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C1 Advanced

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Agenda

- *Cambridge – where your world grows*
- *Cambridge C1 Advanced – recognition*
- *Cambridge C1 Advanced – structure and tips*
- *Cambridge C1 Advanced – resources*



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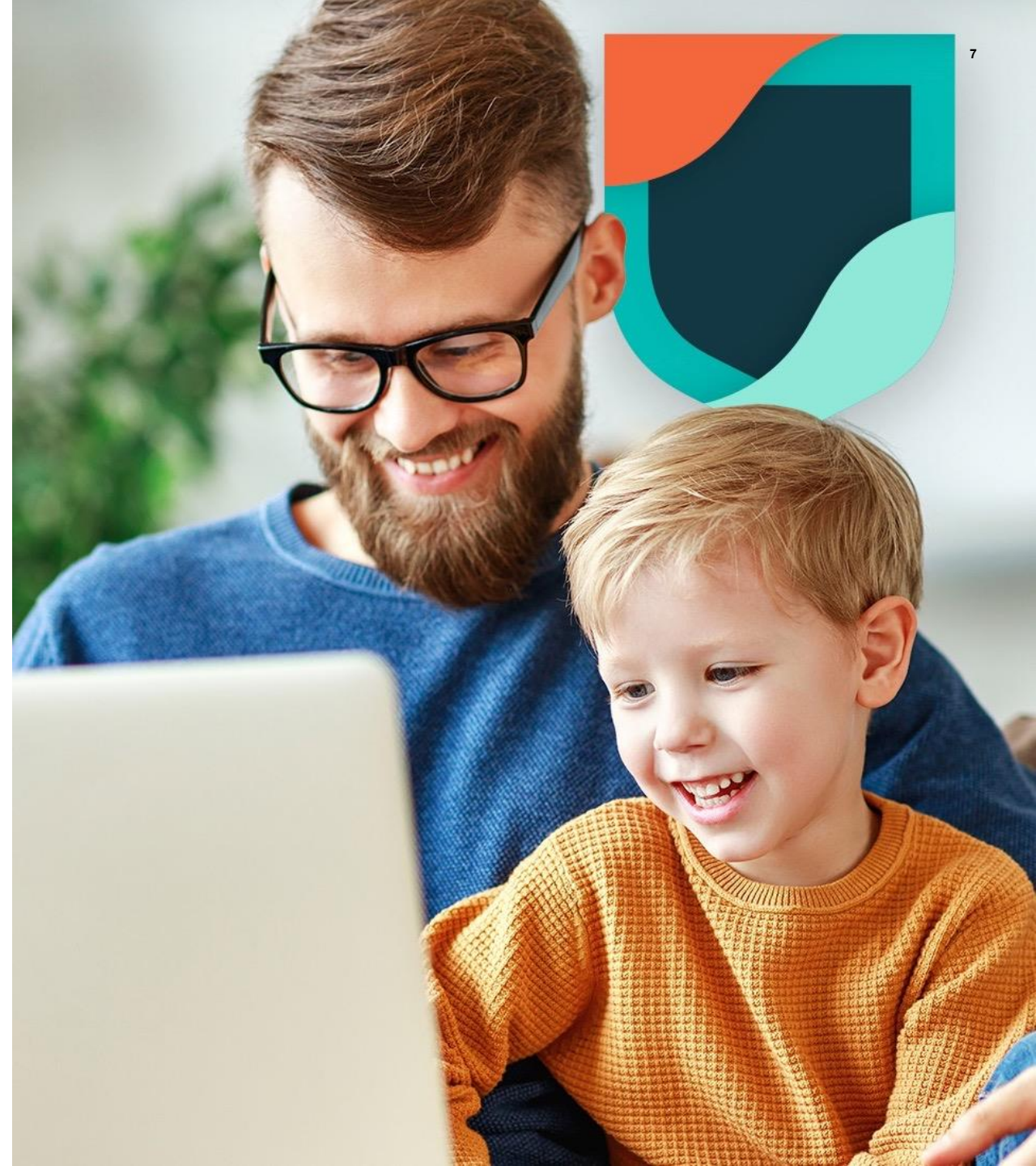
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- **52.000 preparation centres**
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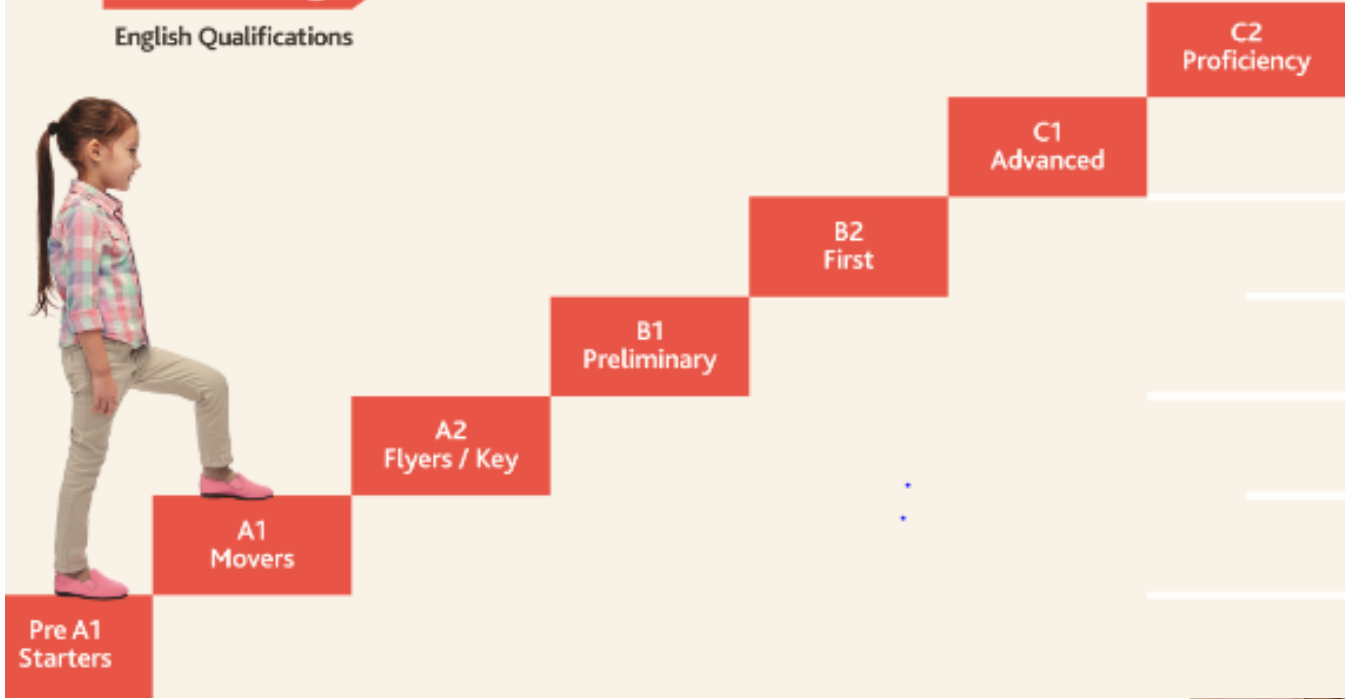
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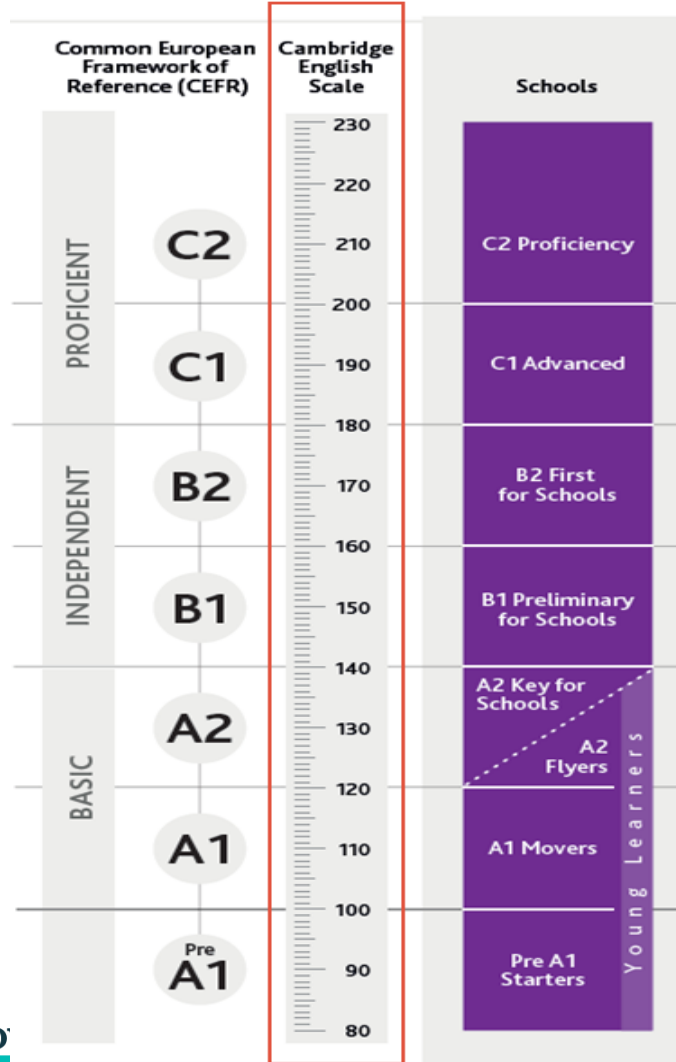
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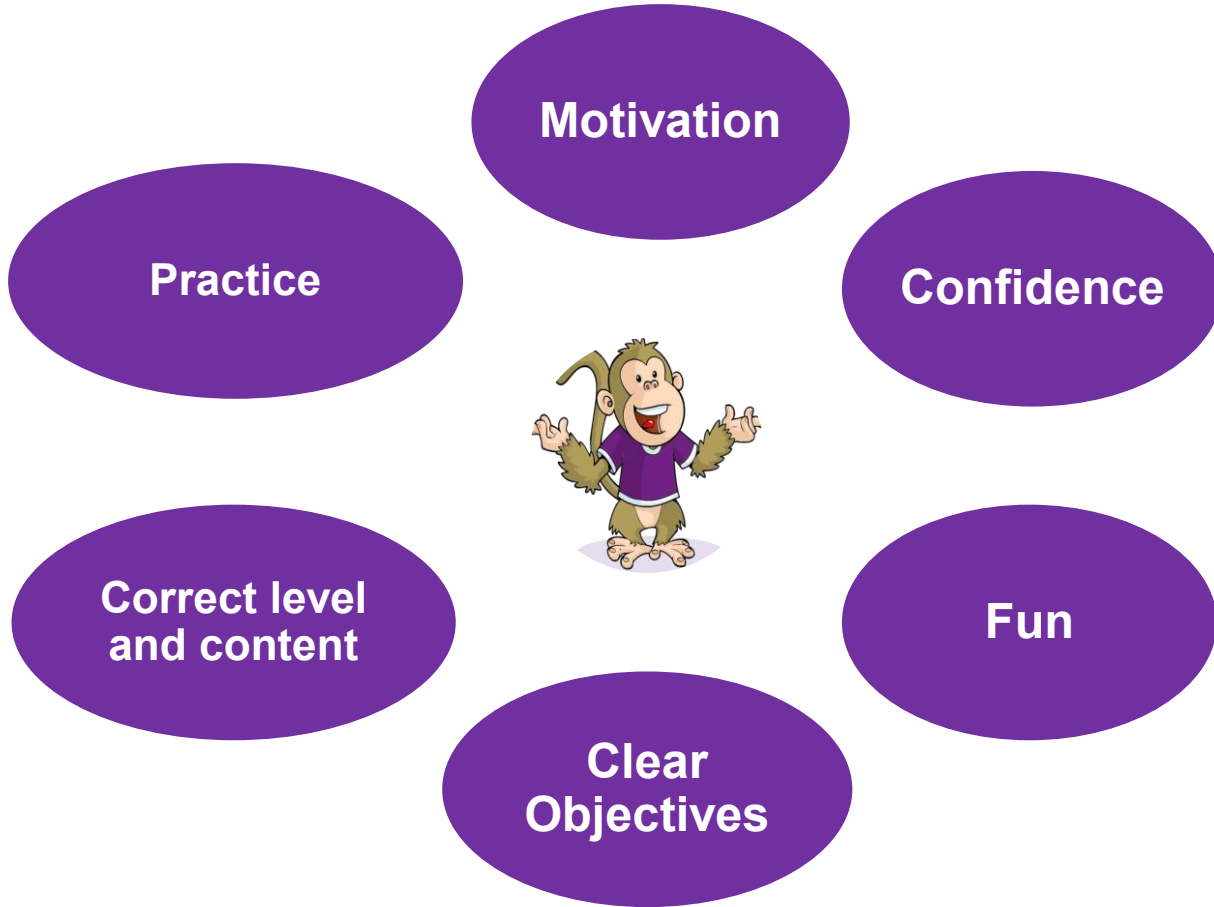


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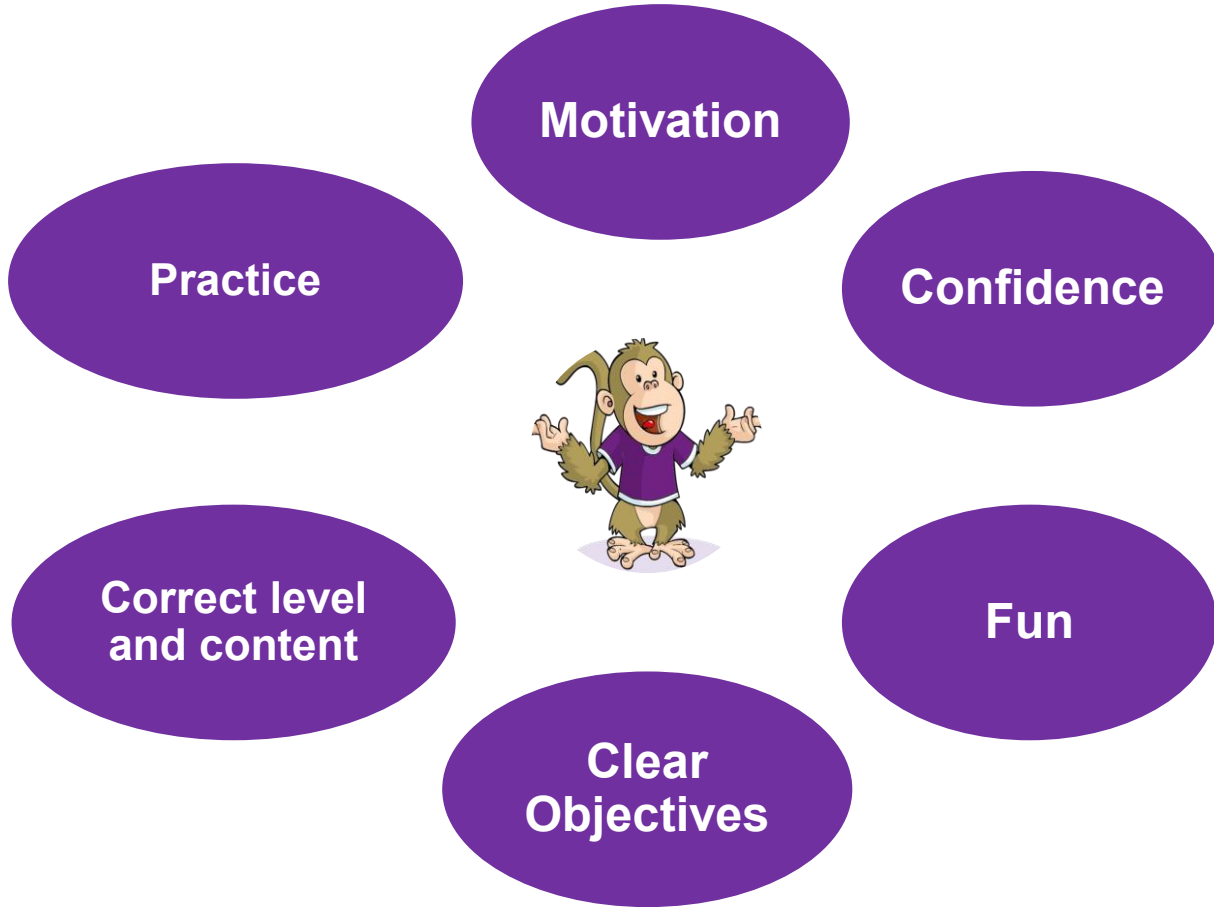
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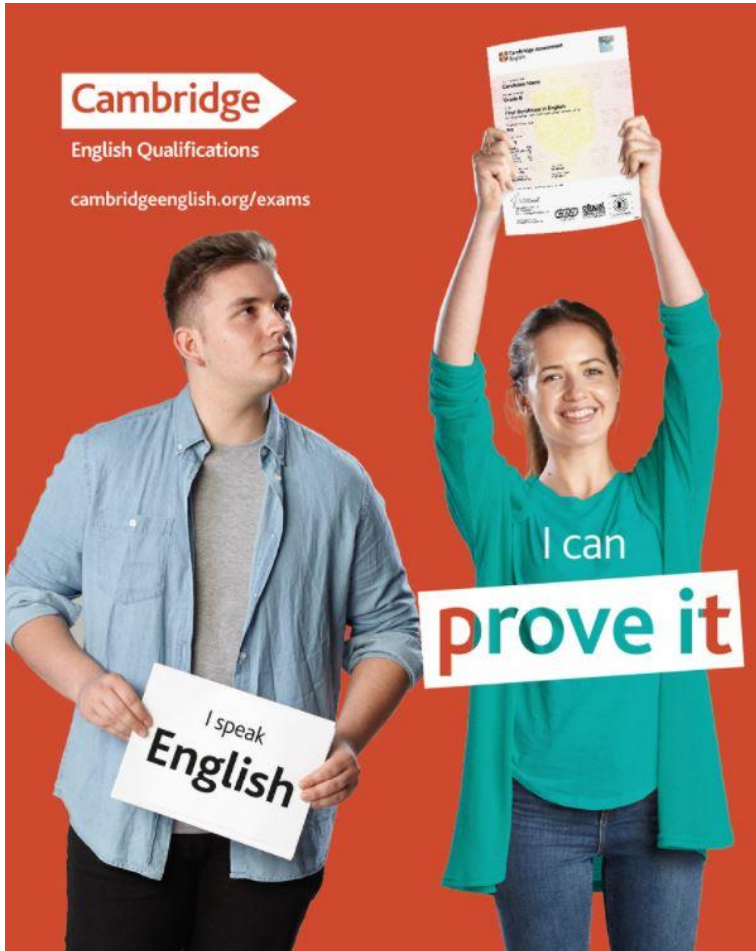
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B1 Preliminary A, B or C

B2 First A, B or C

C1 Advanced A, B or C

C2 Proficiency A, B or C

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Statement of Results

Candidate name

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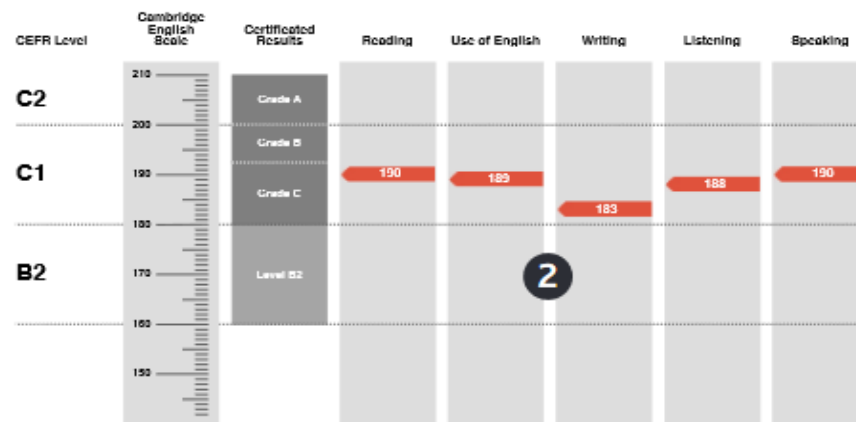
Place of entry

CAMBRIDGE

Session

March UA (AM1)
2019

Result	Overall Score	CEFR Level
Pass at Grade C	188	C1



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Results	Score
Pass at Grade A	200 — 210
Pass at Grade B	190 — 199
Pass at Grade C	180 — 192
Level B2	160 — 179

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Grade A

in the

Certificate in Advanced English

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Overall Score 200

Reading	205
Use of English	210
Writing	193
Listening	198
Speaking	194

Date of Examination **APRIL UA (PM1) 2018**

Place of Entry **CAMBRIDGE**

Reference Number **184GB9615001**

Accreditation Number **500/7558/5**

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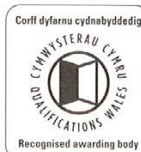
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The Certificate

Result

Pass at Grade C

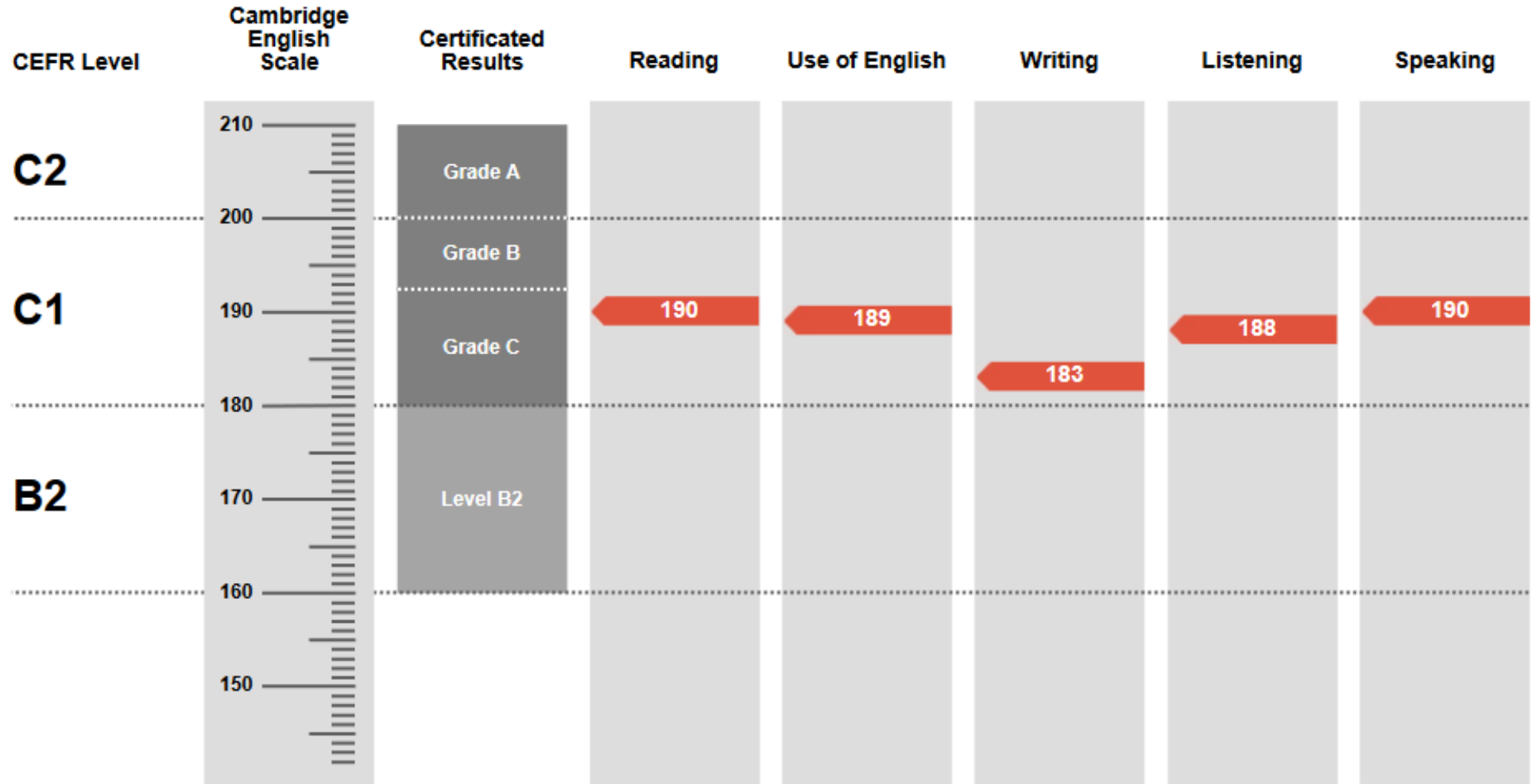
Overall Score

188

CEFR Level

C1

Statement Of Results



C1 Advanced structure

How much do you know about studying for *Cambridge English: Advanced*?

Can you answer these questions?

1. Where can I find out exactly what I have to do in each part of the test?
2. How important is it to spend time doing practice tests?
3. How can I practise grammar and vocabulary to prepare for the test?
4. What kinds of things should I be reading apart from coursebooks?
5. How can I improve my writing skills?
6. What can I listen to outside the classroom to improve my listening skills?
7. What is the best way to develop my speaking skills?

Find the answers on the next page

	Exam format	Examples against CEFR
Reading and Use of English	90 mins	Understand complex arguments and read quickly enough to follow an academic course
Writing	90 mins	Write reports, essays and articles that communicate complex ideas effectively
Listening	40 mins	Follow discussion and argument with only occasional need for clarification
Speaking	15 mins	Have extended conversations and discuss abstract topics with good fluency and range of language
CEFR level	C1	
Test format	Computer based or paper based	
Number of papers	4	
Total exam length	235 mins	

C1 Advanced Questions

Paper/timing	Content
Reading and Use of English 90 min	Part 1 4-option MC cloze Part 2 Open cloze Part 3 Word formation Part 4 Key word transformations Part 5 4-option multiple choice Part 6 Cross-text multiple matching Part 7 Gapped text Part 8 Multiple matching
Writing 90 min	Part 1 one compulsory question (essay) Part 2 one question from a choice of three. No set text option
Listening 40 min (approx.)	Part 1 3-option multiple choice Part 2 Sentence completion Part 3 4-option multiple choice Part 4 Multiple matching
Speaking 15 min	Part 1 Interview Part 2 Individual long turns Part 3/4 Collaborative task and follow-up discussion

Cambridge English: C1 Advanced Speaking Assessment Criteria

Grammatical
Resource

Lexical
Resource

Discourse
Management



Interactive
Communication

Pronunciation

Global Achievement

Writing

1 hour 30 minutes

There are two parts and you will write 220–260 words for each part.

Part 1 is a compulsory task where you will write an essay based on two points given in an input text, explaining which point is more important and giving reasons for your opinions.

In Part 2 you have a choice of task and will write one of the following: a letter, proposal, report or review. There will be a clear context, topic, purpose and target reader for your writing.

You will be assessed using the criteria *Content, Communicative Achievement, Organisation and Language*.

See page 14 for more detail.

C1 Advanced Writing Criteria

Content

Communicative Achievement

Organisation

Language



Converting practice tests scores

<https://www.cambridgeenglish.org/Images/210434-converting-practice-test-scores-to-cambridge-english-scale-scores.pdf>

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Reading

The Reading section consists of Parts 1, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the Reading and Use of English paper. Correct answers in Parts 1 and 8 are worth 1 mark each. Correct answers in Parts 5, 6 and 7 are worth 2 marks each. There are 50 possible marks in the Reading section.

Practice test score	Cambridge English Scale score	CEFR Level
43	200	C2
32	180	C1
23	160	B2
17	142*	-

*minimum score reported for *Advanced*

C1 Advanced Resources

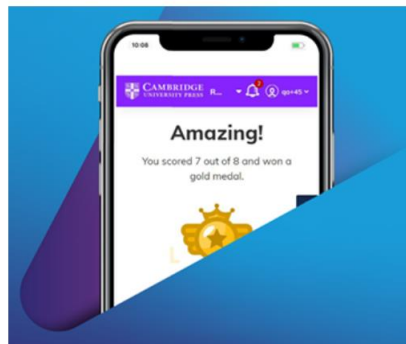
Exam essentials

- + [Official Cambridge English preparation materials](#)
- + [Sample tests \(computer-based and paper-based\)](#)
- + [How to convert practice test scores](#)
- + [Computer-based exam information](#)
- + [What to expect on exam day](#)
- + [Speaking test video with examiners' commentary](#)

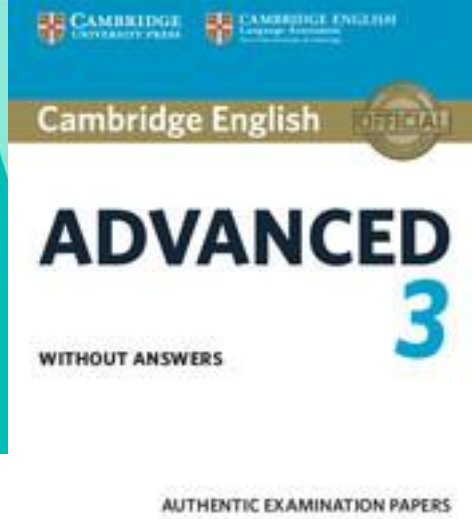
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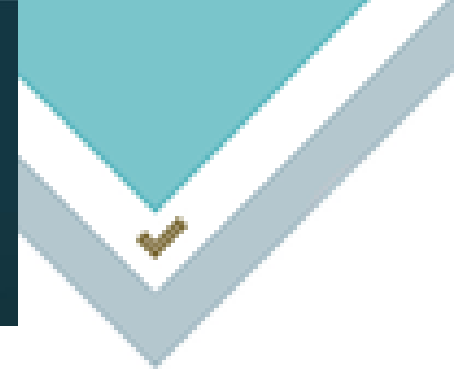


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English Grammar Profile

The English Grammar Profile allows us to see how learners develop competence in grammatical form and meaning, as well as pragmatic appropriateness, as they move up the CEFR levels. This provides us with typical, world-wide grammar profiles for each level.

Like vocabulary, grammatical forms often have more than one meaning. For example, the modal verb 'may' can be used with various meanings at different levels. The EGP teases apart these meanings, and tells us at which level we see learners of English using them correctly and appropriately - here's a sample of the results for 'may':

- A2** Weak possibility: "The weather may be hot."
- B1** Formal permission: "May I borrow your bike?"
- C1** 'May well': "You may well find that this is not the case."
- C2** 'May as well': "We may as well go home."



Independent

Do or make?

In this vocabulary activity you can learn and practise common collocations with do and make.

B1-B2 | 0-5 minutes



Basic

Do you like coffee?

Yes I do! This is an example of using the present simple. Practise answering present simple and present continuous questions in this free grammar activity.



Proficient

Science fiction

This reading and writing activity practises understanding text structure through referencing words and various types of linkers and discourse markers.

C1-C2 | 5-10 minutes



Proficient

Forensic linguistics

Read the text about the role of forensic linguistics in solving crimes. Then answer the question to practise the full range of reading



Basic

Present simple and present continuous questions

In this grammar exercise, choose the correct answer to present simple and present continuous questions.

A1-A2 | 0-5 minutes



Independent

Quit, quite and quiet

In this listening and vocabulary activity you will

Free resources

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- Find an Exam Centre
- Emotional support for learners and teachers
- Help: Including lost certificates, enquiries and appeals, special requirements, complaints etc.
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- Test and Train
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Uses of like

This activity helps you to practise using like in different sentences

A1-A2 | 0-5 minutes

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What a great idea!

Learn about exclamative clauses

B1-B2 | 0-5 minutes

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Family holiday

Add some prepositions to a story about going on a family holiday

B1-B2 | 0-5 minutes

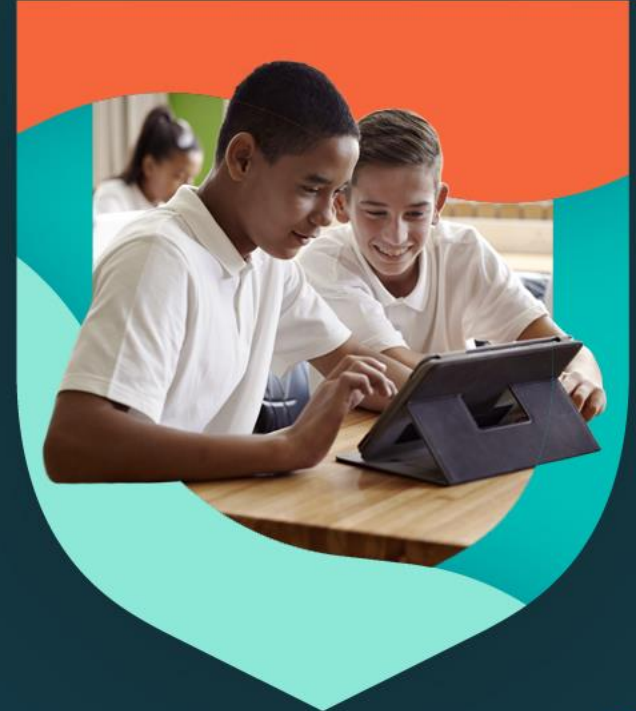
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The screenshot shows the Cambridge Dictionary interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a menu icon, the Cambridge Dictionary logo, and links for Dictionary, Translate, Grammar, and Thesaurus. The search bar contains the word 'paraphrase'. Below the search bar, the text 'Meaning of **paraphrase** in English' is displayed, along with social media sharing icons for Facebook and Twitter. The main entry for 'paraphrase' is shown in a large font, followed by the part of speech 'verb [I or T]'. Below this, the UK and US pronunciations are provided with speaker icons: UK **/ˈpær.ə.freɪz/** and US **/ˈper.ə.freɪz/**. A yellow button with a plus sign and a menu icon is located to the right of the definition. The definition itself is: 'to repeat something written or spoken using different words, often in a humorous form or in a simpler and shorter form that makes the original meaning clearer'.

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PARAPHRASE – when we use it

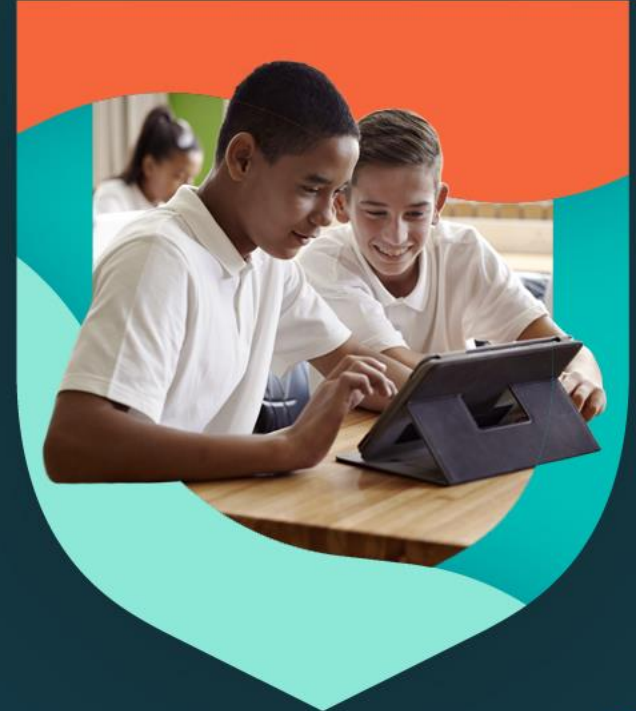
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PREDICT

Meaning of *predict* in English

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predict

verb [T]

UK  /prɪˈdɪkt/ US  /prɪˈdɪkt/

B1

to say that an event or action will happen in the future, especially as a result of knowledge or experience:

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PREDICT – when we use it

- Reading
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- Writing
- Speaking



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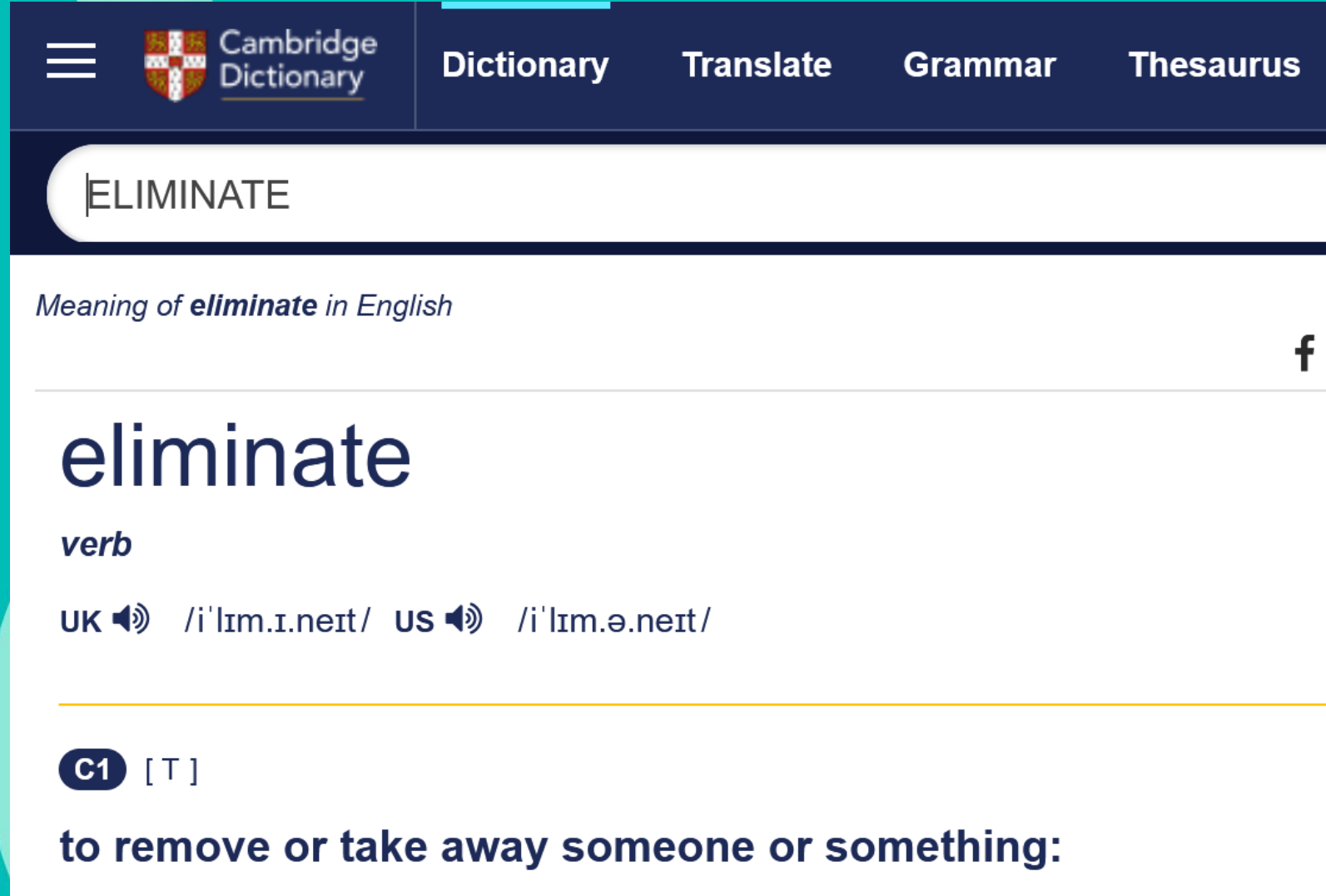
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Dictionary Translate Grammar Thesaurus

ELIMINATE

Meaning of **eliminate** in English

eliminate

verb

UK  /i'lim.i.neɪt/ US  /i'lim.ə.neɪt/

C1 [T]

to remove or take away someone or something:

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ELIMINATE – when we use it

- Reading
- Listening





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