

PLACEMENT TEST BOOKLET
2010

The Placement Test

Dear Student

This booklet is your Buckswood Placement Test. Do not panic, this test is for us to judge your correct level of English so that we can place you in the class that is most suitable to you. This test is also an important part of the registration process (Tier 4) so for those Visa national students coming to Buckswood you should apply as "Child students" (up to 17yrs). All applicants must complete the Buckswood English Language test which should then be faxed or e-mailed to the school for marking by our Head of EFL, Greville Field, who will then inform the client/agent of the level of English. We will then make a judgement as to whether the student will require a "pre-sessional" course prior to his/her National Curriculum course of study.

Part 1 Questionnaire (3 minutes)

Complete 1-5 in the box below giving information about yourself.

Name: **1**

Age: **2**

Nationality: **3**

Length of time learning English: **4**.....

Why are you learning English: **5**.....

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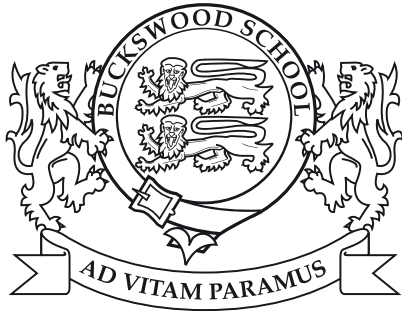
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Writing assessment checklist for Part 1	Yes	No
1 Task understood
2 Content relevant
3 Vocabulary appropriate

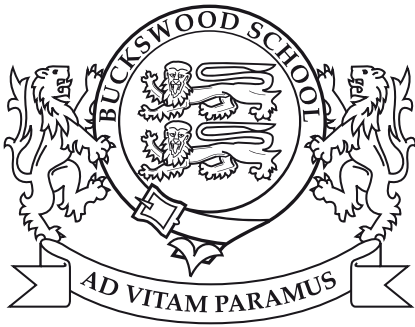


How good is your English?

CEF	CAMBRIDGE	IELTS	IGCSE	TOEFL	BUCKSWOOD LEVEL
C2 Mastery	CPE	8.0+		276+	5
C1 Operational	CAE	7.0	GRADE A OR B	236-275	4
B2 Vantage	FCE	6.0	GRADE C	176-235	3
B1 Threshold	PET	5.0	GRADE D OR E	126-175	2
A2 Waystage	KET	4.0		96-125	1
A1 Breakthrough		<4.0			

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Buckswood School Placement Test results

The following student has sat the Buckswood Placement test. Please see the result below. Buckswood School is accredited by the British Council and ECIS.

Student Name	
Date	

Score

CEF	Cambridge	IELTS	IGCSE	TOEFL	BUCKSWOOD PLACEMENT TEST	Equivalent Score
C2 Mastery	CPE	7.0		276+	5	
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Recommended course of Study

UK curriculum entry to the Junior School (Forms 1-3)	
UK curriculum entry onto a GCSE course	
UK curriculum entry onto the A Level course	
Pre A Level Course	
UK curriculum entry after completing a Pre-sessional British Council approved 12 week Intensive English Language course upon arrival	

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