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Frequently Asked Questions.

1. What is Foundation English Test?

Developed by language experts from the British Council, this assessment has been piloted in diverse global markets. It evaluates English proficiency levels ranging from A1 to B1 according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). The test comprehensively assesses all language skills—listening, reading, writing, and speaking—and is administered via computer, incorporating a recorded speaking component.

2. What do I need to register for the test?

- Only a valid passport is accepted. Other identity documents are not accepted.
- A valid email and phone number
- Age requirement 25 to 45 years (according to the requirement of Department of Foreign Employment)

3. What is the registration deadline?

Interested candidates are requested to register and pay for the FET test by 16 July 2024 (01 Shrawan 2081) by 5 pm. We cannot confirm the availability of seats after we reach full capacity.

4. What is the price of the test?

Rs. 5, 000 including VAT.

5. How do I register?

Go to the link <https://www.britishcouncil.org.np/exam/foundation-english-test>
Fill in the Microsoft form and submit. Check your email for registration confirmation.

The details provided in registration form should be same as in your passport because amendment of details is not possible after you receive your registration confirmation email.

6. Payment details:

Test Fee: NPR 5, 000

- Pay at any branch of Nabil Bank or make an online payment.
- Account name: British Council Services Nepal Pvt. Ltd.
- Account number: 1701017501670
- Write your passport number in the remarks section of deposit slip/online transfer.
- Send the scanned copy of deposit slip and a passport to nepalexams@britishcouncil.org.np

You will receive payment confirmation email within 2 working days after the payment is made if you submit all required documents.

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7. I have made the payment, but I have not received payment confirmation email.

You will receive payment confirmation email within 2 working days of making the payment only after you send the scanned copy of deposit slip and passport to nepalexams@britishcouncil.org.np. Do not forget to email scanned or digital copy of deposit slip and passport.

8. What are the refund and transfer policy?

Refunds and transfers are subject to approval. British Council is not liable to refund the test fee if you do not meet the Department of Foreign Employments' selection criteria or in case of unsuccessful application.

9. Does British Council conduct FET preparation classes?

No. We do not give preparation classes but you can learn more about FET from our website <https://www.britishcouncil.org.np/exam/foundation-english-test/format-results>. You can refer to the Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking section of this <https://britishcouncil.org/exam/english/foundation-english-test/resultspage>.

10. Can I give FET test online from my home?

No. British Council conducts FET test in designated venue only in Kathmandu. Test details including test date, time and venue will be shared within two to three working days of payment confirmation.

11. I am currently out of Nepal. Can I give FET test from my current location?

No. FET test is conducted only in Kathmandu for now.

12. What to bring on the test day?

You need to bring a valid passport and stationaries (pen and pencil). Do not carry any valuable belongings with you on the exam day as you will not be allowed to take these items into the exam hall.

13. When will results be published?

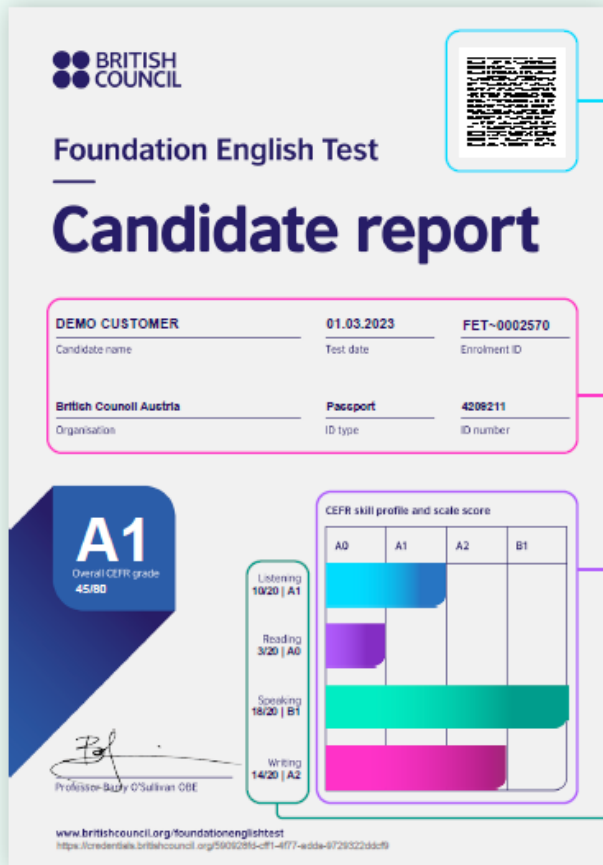
Results will be published within four to seven days after the test and the digital copy of the certificate will be emailed to the specified email address given during the registration. So we encourage test takers to plan for your test accordingly.

14. I have not received my desired score. Can I retake my test?

Yes. You can retake the FET test if you complete registration before the registration deadline.



15. How does the report card look like?



QR code:

The validity of Foundation English Test results can be confirmed by scanning this QR code or by following the link at the bottom left-hand corner of the certificate.

Your details and test information

CEFR skill profile:

Gives CEFR levels for each skill. These can be compared.

Score:

These scores should NOT be compared across skills. This is because benchmarks for each skill are different.