

INTRODUCTION TO DUOLINGO ENGLISH TEST

WHAT IS THE DUOLINGO ENGLISH TEST?

The Duolingo English Test is one of the most widely accepted online proficiency tests in the world. It can be taken online, anytime, anywhere, in under an hour, and for only \$49USD. The test includes a proficiency score, video interview, and writing sample. Students require internet access and a webcam to complete the test.

MONASH COLLEGE AND THE DUOLINGO ENGLISH TEST

Monash College has partnered with the Duolingo English Test to continue providing English language proficiency evaluations for students. The evaluation is necessary for Monash English, Monash English Bridging, Foundation Year and Diploma students to complete prior to commencement at Monash College.

Once students complete the evaluation and receive their certified test results, they are able to send them through to Monash University for consideration.

As part of the test, students must complete a recorded speaking and writing component that will be used to form their overall result. Tests that do not include this will not be considered.

TEST DETAILS

TEST TIMINGS	SKILLS AND LANGUAGE ELEMENTS TESTED	REFERENCE SCALE(S) USED
60 MINUTES Quick setup (5 minutes) An introduction that walks you through the test rules and requirements. Adaptive test (45 minutes) A graded section that evaluates your reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills. Video interview (10 minutes) An ungraded section that records your answers to open-ended question.	Integrated skills - Listening, Reading, Writing, Speaking (including a video interview) Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation.	Duolingo / IELTS - Score Equivalents for Entry and Exit Outlined on following page.

WEBSITE

englishtest.duolingo.com/edu

TEST REQUIREMENTS

YOU MUST HAVE



Your passport, drivers license or government ID



A quiet, well-lit room



60 minutes of free time



A reliable internet connection



A computer

YOUR COMPUTER MUST HAVE



A supported browser



A front-facing camera



A microphone



Speakers

REQUIRED ENTRY SCORES

FOUNDATION YEAR

	IELTS	DUOLINGO
Foundation Year Standard	5.5 W 5.5 No band below 5.0	85*
Foundation Year Intensive	6.0 No band below 5.5	105*
Foundation Year Extended	5.0 No band below 5.0	80*

DIPLOMAS

	IELTS	DUOLINGO
Diplomas Part 1 (excluding Diploma of Arts Part 1)	5.5 No band below 5.0	95*
Diplomas Part 1A, Diploma of Arts Part 1 and Diplomas Part 2	6.0 W 6.0	105*

MONASH ENGLISH BRIDGING

ENTRY TO DIPLOMAS PART 1 (EXCEPT DIPLOMA OF ARTS PART 1 Available from May 2020)	
10-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	5.0 (writing 5.0, no band lower than 5.0)
Monash English	Successful completion of Monash English Level 4
TOEFL iBT	40 (writing 15, reading 5, listening 5, speaking 14)
Pearson	36 (writing 36, no other communicative skills below 36)
Duolingo English Test	80*
ENTRY TO DIPLOMA OF ARTS PART 1, AND DIPLOMAS PART 2 (ALL STREAMS)	
20-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	5.0 (writing 5.0, no band lower than 4.5)
Monash English	Successful completion of Monash English Level 4
TOEFL iBT	40 (writing 15, reading 3, listening 3, speaking 13)
Pearson	36, writing 36 (no communicative skills below 32)
Duolingo English Test	80*
15-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	5.5 (writing 5.0, no band lower than 5.0)
Monash English	Successful completion of Monash English Level 5
TOEFL iBT	52 (writing 15, reading 5, listening 5, speaking 14)
Pearson	42 (writing 36, no other communicative skills below 36)
Duolingo English Test	95*
10-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	5.5 (writing 5.5, no band lower than 5.0) 5
Monash English	Successful completion of Monash English Level 5
TOEFL iBT	52 (writing 19, reading 5, listening 5, speaking 14)
Pearson	42 (writing 42, no other communicative skills below 36)
Duolingo English Test	95*

ONLINE PRACTICE TEST

englishtest.duolingo.com/quick

After creating an account, students can access 15-minute practice tests. They can take the practice test multiple times, and each time the questions could be different depending on the students' level or when they take the practice test.

For more information

[READ FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS](#)

[WATCH THIS VIDEO](#)

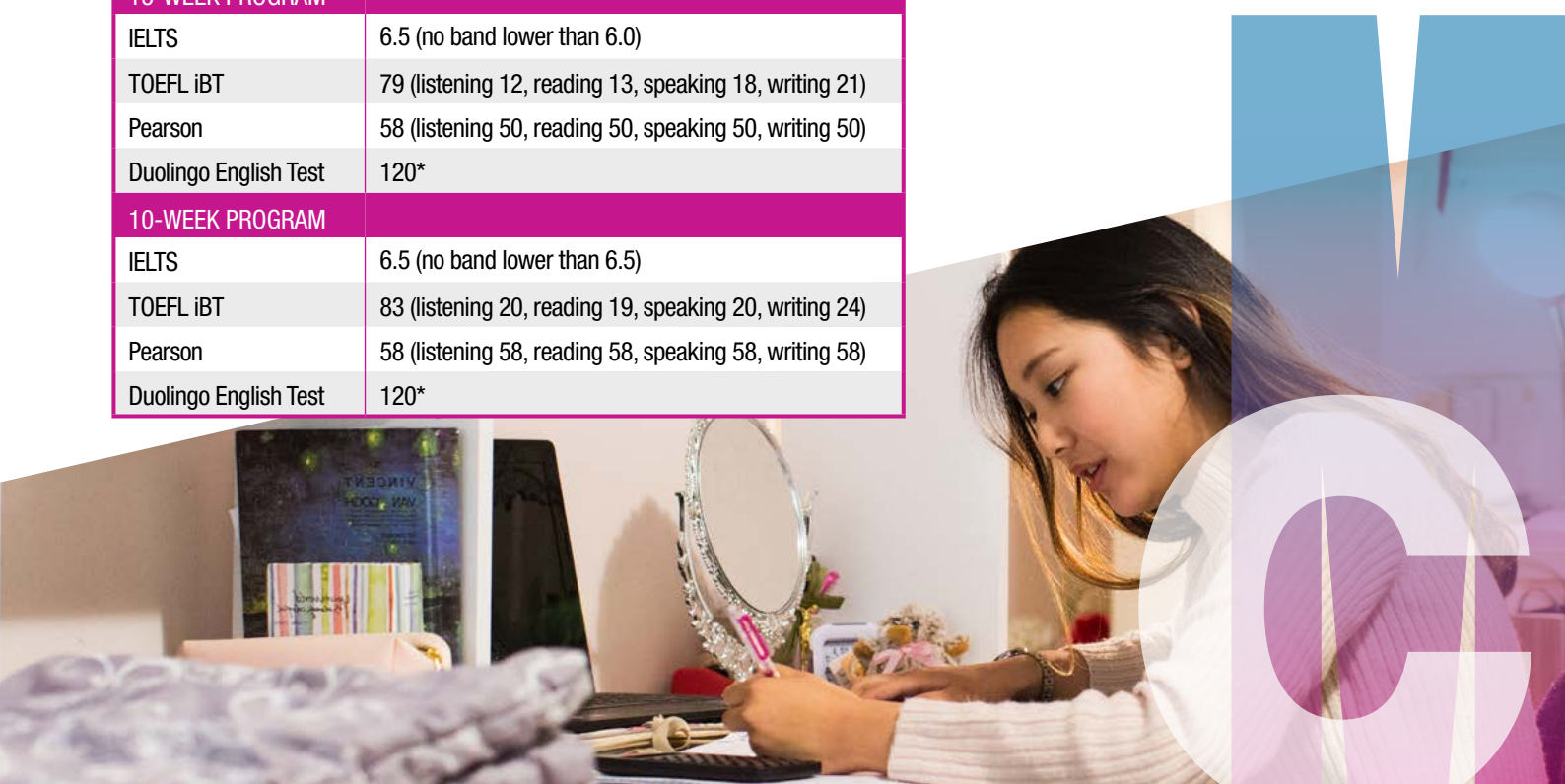
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MONASH ENGLISH BRIDGING FOR UNIVERSITY – STANDARD – COURSES REQUIRING IELTS OF 6.5 (NO BAND LESS THAN 6)

STANDARD (LEVEL A) COURSES REQUIRING AN IELTS OF 6.5 (NO BAND LESS THAN 6.0)	
20-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	5.5 (no band lower than 5.0)
TOEFL iBT	52 (writing 15, speaking 14, listening 5, reading 5)
Pearson	42 (writing 36, speaking 36, listening 36, reading 36)
Duolingo English Test	95*
15-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	6.0 (no band lower than 5.0)
TOEFL iBT	69 (writing 15, speaking 14, listening 5, reading 5)
Pearson	50 (writing 36, speaking 36, listening 36, reading 36)
Duolingo English Test	105*
10-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	6.0 (writing 6.0, no band lower than 5.0)
TOEFL iBT	69 (writing 21, speaking 14, listening 5, reading 5)
Pearson	50 (writing 50, speaking 36, listening 36, reading 36)
Duolingo English Test	105*

ADVANCED (LEVEL B, C AND D) COURSES REQUIRING AN IELTS OF 6.5 OR 7.0 (NO BAND LESS THAN 6.0, 6.5 OR 7.0)	
20-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	6.0 (no band lower than 6.0)
TOEFL iBT	69 (listening 12, reading 13, speaking 18, writing 21)
Pearson	50 (listening 50, reading 50, speaking 50, writing 50)
Duolingo English Test	105*
15-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	6.5 (no band lower than 6.0)
TOEFL iBT	79 (listening 12, reading 13, speaking 18, writing 21)
Pearson	58 (listening 50, reading 50, speaking 50, writing 50)
Duolingo English Test	120*
10-WEEK PROGRAM	
IELTS	6.5 (no band lower than 6.5)
TOEFL iBT	83 (listening 20, reading 19, speaking 20, writing 24)
Pearson	58 (listening 58, reading 58, speaking 58, writing 58)
Duolingo English Test	120*



ADVANCED PLUS (LEVEL E)

COURSES REQUIRING AN IELTS OF 7.0 OR 7.5 (NO BAND LESS THAN 6.5, 7.0 OR 7.5)

20-WEEK PROGRAM

IELTS	6.0 (listening 6.5, reading 6.0, speaking 6.5, writing 6.0)
TOEFL iBT	79 (listening 20, reading 13, speaking 20, writing 21)
Pearson	58 (listening 58, reading 50, speaking 58, writing 50)
Duolingo English Test	120*

10-WEEK PROGRAM

IELTS	7.0 (listening 7.0, reading 6.5, speaking 7.0, writing 6.5)
TOEFL iBT	94 (listening 24, reading 19, speaking 23, writing 24)
Pearson	65 (listening 65, reading 58, speaking 65, writing 58)
Duolingo English Test	130*

MONASH ENGLISH

	IELTS	DUOLINGO
ME3 Pre-Intermediate	4.0 No band below 4.0	55*
ME4 Intermediate	4.5 No band below 4.5	80*
ME5 Upper Intermediate	5.5 No band below 5.0	95*
ME6 Pre-Advanced	5.5 No band below 5.5	105*
ME7 Advanced	6.5 No band below 6.0 OR 6.5 but one or more band scores less than 6.0	120*

*Assessment based on the student's test score plus performance in the long turn answers.

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