



English language concordance table

Table 1

English language skills tests conversion table (overall scores)

IELTS Academic	TOEFL iBT	PTE Academic	LanguageCert Academic* (in-person)	Cambridge C1 Advanced and Cambridge C2 Proficiency*
4.5	43	42	38	-
5.0	52	46	46	-
5.5	62	54	54	162
6	73	60	61	169
6.5	85	64	67	176
7	96	72	73	185
7.5	105	78	81	191
8	112	82	88	200
8.5	117	88	95	205
9	120	90	-	209

English language skills tests (individual scores)

IELTS Academic	TOEFL iBT		PTE Academic [±]	LanguageCert Academic* (in-person)				Cambridge C1 Advanced and Cambridge C2 Proficiency*
	R/L/S/W	R/L/S		W	R	L	S	
4.5	10	12	42	36	35	44	33	-
5.0	12	14	46	44	41	54	45	-
5.5	14	16	54	54	49	62	56	162
6	17	19	60	60	57	70	64	169
6.5	20	22	64	65	62	76	71	176
7	23	25	72	71	67	82	78	185
7.5	25	27	78	77	73	87	84	191
8	27	29	82	83	80	92	89	200
8.5	29	29	88	89	89	98	93	205
9	30	30	90	97	95	99	-	209

*For some degrees, this English proficiency test may not be accepted due to specific external registration/accreditation requirements. Find out the [requirements specific to your course](#).

Table 2

Subject and grade requirements guide for accepted secondary qualifications not undertaken in English

Qualification	Grade requirement
Denmark Studentereksamen	7 in English A or 10 in English B
Finland Upper Secondary School Certificate	8 in English or English A Language
Germany Abitur	3 (6-point scale) or 8 (15-point scale) in Advanced Level English (LF)
Netherlands VWO	8 in Level 6 High School English
Norway Vitnemal	4 in English
Sweden Avgångsbetyg/Slutbetyg	VG or C in English

Note: Nursing Pre-registration degrees are excluded from assessment of English proficiency based on completion of these subjects due to specific external registration/accreditation requirements.

Table 3

Concordance estimates for subjects used within qualifications to provide evidence of English language proficiency

IELTS Overall score	UK A Level English	Singapore-Cambridge A Levels: English Language and Linguistics	HKDSE English Language and Literature in English	STPM Literature (920)	UK A Level Humanities	UK AS Levels English	IB English A – Higher Level	IB English A – Standard Level	IB English B – Higher Level
6.5	B/C	B/C	5	B/C	A/B	A/B	4	5	7
7.0	A	A	5*	A			5	6	
7.5	A*		5**				6	7	
8.0							7		

This table is used to meet English language proficiency requirements ONLY where:

- an applicant has not undertaken the qualification entirely in English; or
- the qualification used as the basis for admission does not come from a country on the University's list of English-speaking countries

Note: Pre-registration nursing degrees are excluded from assessment of English proficiency based on completion of these subjects due to specific external registration/accreditation requirements.