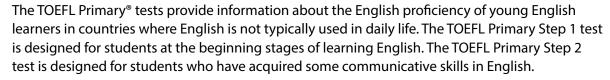


Understanding Reading and Listening Score Reports

About the Tests





The information on the score report indicates the student's current level of English proficiency. This information can be used by teachers and parents to place the student in the appropriate English class, inform English instruction and monitor progress in learning English. TOEFL Primary scores do not predict future scores on other TOEFL® tests.

Levels and Scale Scores

Score reports include both levels and scale scores. Step 1 levels are shown as stars, and Step 2 levels are shown as badges. Proficiency descriptors and recommended next steps for learning are provided for each level. The descriptors and next steps are appropriate for typical students at that level, but may not apply to all students.

Student ability includes skills at that level and levels below.

Scale scores are shown at the bottom of the score report. The scale score range across Step 1 and Step 2 together is 100–115. Scale scores can help show student progress within a level.

On Step 1, students can earn a scale score of 101–109. Step 1 does not assess content in the scale range of 110–115. On Step 2, students can earn a scale score of 104–115. Step 2 does not assess content in the scale range of 101–103.

Students receiving a level of one \footnotemark and a scale score of 100 may be at the very beginning stages of learning English. Students receiving one \footnotemark and a scale score of 100 may receive better information about their proficiency levels by taking Step 1.

CEFR Levels

The Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR) is a widely used tool for understanding different stages of language development and proficiency. The CEFR provides descriptors of language performance across a broad range of tasks that are mostly relevant to adult language learners. CEFR descriptors modified to reflect young language learner ability are used to evaluate TOEFL Primary test content and determine the student's proficiency level according to the CEFR. Large age differences should be kept in mind when comparing CEFR levels across different assessments.

Lexile® Measures

Lexile measures, from MetaMetrics®, help students, teachers and parents select reading material appropriate for a particular student's English reading ability. Lexile measures are based on a developmental scale for measuring both readers and texts.

Recommended Score Validity-One Year

It is recommended that scores not be used beyond one year due to rapid development of English proficiency by younger learners. Scores can be considered valid beyond one year if the student has provided evidence of having maintained the same level of English language learning.

TOEFL Primary Reading Scores

Step 1 Level	Step 2 Level	Lexile	Scale Score	CEFR
Typical students at this level:	Typical students at this level:			
	ଭୃତ୍କର୍ଭର Perform exceptionally well on this test	750L	115	B1
			114	
			113	
	2222	550L	112	
	Understand simple stories and age-appropriate academic texts		111	
			110	A2
xxx	\$\$\$	325L	109	
	Understand simple stories and are beginning to understand age-appropriate		108	
in signs and short messages	academic texts		107	
***		125L	106	A1
Understand short descriptions and find	Understand short descriptions and find		105	
information in signs, forms and schedules	gns, forms and schedules information in signs, messages and stories		104	
***			103	
Begin to understand words and some		BR125L	102	
short descriptions	escriptions		101	Below A1

Students receiving a level of $\mbox{\ensuremath{\protect\belowdex}}$ and a scale score of 100 may be at the very beginning stages of learning English. Students receiving a level of $\mbox{\ensuremath{\protect\belowdex}}$ and a scale score of 100 may receive better information about their proficiency levels by taking Step 1. Score reports with a scale score of 100 show a Lexile measure of BR250L and a CEFR level of Below A1.

TOEFL Primary Listening Scores

Step 1 Level	Step 2 Level	Scale Score	CEFR
Typical students at this level:	Typical students at this level:		
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		114	
		113	
	୍ଦି କ୍ଲି କ୍ଲିକ୍ Understand conversations, simple stories and age-appropriate academic talks	112	
		111	A2
		110	
***		109	
Understand simple descriptions,		108	
instructions, conversations and messages		107	
\$\$\$	7,77	106	
Understand short, simple descriptions,		105	
conversations and messages		104	A1
22		103	
Begin to recognize some familiar words		102	
in speech		101	Below A1

Students receiving a level of $\mbox{\ensuremath{\notlhick}}$ and a scale score of 100 may be at the very beginning stages of learning English. Students receiving a level of $\mbox{\ensuremath{\notholimits}}$ and a scale score of 100 may receive better information about their proficiency levels by taking Step 1. Score reports with a scale score of 100 show a CEFR level of Below A1.