| Section   | Time Limit    | Questions       | Tasks   |
|-----------|---------------|-----------------|---|
| Reading   | 60-80 minutes | 36-56 questions | Read 3 or 4 passages from academic texts and answer questions |
| Listening | 60-90 minutes | 34-51 questions | Listen to lectures, classroom discussions and conversations,  |
| Break     | 10 minutes    |                 |   |
| Speaking  | 20 minutes    | 6 tasks         | Express an opinion on a familiar topic; speak based on        |
| Writing   | 50 minutes    | 2 tasks         | Write essay responses based on reading and listening tasks;   |

The test you take may include extra questions in the Reading or Listening section that do not count toward your score. These are either questions that enable ETS to make test scores comparable across administrations or new questions that help ETS determine how such questions function under actual testing conditions.

Please read the timing instructions for the Reading Section carefully. The instructions will indicate how many passages you will receive and the amount of time you have to respond to questions for those passages. Be sure to pace yourself so that you have time to answer all the questions.

A standard English language (QWERTY) computer keyboard is used for the test. We recommend that you practice typing on a QWERTY keyboard before taking the test.

#### Contact

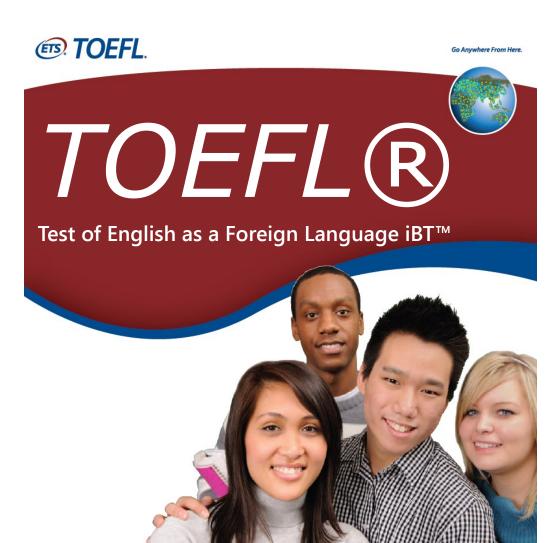
For more information regarding the TOEFL iBT please visit the ETS website: <a href="http://www.ets.org/toefl/">http://www.ets.org/toefl/</a> or contact Monique Rollings at the Division of Examinations.





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The Division of Examinations is an authorized ETS TOEFL iBT test center. The next available day for the TOEFL iBT Test is on 22 November 2013.

#### What Is the TOEFL iBT Test?

TOEFL stands for Test of English as a Foreign Language  $iBT^{\mathbb{M}}$  and measures your ability to use and understand English at the university level. It also evaluates how well you combine your listening, reading, speaking and writing skills to perform academic tasks.

#### Who Takes the TOEFL Test?

More than 27 million people from all over the world have taken the TOEFL test to demonstrate their English-language proficiency. The average English skill level ranges between Intermediate and Advanced.

- Students planning to study at a higher education institution
- English-language learning program admissions and exit
- Scholarship and certification candidates
- English-language learners who want to track their progress
- Students and workers applying for visas

## Who Accepts TOEFL Test Scores?

More than 8,500 colleges, agencies and other institutions in over 130 countries accept TOEFL scores. For more information on how to find institutions that accept TOEFL scores, and more, check the website: http://www.ets.org/toefl/ibt/about/who\_accepts\_scores

## Where and When Can I Take the TOEFL iBT Test?

The TOEFL test has more test dates (more than 50 per year) and locations (4,500 test centers in 165 countries) than any other English-language test in the world. The Division of Examinations is an ETS authorized TOEFL iBT Test center.

You can retake the test as many times as you wish, but you cannot take it more than once in a 12-day period. If you already have a test appointment, you cannot register for another test date that is within 12 days of your existing appointment.

#### What Does the TOEFL iBT Test Cost?

The cost of the test can range from US\$160 to US\$250 and varies between countries. The price for the TOEFL iBT Test on Sint Maarten is \$195.

### **Payment options**

Pay with a credit/debit card: American Express®, Discover®, JCB®, MasterCard® or VISA®. You can also use a PayPal® account, or an electronic check (e-check) if you have a bank account in the United States or its territories.

Payment methods are subject to change without notice.

Payment in cash is not an option.

## **Register Online**

Register 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Be sure to spell your name exactly as it appears on the identification you will bring on test day. See Identification Requirements on http://www.ets.org/toefl/ibt/register/id/.

Registration closes seven days before your test date.

Late registration closes three days before your test date (not including the day of the test) and has a late fee of US\$35

## **TOEFL iBT® Test Content**

The TOEFL iBT® test is given in English and administered via the Internet. There are four sections (listening, reading, speaking and writing) which take a total of about four and a half hours to complete.

# Combining All Four Skills: Listening, Reading, Speaking and Writing

During the test, you are asked to perform tasks that combine more than one skill, such as:

- Read, listen and then speak in response to a question
- Listen and then speak in response to a question
- Read, listen and then write in response to a question