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**ENGLISH LEVEL
PLACEMENT TEST
GUIDE
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ENGLISH PLACEMENT TESTS AT SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES

1. In the school, English placement tests can be administered in two ways:
 - Oxford Online Placement Test,
 - Placement test prepared by the school and conducted face-to-face.
2. Which exam will be held in the relevant academic year is announced in the “Announcements” section of our school.

1. OXFORD ONLINE PLACEMENT TEST SPECIFICATIONS

1. The Oxford Online Placement Test is a computer-adaptive test of English for non-native speakers of English, delivered on demand, and reports results at levels Pre-A1, A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, and C2 of the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). This test was developed by Oxford University Press (OUP) to allow institutions to quickly and reliably place their English language learners in the correct level of English class. Placement testing is a fundamental stage of the learning cycle.
2. You can access the demo version of the test from the following link: <https://elt.oup.com/feature/global/oxford-online-placement/demo?cc=tr&selLanguage=en>
3. The online test lasts about 60 minutes.
4. The certificate you receive is valid for a lifetime.
5. You will need to take the exam in a session reserved for you in our university’s language laboratories with the personal password and user information sent to you. Detailed announcements about the exam will be published in the “Announcements” section of our school before the exam.
6. The test has two parts: **Use of English** ve **Listening**, each has three parts and scores weigh differently.

Section		Part 1	Part 2	Part 3
Use of English	Description	Complete a short dialogue with the appropriate grammatical form or lexical item	Read a short dialogue and identify what a speaker means	Type the missing word in gapped text with the appropriate grammar or lexis
	Testing focus	Grammatical form, lexical precision	Pragmatics: understanding explicit and implied meaning	Grammatical form, lexical precision
	Response type	Four-option multiple choice	Three-option multiple choice	Gapped text. For A1–C2, test takers type their answers. For Pre–A1, test takers select their answers.
	Questions	Ten tasks	Ten tasks, each with one or two questions	One task, seven questions
Listening	Description	Listen to a short dialogue and identify what the speaker means	Listen to a longer dialogue and identify what the speaker means	Listen to a monologue and identify what the speaker means
	Testing focus	Pragmatics: understanding explicit and implied meaning		
	Response type	Four-option multiple choice		
	Questions	Five tasks per part, each with one or two questions		

OXFORD ONLINE PLACEMENT TEST RESULTS

- Results are available instantly and reported both as a CEFR band (Pre-A1 to C2) and as a standardized score on the OPT scale (0-120). Our school evaluates them on a scale of 100. The report provides a detailed breakdown for each section and includes the completion time. CEFR levels and standardized scores are shown in this table:

Pre-A1			A1		A2		B1		B2		C1		C2		
low	mid	high	A1.1	A1.2	A2.1	A2.2	B1.1	B1.2	B2.1	B2.2	C1.1	C1.2	C2.1	C2.2	
0.1	0.4	0.7	1	11	21	31	41	51	61	71	81	91	101	111	120
1	3	5	8	16	23	31	39	47	54	62	70	78	85	93	100

- Based on your score from the placement test, your starting level class will be determined and you will be placed in one of the A1, A2, or B1 groups.

2. SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES PLACEMENT TEST

- This exam measures your English level in our school's starting groups: A1 (Beginner), A2 (Elementary), B1 (Pre-intermediate), and B1+ (Intermediate).
- The School Placement Test consists of a total of 55 questions.
- The exam duration is 60 minutes. It is conducted face-to-face.
- The weight of each question varies according to the level. The weighting is provided at the beginning of each section.
- The test has two parts: **Use of Language** and **Reading**.

Part		Content
Use of Language	Description	Complete a short dialogue with the correct grammatical form or lexical item.
	Test Focus	Grammatical form, lexical accuracy.
	Response Type	Multiple choice (4 options).
	Questions-Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grammar: Q1–10: A1 Grammar: Q11–20: A2 Grammar: Q21–25: B1 Vocabulary: Q26–30: A1 Vocabulary: Q31–35: A2 Vocabulary: Q36–40: B1
Reading	Description	Read the text and answer questions based on the text.
	Test Focus	Reading comprehension.
	Response Type	Multiple choice (4 options).
	Questions-Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A2 reading passage: Q41–45 B1 reading passage: Q46–50 B1+ reading passage: Q51–55

SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST RESULTS

1. The placement test is evaluated on a scale of 100 according to our school's assessment criteria. CEFR levels and standardized scores are shown in this table:

A1		A2		B1	
A1.1	A1.2	A2.1	A2.2	B1.1	B1.2
0-20	21-34	35-55	56-70	70-84	85-100

2. Based on your score from the placement test, your starting level class will be determined and you will be placed in one of the A1, A2, or B1 groups.