TOEIC® Link™ assessments

Measure effective English language proficiency with a fast, flexible, online solution

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A new era of assessments for an online world

The TOEIC Link assessments are online, modular, fast and secure. They're designed to assess practical English language skills, beyond academic understanding of grammar and vocabulary, ensuring employees and students can communicate accurately in today's global environment.

Flexible, modular approach

TOEIC Link assesses all or a combination of four essential communication skills — listening, reading, speaking and/or writing.

Speed and quality

It takes just 90 minutes to complete all four TOEIC Link skills assessments. Results are delivered immediately for Listening and Reading modules and within 48 hours for Speaking and Writing modules.

Data-led

TOEIC Link scores provide HR professionals, education and government officials with quality insights for hiring, upskilling and graduation decisions.

Secure, online assessments

TOEIC Link assesses English online with flexible proctoring capabilities to ensure security and fair testing. Choose between AI monitoring or AI and human proctoring.

Expertly designed

ETS — the creator of TOEIC Link — has been a market-leader in English language assessments for over 45 years.

Who are TOEIC Link assessments for?

The TOEIC Link assessments are created for corporations, universities and governments to assess new hires, employees or students who need to demonstrate English communication skills.

Corporations can use TOEIC Link assessments to:

- Recruit and promote the right talent
- Identify English language skill gaps
- Optimize English language training by focusing it on the right areas

Universities can use TOEIC Link assessments to:

- Prepare work-ready graduates for success
- Make more informed decisions on student admissions, placement and exiting
- Demonstrate the effectiveness of English-language programs
- Enhance the global reputation of their institution

Governments can use TOEIC Link assessments to:

- Cultivate stronger global talent for their government
- Make more informed decisions for their government entity and their country
- Bolster international reputation

What does each TOEIC Link skill measure?

TOEIC Link is comprised of four modules (Listening, Reading, Speaking, and Writing), which can be taken together or separately.

Listening

This assessment consists of 30 questions administered across two testing stages: a Routing Module in Stage 1 (17 items) and an Easy or Hard Module in Stage 2 (13 items).

Test takers respond to descriptions, questions and conversations in English in the following task types:

- Photographs
- Question-response
- Conversations and talks
- Talks

Total time: 18 minutes

Reading

This assessment consists of 30 questions administered across two testing stages: a Routing Module in Stage 1 (17 items) and an Easy or Hard Module in Stage 2 (13 items).

Test takers are asked to complete sentences and answer questions about written texts in English in the following task types:

- Incomplete sentences
- Text completion
- Single passages
- Double passages
- Triple passage

Total time: 26 minutes

Speaking

This assessment consists of 11 questions grouped into 3 task types. Test takers are asked to read texts aloud; listen to and repeat sentences; and give opinions.

Task 1: Read a dialogue aloud

Task 2: Listen and repeat

Task 3: Express an opinion

Total time: 10 minutes

Writing

This assessment consists of 6 questions grouped into 4 tasks. Test takers are asked to complete and write sentences; ask for and provide information; and give opinions.

Task 1: Build a sentence

Task 2: Write a brief email

Task 3: Write an extended email

Task 4: Write about your perspective

Total time: 27 minutes

How are the TOEIC Link assessments scored?

TOEIC Link scores are reported on a scale of 0-25 for each individual skill and the overall assessment score. To aid understanding of a candidate's English level, TOEIC Link scores are mapped to Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR) levels — from beginner (CEFR A1) to advanced (CEFR C1).

TOEIC Link results are delivered immediately for Listening and Reading modules and within 48 hours for Speaking and Writing modules.

See how TOEIC Link scores are mapped to CEFR levels

CEFR level mapping

SCORE RANGE	A1	A2	B1	B2	C1
Listening 0 - 25	0 - 7	8 - 12	13 - 17	18 - 21	22 - 25
Reading 0 - 25	0 - 7	8 - 12	13 - 17	18 - 21	22 - 25
Speaking 0 - 25	0 - 7	8 - 12	13 - 17	18 - 21	22 - 25
Writing 0 - 25	0 - 7	8 - 12	13 - 17	18 - 21	22 - 25

About the TOEIC® Program

For more than 45 years as an industry leader, the TOEIC program has set the global standard for assessing English communication skills needed in the workplace and everyday life. Organizations of all kinds trust TOEIC scores to inform the decisions that matter.

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Take the next step with TOEIC Link assessments

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