

Alternative test scores benchmarked as against the IELTS bandscale

English Language proficiency level	Test component	IELTS	TOEFL iBT	PTE Academic	Cambridge English: Advanced (CAE)*	OET
Functional	Average/total/overall across test components only	4.5	32	30	147	n/a
Vocational	Listening	5	4	36	154	B
	Reading	5	4	36	154	B
	Writing	5	14	36	154	B
	Speaking	5	14	36	154	B
Competent	Listening	6	12	50	169	B
	Reading	6	13	50	169	B
	Writing	6	21	50	169	B
	Speaking	6	18	50	169	B
Proficient	Listening	7	24	65	185	B
	Reading	7	24	65	185	B
	Writing	7	27	65	185	B
	Speaking	7	23	65	185	B
Superior	Listening	8	28	79	200	A
	Reading	8	29	79	200	A
	Writing	8	30	79	200	A
	Speaking	8	26	79	200	A