

talkingENGLISH

Cambridge B2 First Exam Training

Trainer: XXX



lesson 9

- Lesson overview
- Practice test 2
- Looking back
- Questions
- Speaking

- Listening
- Reading & Use of English
- Writing
- Homework
- Questions between lessons



Practice test results

- What were your results?
- Have you improved from last time?
- What part(s) need more practice?
- What part(s) did you do well



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What were the difficult parts?

What didn't you understand?

what **QUESTIONS** do you have?



grammar

 What is unclear about the grammar explanations? What don't you understand about the grammar exercises?



Exam overview

Reading and Use of English	1 hour and 15 minutes
Listening	40 minutes
Writing	1 hour and 20 minutes
Speaking	14 minutes

speaking

Personal questions	2 min.
Talking about pictures	4 min.
Talking to your partner using prompts	4 min.
Discussion with partner / interviewer about a similar topic as the prompts	4 min.

14 minutes





exercises from the book



Page 76 - exam task part 2
Extra exercise part 2 - picture descriptions

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Multiple choice short extracts	8 Q	
Sentence completion	10 Q	
Multiple matching	5 Q	
Multiple choice (longer text)	7 Q	40 minutes



listening

exercises from the book



Page 72 - part 4 - multiple choice
Extra listening exercise part 1 - multiple choice short excerpts

reading

use of english

Multiple choice cloze	8 Q
Open cloze	8 Q
Word formation	8 Q
Key word transformation	6 Q
Multiple choice	6 Q
Grapped text	6 Q
Multiple matching	10 Q

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exercises from the book



- Page 73 Part 4 key word transformation
- Page 74 Part 7 multiple matching
- Page 77 Part 3 word formation
- Page 79 Part 4 key word transformation, Part 3 word formation

writing

Essay

Choice of task type:

- Article
- email/letter
- Report
- Review

1 hour 20 minutes





Writing a report

- Give factual information
- Make recommendations
- Use title and headings
- 140 190 words
- Check writing guide page 92





plan out your work first



- Planning ±10 minutes
- Writing ±20 minutes
- Checking ±10 minutes



writing

Analyse the question:

- What is the <u>general topic</u>?
- What is the <u>specific topic</u>.
- What do you have to include in your writing?

What **vocabulary** should you include?

Create **skeleton** plan:

- Introduction (what is your answer?)
- body Topic 1, Topic 2
- conclusion (re-paraphrase the introduction)

What grammatical structures can you use?



homework

- Work through all exercises in Unit 9
- Write the report exam task on page 78; send final version to trainer (email trainer)
- Optional: do practice test 3 on Testbank
- Set up a conversation date with a classmate to practice speaking

Next lesson xxx

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helpful links

- <u>www.cambridge-engels.nl</u>
- <u>https://writeandimprove.com/</u>
- <u>https://www.cambridgeenglish.org/exams-and-tests/first/preparation/</u>
- <u>https://dictionary.cambridge.org/</u>
- <u>https://www.merriam-webster.com/</u>
- Sign up for an exam: <u>https://cambridge-engels.nl/bookexams/</u>





Questions between lessons?

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