



TOEIC® SPEAKING & WRITING TESTS



Trusted worldwide to measure English speaking and writing skills for the workplace



# **TOEIC**<sup>®</sup>

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Trusted Worldwide to Accurately Assess Workplace English Speaking and Writing Skills

## Why use the TOEIC<sup>®</sup> Speaking and Writing tests?

The *TOEIC*<sup>®</sup> Speaking and Writing tests enable organisations to objectively measure and compare English-language communication skills. Score reports provide detailed feedback on a test taker's ability to be understood by native and non-native speakers, participate in workplace conversations, write emails and express opinions in English.

#### **SCORES WITH MEANING**

A rigorous scoring process using qualified human raters ensures that the TOEIC Speaking and Writing tests deliver accurate and reliable results. Each individual test is scored by multiple raters for fairness, and raters are constantly monitored for consistency. This comprehensive approach provides a level of accuracy and objectivity that surpasses traditional one-on-one interviews, helping organisations make more informed evaluations of English proficiency.



### Score reports provide reliable, consistent data to inform decision making in these key areas:

Screening and selection

Placement and advancement

 English-programme entrance and exit requirements

> LG GROUP® The TOEIC Speaking test is very helpful for assessment of employee fluency in English in real business.

> > Sang Hak Kim, Deputy General Manager







## **TEST FORMAT AND CONTENT**

The TOEIC Speaking and Writing tests are designed to assess language skills that are used in daily life and the workplace, from telephone conversations and presentations to email writing and correspondence. There are two separate tests, one for speaking and one for writing. Test questions are based on up-to-date, real-world workplace scenarios.







#### THE TOEIC SPEAKING TEST

Test takers answer 11 questions that measure various aspects of a test taker's speaking ability. For each question, test takers are given specific directions, including the time allowed for preparing and speaking their response.

Questions 1-2:	Read a text aloud
Question 3:	Describe a picture
Questions 4-6:	Respond to questions
Questions 7-9:	Respond to questions using information provided
Question 10:	Propose a solution
Question 11:	Express an opinion

### **TOEIC**® WRITING TEST



#### THE TOEIC WRITING TEST

Test takers answer 8 questions that measure different aspects of their writing ability. For each type of question, test takers are given specific directions, including the time allowed for writing their response.

Questions 1-5:	Write a sentence based on
	a picture
Questions 6-7:	Respond to a written request
Question 8:	Write an opinion essay

Total time: 20 minutes

#### Total time: 60 minutes



#### **TAKING THE TESTS**

The TOEIC Speaking and Writing tests are offered as an institutional programme and a public programme.

#### **INSTITUTIONAL PROGRAMME**

- Tests are delivered at the organisation's location
- ✓ Computer-delivered administration
- Organisation receives score reports valid within the organisation

#### **PUBLIC PROGRAMME**

- Tests are delivered at a public testing centre
- Computer-delivered administration
- Test taker receives an official score certificate with worldwide portability

## **RESOURCES** TEACHING & LEARNING

The TOEIC programme offers a number of test preparation resources designed to help test takers do their best.





## **PROPELL® TEACHER WORKSHOPS**

*Propell®* Teacher Workshops provide English-language teachers and corporate trainers with instructional techniques that help them prepare test takers for the TOEIC Speaking and Writing tests. These hands-on, interactive sessions are led by ETS-approved facilitators. Workshop participants have the opportunity to network with peers, enhance their teaching and curriculum development skills and obtain valuable professional development credentials.

## **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

A variety of test preparation resources, sample test questions, handbooks and other informative publications are available on our website, **ets.org/toeic/organisations.** 



# About the TOEIC<sup>®</sup> Programme

The TOEIC programme offers a series of assessments designed to measure and support English-language proficiency across all four communication skills – listening, reading, speaking and writing – and a range of proficiency levels. The TOEIC tests are the most widely used around the world and set the standard for assessing English-language communication skills needed in the workplace. Organisations of all kinds trust TOEIC scores to inform the decisions that matter.



When taken with the TOEIC Listening and Reading test, the TOEIC Speaking and Writing tests provide a more accurate picture of a test taker's English-language proficiency. For more than 40 years as an industry leader, the *TOEIC*<sup>®</sup> programme has set the global standard for assessing English-language communication skills needed in the workplace and everyday life. The TOEIC assessments are the most widely used around the world with 14,000+ organisations across more than 160 countries trusting TOEIC scores to inform the decisions that matter.

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