



### The TOEIC® Programme

As part of the globally-recognised *TOEIC*® programme, the redesigned *TOEIC Bridge*® test evaluates basic to intermediate English-language proficiency with the same rigour and reliability as the TOEIC tests. Now, institutions are able to select the TOEIC assessment tool that best suits their needs.

For more than 40 years as an industry leader, the TOEIC programme has set the global standard for assessing English-language communication skills needed in the workplace and everyday life. Organisations of all kinds trust TOEIC scores to inform the decisions that matter.



#### TAISEI CORPORATION

TOEIC test scores inspire enthusiasm necessary to continue learning.

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## TOEIC BRIDGE®

A reliable way to assess basic to intermediate English-language proficiency



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# Why use the redesigned TOEIC Bridge test?

In today's interconnected world, a solid foundation of English-language skills can unlock global opportunities for organisations and individuals. The redesigned *TOEIC Bridge®* test from ETS measures communication skills to provide comprehensive and reliable data on an individual's basic to intermediate ability to communicate in English in everyday life and common workplace scenarios.

#### SCORES WITH MEANING

ETS uses research-based test design and development, and a rigorous scoring process, to ensure that the TOEIC Bridge test delivers fair and valid results. Score reports provide reliable and consistent data that accurately reflect individuals' foundational ability to communicate in English. They also provide meaningful performance feedback to identify individuals' relative strengths and weaknesses with respect to different English-language skills.



By measuring essential communication skills, the TOEIC Bridge test provides a comprehensive and reliable way to measure an individual's ability to communicate using fundamental English, so that score users can confidently:

- Make hiring, promotion and job assignment decisions
- ✓ Ensure students meet English-language programme entrance and exit requirements
- Monitor learning progress, optimise teaching practices and gauge programme effectiveness
- Help develop individuals on the path to advanced English-language proficiency















# **TEST FORMAT** and Content





The TOEIC Bridge® test is designed to assess basic to intermediate English-language communication ability in everyday life and common workplace scenarios.

#### LISTENING



Test takers respond to descriptions, questions, conversations and talks in English. The test consists of 50 questions grouped into 4 parts according to question type:

Part 1: Four Pictures (6 questions)

Part 2: Question-Response (20 questions)

Part 3: Conversations (10 questions)

Part 4: Talks (14 questions)

Total time: Approximately 25 minutes

#### READING



Test takers are asked to complete sentences in written English and answer questions about short informational texts. The test consists of 50 questions grouped into 3 parts

according to question type:

Part 1: Sentence Completion (15 questions)

Part 2: Text Completion (15 questions)

Part 3: Reading Comprehension (20 questions)

Total time: 35 minutes

### Taking the test

The TOEIC Bridge test is offered as an institutional programme.

#### INSTITUTIONAL PROGRAMME:

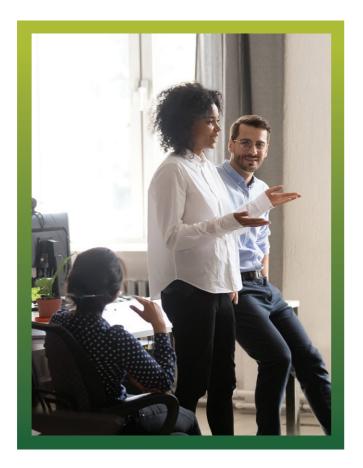
- ✓ Tests are delivered at the organisation's preferred location
- Organisation chooses between computerdelivered or paper-delivered administration options for the listening and reading test
- ✓ Organisation receives test scores for internal use



## RESOURCES TEACHING & LEARNING

The *TOEIC*® programme offers various teaching and learning resources for the redesigned *TOEIC Bridge*® test. These resources support success for test takers and those responsible for English-language teaching and training.





#### **PROPELL® TEACHER WORKSHOPS**

Propell® Teacher Workshops provide English-language teachers and corporate trainers with instructional techniques that help them prepare test takers for the redesigned TOEIC Bridge test. These hands-on, interactive sessions are led by ETS-approved facilitators. They explore different approaches to language training that can improve the real-world English proficiency of learners. Workshop participants have the opportunity to network with peers, enhance their teaching and curriculum development skills, and obtain valuable professional development credentials.

#### **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

Available resources include the redesigned TOEIC Bridge Score User Guides, Examinee Handbooks, and sample tests and questions. These materials provide guidance for all four test modules and are available online at **etsglobal.org** 



For more than 40 years as an industry leader, the TOEIC® 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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