation of Entry* and did not reported this fact to your examination centre, you will not be entitled to a refund.

On the day of your exam you should:

- be punctual (latecomers will not be allowed into the exam room),
- bring a valid identity document – candidates with no ID or with invalid ID will not be able to sit the exam and are not entitled to a refund of the exam fee
- bring your individual examination timetable with exam dates and venue addresses (*Confirmation of Entry*),

You are not allowed to bring any electronic equipment to the exam venue except for mobile phones. You are also requested not to bring any expensive personal items. **The British Council is not liable for the loss of any items left in a designated area. According to Cambridge Assessment English Qualification regulations you won't be able to access your mobile phone, including breaks, so it must be switched off and placed in a designated area during the whole period of the examination.**

For the speaking part of the exam, candidates are matched in pairs by staff of the British Council examination centre. In some cases, defined by Cambridge Assessment English Qualification, candidates will take the speaking test in a group of three.

REFUNDS

If a candidate withdraws his/her entry on medical grounds, or in case of hardship (e.g. death in the family) he/she may be refunded part of the examination fee, provided a request is made to the Examinations Centre and it is accompanied by a statement from a medical practitioner. This statement should state the medical reason as to why the candidate had to withdraw his/her entry or was unable to sit the exam. **These should be given to the respective Examinations Centre no later than 1 week following the exam.** Refunds are not given for any other reason, for example Cambridge do not refund if there is a clash with local examination dates. **Refunds will only be given if original medical statement is provided.** A final decision about refund lies with the University of Cambridge.

If you are entitled to a refund, the refunded money will be returned in the same way as you originally paid.

RESULTS & CERTIFICATES

Results are available:

- Approximately 4-6 weeks after the conclusion of the exam session in the case of paper-based examinations (detailed information is given in the *Confirmation of Entry*);
- approximately 2 weeks after the conclusion of the exam session in the case of computer-based examinations (detailed information is given in the *Confirmation of Entry*).

Statements of Results are available on the Cambridge Assessment English website. You will receive your login details (enabling you to access this website) as well as the date of the release of results in your *Confirmation of Entry*.

Information about results is not provided by email or over the phone.

Exam papers are marked in Cambridge and are the property of Cambridge Assessment English.

Cambridge Assessment English does not make these accessible to candidates, schools or examination centres and does not give feedback on the candidates' performance in the exam. All available information is provided on the *Statement of Results*.

Certificates are issued to candidates with passing grades or who have achieved a narrow fail, approximately 2 months after the exam. **Certificates are kept by an exam centre for two years. After that time the certificates will be destroyed.**

A candidate who has lost a certificate may apply directly to the University of Cambridge for a certifying statement for which a fee is charged. You will find the form at <http://www.cambridgeenglish.org/help/lost-certificates>

ENQUIRIES AND RE-MARKS

Requests for re-marks may be made within 3 weeks of the issue of the result at the respective Examinations Centre. This is a paid service.

However, it should be noted that it is extremely rare for such enquiries to lead to a change in results for the following reasons: the majority of papers are either computer-marked or double-checked clerically; examiner-marked papers are double-marked and in borderline or disputed cases marked three or four times.

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