

Supervisor's MANUAL

The TOEFL® ITP Assessment Series

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WHAT THIS MANUAL IS ABOUT

This manual provides specific information about the general procedures and security responsibilities of the *TOEFL® ITP* test administrator, including procedures that administrators must follow before, during, and after each testing session. Critical procedures are outlined to help the administrator carry out these responsibilities smoothly and effectively.

You can help ensure that the test administration is efficient, fair, and secure by following these directions exactly. Test scores will be meaningful only if all administrators follow the same testing procedures and give the same instructions to all test takers.

The procedures outlined in this manual represent the highest standard for secure test administrations. It is extremely important that test takers understand the general test directions. If the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative feels it is appropriate, the general test directions may be translated into the local language, and the test administrator may read the translated directions to the test takers.

As test administrator, you must be primarily concerned with safeguarding all aspects of test security, conducting the test efficiently and quietly, protecting the test takers from disturbance, and ensuring protection of the test materials from loss or unauthorized access. The test administrator is responsible for the security of all tests from the time they are received until they are promptly returned to ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative. This means that no one is to have the opportunity to examine any test book at any time except the test taker taking the test. Also, no one may be permitted to copy or retain copies of the test questions.

Please inform your assistants of the importance of security and see that they enforce all security rules without exception.

If you have any questions prior to or on the day of the test, contact your local ETS TOEFL ITP representative or ETS.

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OVERVIEW OF THE TOEFL® ITP PROGRAM

The TOEFL ITP Assessment Series offers colleges and universities, English language learning programs and other organizations the opportunity to administer a convenient, affordable and reliable assessment of English language skills.

TOEFL ITP tests are paper based and use 100 percent academic content to evaluate the English-language proficiency of nonnative English speakers. All questions are in multiple-choice format with four possible answers per question. The tests evaluate skills in three areas:

- Listening Comprehension measures the ability to understand spoken English as it is used in colleges and universities.
- Structure and Written Expression measures recognition of selected structural and grammatical points in standard written English.
- **Reading Comprehension** measures the ability to read and understand academic reading material.

TOEFL ITP offers two tests — Level 1 (formerly TOEFL ITP) and Level 2 (formerly Pre-TOEFL). The Level 1 test evaluates students' knowledge of English at the intermediate to advanced levels of English language studies. The Level 2 test evaluates students' knowledge of English at the high beginning to intermediate levels. It measures the same language skills as the Level 1 test but is less difficult and requires less testing time. There are minor differences in the question types between Levels 1 and 2.

Test Structure

Level 1

Section	Number of Questions	Administration Time	Score Scale	
Listening Comprehension	50	35 minutes	31-68	
Structure and Written Expression	40	25 minutes	31-68	
Reading Comprehension	50	55 minutes	31-67	
TOTAL	140	115 minutes	310-677	

Level 2

Section	Number of Questions	Administration Time	Score Scale
Listening Comprehension	30	22 minutes	20-50
Structure and Written Expression	25	17 minutes	20-50
Reading and Vocabulary	40	31 minutes	20-50
TOTAL	95	70 minutes	200-500

TIPS FOR PREVENTING SECURITY BREACHES

Test Materials

Never leave test materials unattended.
Distribute and collect test books individually.
Ensure that no test taker leaves the room with test materials.
Ensure that no test taker copies, removes, records or photographs any portion of the test materials.
Impersonation
Check test takers' identification and documents thoroughly at the time they enter the assigned testing rooms and as they return the completed test materials.
\Box Limit the number of test takers permitted to leave the testing room at the same time.
Copying

Never allow test takers to select their own seats.

Randomly assign test takers to specific seats in each testing room.

Seat test takers a minimum of 1.5 meters apart.

Seat all test takers facing the same direction in each room.

Document in writing the test taker seating plan, showing test taker name, seat location, and serial number of test book.

Observe and check answer sheets throughout the testing session to ensure that they are being properly gridded with a No. 2 (soft lead) pencil.

Collecting Answer Sheets

Check the first four letters of the gridded name against the first four letters of the printed name when collecting each answer sheet.

Check test takers' identification documents thoroughly at the time they return the completed test materials.

ACTIVITIES BEFORE TEST DAY

As test administration supervisor, you assume full responsibility for all details of the test administration at your institution. Therefore, you should be thoroughly familiar with the instructions in this manual before the testing session. Uniform procedures are essential in standardized testing; the scores of all individuals tested at institutional administrations will be comparable only if all supervisors adhere to the same schedule and administer the test in the same way. It is important that you follow these instructions to ensure the comparability of the scores; statistical data for interpreting scores are based on results obtained from tests administered according to these directions.

Selecting Your Staff

Types of Assistants

Depending on the number of test takers expected for a particular administration, you may require the help of assistants, either as associate supervisors or room proctors.

All of your assistants must be:

- familiar with the contents of this manual
- reliable and capable of attending to details
- representative of the group being tested
- knowledgeable about testing procedures for individuals with disabilities or health-related needs
- fluent in English

During the testing session, test administration staff must not read (for their own amusement), engage in conversation, correct papers, or perform any other task that is not related to their test administration duties. In addition, they must not examine the contents of any test book unless they are inspecting it for a possible defect reported by a test taker. **Under no circumstances should test administration staff take the TOEFL ITP test during the testing session.**

Associate supervisors are responsible for the test administration in the room(s) assigned to them. In their testing rooms, they perform the same function and bear the same responsibilities as the test administration supervisor. They must read this manual before the day of the test, be thoroughly familiar with all procedures, be of unquestionable integrity, and be mature and able to handle groups of test takers in an effective and friendly manner. Associate supervisors should not be allowed to administer the test to someone they know personally. **Proctors** help with test administration duties but do not administer the test. They may be professional personnel; responsible administrative, secretarial or clerical staff; or graduate students. Although the actual duties of each proctor depend on the type of assistance required, proctors generally assist with or perform the following functions:

- post directional signs in the building where the test will be administered, or direct test takers to their assigned rooms
- check test takers' identification
- seat test takers according to the instructions
- distribute test materials to each test taker
- walk around the testing room frequently to ensure the quality of the audio recording, guard against misconduct, verify that every test taker is working on the appropriate section of the test and make sure that test takers are gridding their answer sheets properly
- collect test materials at the end of the test administration

The number of proctors you will need depends on the number of individuals you plan to test in each room. It is important to have at least two staff members in each room. This allows verification by a second staff member in cases of test booklet discrepancies or suspected cheating. It also assures that should an emergency occur, there is someone to monitor the room while the room supervisor deals with the emergency. Please use the following table to determine the number of proctors you will need.

Test Taker/Proctor Ratios		
Number of Test Takers per Room	Number of Proctors	
1–25	1	
26–50	2	
51–75	3	
76–100	4	

If more than 25 test takers are tested in one room, you will need one proctor for every 25 test takers. You may excuse proctors if you find that you are overstaffed due to test taker absenteeism. Proctors must be assigned to rooms randomly. They should not be assigned to rooms in which they work or which they use on a regular basis.

Training Your Staff

You are responsible for training your staff before the test date to effectively fulfill their test administration duties as prescribed in this manual. You must ensure that they know the specific test administration procedures, are aware of security-related issues, and understand the importance of safeguarding the test materials at all times.

Security of Test Materials

Receiving and Storing Test Materials

ETS and your local ETS TOEFL ITP representative assure all test takers that no one but the test takers themselves will be permitted to open or examine test books. You are responsible for enforcing this rule from the moment you receive the test materials until you return them in accordance with the instructions in the materials sent to you.

To meet this responsibility, you must:

- Have all test materials shipped directly to you or another designated representative.
- Alert your receiving office that the shipment is expected and arrange to have it delivered to you upon receipt.
- Arrange for secure conditions for receiving test materials. Test materials must be securely locked in a container, compartment or area to which only one or two authorized people have access. Verify that the locks on the secure storage area are not on a master key system which would allow a variety of staff, including janitorial, etc., to have access to the materials.

Checking Test Materials

Within 24 hours of receipt, open all boxes or envelopes containing test materials and have two people check the contents for counting or packing errors. Use the Test Materials Tracking Form in this manual to verify that the shipment is complete. If you do not check the test materials within 24 hours of receipt, you may not have sufficient time to resolve problems prior to the test administration. If there is any discrepancy, contact ETS or your local ETS TOEFL ITP representative immediately. After confirming that you have all the necessary materials, reseal the boxes or envelopes with tape, sign your name across the tape and on the boxes or envelopes as added insurance against tampering, and store them in a secure area to which only you or another authorized person have access. Test materials must never be left unattended when they are outside a locked storage area.

Selecting Test Center Facilities

Selecting Testing Rooms

The success of any test administration depends, to a great extent, on the suitability of the test site. It is more difficult for test takers to concentrate on the test if noise, poor lighting, inadequate writing surfaces, extreme temperatures or humidity distracts them. Although certain adverse conditions may be beyond the control of the supervisor on the day of the test, careful planning will minimize the possibility of such distractions. When selecting testing rooms, test supervisors must personally inspect the rooms, choosing the best rooms based on overall suitability. The following suggestions may be helpful in deciding what rooms to use.

Size of Testing Rooms

Using large rooms such as lecture halls and cafeterias to test large numbers of test takers is often more efficient than using small rooms. Therefore, if large rooms are available and there are no administrative problems testing large groups, these rooms are appropriate to use. On the other hand, you may prefer to use small rooms if you think they provide more comfortable conditions for the test takers, allow for better security, or if acoustics in the available large rooms are inadequate. As the test supervisor, the final choice of the testing room(s) is yours. However, whatever room size you choose, the testing rooms must be arranged so that all test takers face the same direction. There must be 1.5 meters between test takers.

Physical Requirements of Testing Rooms

- The temperature and ventilation should be appropriate for the season. Arrange in advance, if possible, for heating or cooling units to be turned on early on testing day.
- Lighting must be adequate for reading and for marking answer sheets. Check lighting conditions in all testing rooms early on the day of the test.
- Each testing room must have a clock, preferably at the front of the room. At regular intervals, post the amount of test time remaining.
- Rest rooms should be located nearby and should be easy to find. Post directional signs if needed. Check the rest rooms before the test for any materials test takers may have stored there. Test takers taking a rest room break must not be allowed to use a telephone.
- The testing rooms should be located in a section of the building least likely to be affected by noise from construction work, parties, sports events, motorcycles, buses or other traffic.

Audio Playback Equipment and Tapes/CDs

The listening part of the TOEFL ITP test requires high fidelity audio playback equipment. Be sure to check the playback equipment before the day of the test to make sure it functions properly. You will need to check the tone, volume and fidelity as well as the acoustics in the room(s) in which the equipment will be used. For each test administration, supervisors must have at least two tapes/CDs for the audio part of the test, in case a tape or CD malfunctions, is damaged by equipment, or is lost. Keep in mind that the audio tapes and CDs are secure test material, just like a test book. Audiotapes and CDs must be counted and verified by a second staff member before being stored after the test. Be careful to check for audio tapes/CDs left in the playback machine.

Test Taker Handbook and Admission Form

Well in advance of the scheduled test date, you should give each person planning to take the test a copy of the Test Taker Handbook and an admission form. The admission form is on the inside back cover of the Handbook; check each Handbook to be certain that the form is attached. Before you distribute the Handbooks, post a notice giving the date, time and place of the test and other instructions. In addition, instruct the test takers to complete their admission forms before reporting to the testing room, and tell them to bring their completed admission form and several sharpened medium-soft (No. 2 or HB) black lead pencils with them on the day of the test. Also, remind them that the use of books, dictionaries, recording or photographic devices, or papers of any kind will not be permitted and that these items should not be brought to the testing room.

Test Takers with Disabilities or Health-related Needs

Every effort must be made to accommodate test takers who require special testing conditions. If a test taker with a disability or health-related need will be taking the TOEFL ITP test at your testing site, please make arrangements in advance for special testing accommodations. If a test taker requires accommodations (for example, extra time, assistance with completing the answer sheet, someone to read the test questions aloud), contact ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative prior to the administration to request specific materials. If a request is a relatively minor one that you can accommodate easily, such as accommodations for a wheelchair, seating near a window for natural lighting, permission to leave the room at intervals in order to eat a snack, you may, at your discretion, accommodate the test taker provided that he or she understands that the test is to be administered under standard conditions and that he or she will be required to adhere to all administrative procedures, requirements, and timing regulations.

ACTIVITIES ON THE DAY OF THE TEST

Supervisors and associate supervisors must read this section carefully before administering the tests. It is also suggested that room proctors read this section.

Test Day Preparations

Humanizing the Test Administration

Humanizing the testing process is important to the success of the administration. You may find the following suggestions helpful.

- Greet the test takers courteously to ease their anxiety. Your words and behavior show the test takers that they are welcome and that you are there to help them. Stress the importance of this attitude with your staff.
- Make testing staff visible. Have them wear badges, name tags, caps, ties or other identification that will enable test takers who are lost, confused or in need of assistance to find them easily.
- Post directional signs for the testing room(s) and rest rooms before test takers arrive. In addition, if your testing site is large, post directional signs at strategic locations on the grounds to direct test takers to the proper building(s).
- Treat all test takers equally. Test takers may be nervous or sensitive during this important examination. You will want to make certain that none of your procedures makes one test taker feel different from any other.
- Tolerate some nervous noise before the test starts. Many people under stress relieve their anxiety through talk and movement.
- Be patient in responding to questions before the test begins. Most questions are sincere. As long as test takers confine their questions to the mechanics of testing, do your best to answer them.
- Be prompt and sympathetic in responding to a question or procedure during the test. A test taker who raises a hand and whispers a request for additional help in understanding test procedures should receive your courteous, unobtrusive attention if he or she clearly needs it.
- Be reasonable about requests to leave the room.
- Isolate anyone who is suspected of cheating or disturbing others. This should be done without disrupting the testing session or the other test takers. Treat him or her reasonably and firmly, as described later in this manual, and carry on with the test in your usual way.

Materials Checklist

Be sure you have enough of the following testing materials:

- □ This manual
- Test books
- □ Answer sheets
- Audio cassettes or CDs (verify that the test form designation on the tape is the same as on the test books)
- Code lists (Native Country and Native Language Codes are in the Test Taker Handbook)
- □ Supervisor's Report Form
- □ Supervisor's Comment Sheet
- □ Violations Notice
- Pencils and erasers

Inside the Testing Room

Set up the tape/CD player with speakers located in the appropriate places and test the equipment in the testing room. Run the tape/CD to the beginning of the voice segment.

Equipment/Facilities Checklist

Check:

- □ Lighting
- □ Room temperature
- □ Room ventilation
- $\hfill\square$ Location of outlets
- □ Audio recording equipment
- $\hfill\square$ Distribution of tables/desks and chairs
- □ Location of blackboard
- □ Location of clock
- \Box Rest rooms for concealed materials

Problematic Conditions

If a last-minute change in testing rooms becomes necessary, station a proctor at the original location to direct test takers to the new location. Before testing begins, if you are aware of a potential noise problem (bands playing, heating systems banging, cheering at a sports event, scheduled maintenance or repair work, etc.), move the administration to another building or to another room, if possible. In other situations, wherever practical, ask people outside the testing room to leave the area or talk more quietly. Even if it is impossible to totally avoid the noise, a few words from you will let the test takers know that you are aware of the problem and have made an effort on their behalf.

Test Center Procedures and Regulations

Visitors

Except for observers authorized by ETS and/or your local ETS TOEFL ITP representative, visitors are not permitted to enter the room while testing is in progress. If a member of the facility staff or maintenance worker requires access during testing, check his/her identification and have a proctor accompany the person the entire time he or she is in the testing room.

Conduct and Prohibited Materials

Testing aids — While taking a test, test takers may have nothing on their desks except their test books, answer sheets, pencils and erasers. Test takers are not allowed to use books, papers or aids of any kind during an examination. Prohibited materials include, but are not limited to, dictionaries, calculators, cell phones, personal computing devices, slide rules, rulers and magnifying devices. Before the test takers are admitted to the testing room and after they are seated, the test administrator must thoroughly scan the room for any prohibited materials. See Test Taker Misconduct and Dismissal below for procedures to follow if test takers are caught using aids in the testing room. Before taking any action, be sure the test taker has fully understood the instructions prohibiting the use of aids.

Scratch paper — notes may NOT be made in the test books or on the answer sheets. Test takers may not remove pages from their test books for any purpose.

Illegal recordings — you must also be alert for any attempt to record audio portions of the examination. People with recording equipment, whatever their purpose, must not be allowed to remain near the testing area. A proctor must periodically check the hallways around the testing room to be certain no unauthorized persons are lingering in the area. Because of the risk of test takers recording the examination, require all test takers to leave coats, backpacks, briefcases, pagers, cell phones and other belongings in a designated area of the testing room, away from the test taker seats. Be on the lookout for electronic devices of any kind.

Smoking, eating and drinking are not permitted. This applies to staff members as well as test takers.

Test taker misconduct and dismissal — because of the need to maintain order as well as security at the test center, you have the authority to dismiss a test taker for misconduct. If a test taker's behavior during testing has the potential to prevent others from doing their best work, warn the test taker that he or she will be dismissed if the disruptive behavior continues. In certain cases you may be reluctant to dismiss a test taker for fear of embarrassment, further disturbing other test takers, or physical reprisal. You should dismiss when warranted, but use your best judgment in handling each situation. You can also have the test taker sign a Violations Notice (see sample in Appendix C) to acknowledge that he or she has been warned. Be sure to describe such incidents in detail on the Supervisor Report Form.

Warn a test taker who:

- Gives or receives assistance of any kind
- Uses a prohibited aid
- Disturbs other test takers
- Looks through the test book before the start of the test
- Looks at the wrong test section
- Removes a page or any part of a page from the test book
- Works longer than permitted for the test
- Refuses to adhere to any other testing regulation

If the test taker does not heed your warning, dismissal is warranted. Collect the test taker's test materials and dismiss him or her from the room. Advise the test taker only that failure to adhere to testing procedures after receiving a warning has made your action necessary, and that you are required to report the matter to ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative. Provide full information regarding the incident and the action taken by you or your staff on the Supervisor's Irregularity Report form. When you return the report, attach the test taker's test book and answer sheet.

Admission Procedures

Institutional Administration

You are to administer ITP tests only to applicants/ students enrolled at your institution. Do not admit anyone who does not have the recommended photobearing identification document, unless they are known to you personally. (See "Identification Documents.") Each test taker should present a completed admission form. As you admit test takers to the testing room, inspect their admission forms. Both parts of the form must be completed. Do not accept any admission form that has not been signed by the test taker in the examination record section of the form. Remove the examination records from the forms and place them where the test takers will not have access to them. Return the top parts of the admission forms to the test takers. They will need them when they are asked to complete the test taker identification section of the answer sheet. You must retain the examination record

part of each admission form. The forms may be used for comparison with the signatures on the answer sheets as well as with the signatures on student records at the institution. The forms also provide addresses for mailing the test takers copies of the score records. It is the responsibility of the institution to make sure that each test taker receives a copy of his or her score record; ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative will mail the test results, including test taker score records, only to the institution administering the test. As you admit each test taker to the testing site, check his or her identification against the test taker roster. Compare the test taker to the photograph on his or her identification document.

Public Administration

You and your staff must ask for ID (See "Identification") from every test taker on the day of the test. Each test taker must present a completed admission form. As you admit test takers to the testing room, inspect their admission forms. Both parts of the form must be completed. Do not accept any admission form that has not been signed by the test taker in the examination record section of the form. Remove the examination records from the forms and place them where the test takers will not have access to them. Return the top parts of the admission forms to the test takers. They will need them when they are asked to complete the test taker identification section of the answer sheet. You must retain the examination record part of each admission form. The forms may be used for comparison with the signatures on the answer sheets as well as with the signatures on student records at the institution. The forms also provide addresses for mailing the test takers copies of the score records. As you admit each test taker to the testing site, check his or her identification against the test taker roster. Compare the test taker to the photograph on his or her identification document.

Identification

All test takers are required to present valid and acceptable identification each time they report to a test center. Staff alertness and careful checking of the test takers' identification documents should help to prevent an individual from succeeding with an attempt to test for someone else. It is the test taker's responsibility to ensure that their ID documents are up-to-date and available on the day of the test.

When ID documents are presented, they must be examined carefully by the staff member responsible for admitting the test takers. In addition to checking the name on the ID against the admission document, the staff member must also check the photograph against the presenter.

ID Document Requirements

Acceptable identification (ID) documents vary according to the location of the test administration. Therefore, you should use your best judgment regarding the authenticity of the ID documents presented by individuals who are not known to you personally. However, it is recommended that you adhere to the following guidelines. Each ID document must:

- be an **original** document; photocopied documents are not acceptable
- be **valid**; expired documents (bearing expiration dates that have passed) are not acceptable
- bear the test taker's **full name** *exactly* as it appears on the admission ticket
- bear a recent photograph that clearly matches the test taker
- bear the test taker's signature

Acceptable Primary ID Documents

The following ID documents are recommended for admission to a test center within the test taker's country of citizenship:

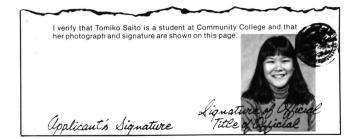
- Passport with photograph and signature
- Government-issued driver's license with photograph and signature
- State or province ID card, including those issued by motor vehicle agencies
- National ID card
- Military ID card

Supplemental ID Documents

If a test taker's primary ID does not bear the test taker's full name, photograph, and signature, or if the supervisor has any concern about the primary ID, the test taker must also present a supplemental ID in addition to the primary ID.

The following ID documents are generally acceptable as supplemental ID:

- Government-issued ID card, including, but not limited to, those listed under Primary ID Documents. There are exceptions.
- Student ID card.
- Confirmation of Identity letter from the test taker's educational institution. This letter must be typed or printed on the original letterhead of the educational institution the test taker attends(ed) and, in addition to meeting all of the ID Requirements, must include date of birth and the date issued. Additionally, a school official's signature and the school seal must be present and both must overlap the test taker's photograph. Such letters are valid for only one year from the date issued. An official letter presented as an identification document must look like this:



Unacceptable ID Documents

The following documents are *not* acceptable as primary or supplemental ID under any circumstances:

- Any document that is photocopied or expired
- Any document that does not bear the test taker's last name exactly as it appears on the admission ticket
- International driver's license
- Draft classification card
- International student ID
- Credit/debit card of any kind
- Notary-prepared letter or document
- Birth certificate
- Any temporary ID card
- Employee ID card
- Diplomatic, consulate or embassy ID card

Seating Procedures

When you assign seats to test takers as they enter the testing room, please observe the following important rules.

- You and your assistants must have unimpeded access to every test taker.
- To prevent copying, test takers must be seated so that they cannot look at their neighbors' responses or exchange information.
- To avoid cheating, direct test takers to their seats. Do not allow them to select their own seats.
- Test takers must be randomly assigned to specific seats as they enter the testing room. This should separate friends who have arrived at the test center together and prevent them from communicating for any purpose during the test.
- Seating the test takers in approximate alphabetical order is another method that may be used to separate friends or associates. However, if you use this method, make certain that test takers with the same family name are not seated next to each other.
- Regular seating patterns that could be anticipated and circumvented by the test takers (such as asking test takers to sit on alternate sides of the room as they are admitted) are not acceptable.
- Left-handed test takers should be seated in a separate row or in the last seat of each row of right-

handed test takers. If you cannot avoid using chairs with right-hand tablet arms, seat left-handed test takers with a vacant chair to their left for use as a writing surface.

- Test takers must face the same direction in any level seating arrangement and must be separated on each side by a minimum of 1.5 meters.
- In an inclined seating arrangement such as in an auditorium, there must be a 1.5 meter separation in front of and behind each row of test takers as well. See Test Taker Seating Plan below.

Test Taker Seating Plan

A test taker seating plan must be completed and returned with the test materials. The plan must show a map of the seating arrangements indicating the name, location, and test book serial number of each test taker.

SEATING PLANS: @ = ONE EXAMINEE All examinees must face in the same direction.			
Plan IA: level seating Plan IB: level seating Plan II: inclined seating			
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Plan III: tables			
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2m or less More than 4m			

Krista Abernathy Seat 1A 123456	Gayle Boston Seat 2A 123457	Karen Cox Seat 3A 123458
Susan David Seat 1B 123459	Rex Egland Seat 2B 123460	Heather Franks Seat 3B 123461
Sean Grant Seat 1C 123462	Melissa Hect Seat 2C 123463	Elizabeth Jones Seat 3C 123464
Barbara Kraft Seat 1D 123465	Gina Long Seat 2D 123466	Trina Michaels Seat 3D 123467
Maurice Nova Seat 1E 123468	Rhonda Orlando Seat 2E 123469	No Show

Closing the Testing Room

At the designated time for the testing session to begin, and after all test takers present have been seated, close the doors to the examination room and begin the testing instructions. Any test takers arriving late may be admitted at your discretion up until the test itself begins. Be certain the late test taker has an opportunity to read and understand any directions, has time to properly grid the test taker information section of the answer sheet, and describe the late admission on the Supervisor Report Form.

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ACTIVITIES DURING THE TEST

Distributing and Accounting for Test Materials

Distributing Answer Sheets

After all test takers have been admitted and seated and you are ready to begin, be sure the test takers have only their admission document and pencils on their desks before you distribute the answer sheets.

Instructions for gridding the answer sheet are given before the actual test begins. "Grids" are sets of circles on the answer sheet that test takers fill in to enter information about themselves and to record their answers to the test questions. They must completely fill in the intended circles with dark marks so the letters inside the circles cannot be seen. Light or partial marks may not be scored properly, and, if the required information is not gridded accurately, an individual's score record may not be accurate. It is important that test takers fully understand how to grid the answer sheet. Supervisors and room proctors should carefully monitor this activity to ensure that test takers are using only medium-soft lead pencils and are gridding the answer sheets correctly.

Please note the examples that follow: make sure test takers fill in the circles the CORRECT way.

CORRECT	WRONG	WRONG	WRONG	WRONG
A B 🔵 D	A B 🛯 🗩 🛛	ABXD	A B 🖸 D	A B 🖲 D

See the sample answer sheet on page 28 to become familiar with the information students will enter on their answer sheets. After the test takers have filled in the identification portion of the answer sheets, they will be told to put their admission documents away.

Distributing Test Books

Hand a test book and answer sheet directly to each test taker. Give them to test takers one at a time, in seating order, as you go along a row. Distribute test books in serial number order. Distributing and collecting test books in the same order within each testing room will facilitate accounting for all test materials and enable you to document the seating arrangement(s). If more than one testing room is used, keep a record of the test books (number, test form, serial number, etc.) issued to each supervisor.

Test takers must not be asked or allowed to pass test materials to other test takers when you distribute

or collect test materials. Test materials must not be distributed until all test takers have been seated and the doors to the testing room have been closed. Only the test taker may break the seal on a test book, and only when told to do so by the supervisor.

Maintaining Security

While you are giving test takers preliminary instructions, one of your proctors must account for all test books. To do so, the proctor adds the number of test takers present, the number of unused test books, and the number of defective books (if any); together they must equal the number of books you received from ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative.

If there is a discrepancy, inform the test takers that one of them was given an extra test book and request that it be returned. When the book is handed in, proceed with your instructions. Record the circumstances on the Supervisor's Irregularity Report (Appendix C).

If the book is not handed in, start the test, place the room in a proctor's charge, and report the circumstances to ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative. If you cannot reach ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative, ensure the accuracy of your detailed seating chart for position, name, and test book serial number of each test taker in the room.

To prevent attempts to copy or remove pages from test books, have each proctor monitor a designated area in the testing room.

You are responsible for returning all test books; therefore, you must account for every test book. You may find it helpful to use the Supervisor's Report Form (Appendix C).

Posting the Time

If the testing room does not have a clock that is clearly visible to all test takers, post the amount of time remaining at regular intervals throughout the testing session.

Test takers must be given the prescribed amount of time to work on each section of the test. Follow the timing instructions on page 18. If you do not do so, comparison of scores obtained by test takers at your institution with scores obtained by *TOEFL ITP* test takers at standard administrations will not be meaningful.

Test Taker Comments

Test takers are always encouraged to express concerns, complaints or questions to ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative office about the test administration or the actual test questions. If during the test administration a test taker has a complaint about a test question, ask the test taker to continue with the test and report the complaint on a Test Taker Comment Form. Allow time at the conclusion of the examination, after test books have been collected, for the test taker to fill out the form. Complaints about the test administration, including the conditions under which a test was taken, can often be prevented by careful planning and preparation, training of test administration staff, and adherence to instructions.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADMINISTERING THE TESTS

The directions for completing the identification portion of the answer sheet are identical for both ITP tests. The timing of the two tests is different; therefore, the directions for the **actual tests** are given separately for each test. Supervisors must read aloud to the test takers all directions printed in **boldface** type, pausing where four dots appear to allow time for the procedure described to be carried out. The directions should be read slowly, and they may be repeated if necessary. However, do not depart from these directions or answer any questions about the content of either test. When everyone has been admitted and seated according to your prearranged seating plan, say:

Remove everything from your desk except your admission form, pencils, and erasers. Place all other materials where they cannot be seen.... In a moment you will be given an answer sheet. You must use a pencil with medium-soft black lead to mark your answer sheet; pens, colored pencils, or liquid lead are not permitted. It is not possible to score your answer sheet if you use a pen. DO NOT WRITE ANYTHING ON THE ANSWER SHEET UNTIL I TELL YOU TO DO SO.

Distribute one answer sheet to each test taker individually. A sample answer sheet is shown on page 28 for your convenience when reading the following instructions. When everyone has an answer sheet, say:

When I tell you to do so, you can begin writing in the area labeled "Name." When you are ready, look at me. . . . Look at area 1 on your answer sheet, "Name." Print your name in the boxes exactly the same way you printed it on your admission form. Beneath each box in which you put a letter, fill in the circle that contains the same letter. Each circle you fill in must correspond to the letter you printed in the box above. Your name will appear on your score record that is sent to this institution after the administration exactly as you mark it on your answer sheet. Be sure each of your marks is dark enough to completely cover the letter within the circle. You must not be able to see the letter. If you make a mistake, erase the mistake completely. Do not make any extra marks on your answer sheet. After you have filled in the appropriate circles beneath your name, look up from your desk....

If test takers at your institution have been assigned numbers that you wish to have reported on the score roster you receive from ETS, read the directions for area 2. If you are not using student numbers, go on to the directions for area 3. Refer to Appendix B for the Background Questionnaire to complete area 9. Read the questions and responses exactly as they appear on the questionnaire.

In area 2, copy your student number from your admission form. In the column beneath each number you copied, fill in the circle that contains the same number. Mark zeros just as you mark other numbers. . . . In area 3, "Date of Birth," copy the numbers of your birth date from your admission form in the boxes at the top of the group of columns. Then, beneath each box, fill in the circle that contains the same number.... In the boxes at the top of areas 4 and 5, copy from your admission form the code numbers for your native country and native language. Then, below each box, fill in the circle containing the same number. . . . In area 6, "Sex," fill in the appropriate circle. . . . In area 7, fill in the circle that corresponds with the test you are taking today, Level 1 or Level 2.... In area 8, print the name of the institution.... Area 9 is marked "Background Questionnaire Responses." The questionnaire asks about your educational, English language, and TOEFL ITP experience. The responses enable the TOEFL Program to learn more about the people who take the test and the factors that affect TOEFL ITP scores and improvement in English ability. You are encouraged to answer all of the questions. Your responses to the questionnaire are kept confidential and do not in any way affect your TOEFL ITP scores. In section 9 of the answer sheet, questions 1-4, you are to fill in the circle that corresponds to the same question and answer choice of the background questionnaire. If you have any questions about any of the questions or answer choices, raise your hand.... In area 10, enter today's date and, on the lines below the date, WRITE, do not print, the statement you see there. Then sign your name as you would sign a letter or other important document. When you have finished, look up from your desk....I am now going to give out the test books. When you get your book, read the directions on the back cover. Do not break the seal until I tell you to do so.

Open the sealed bags containing test books and give one test book to each test taker individually. Do not ask test takers to assist you. When you have finished, say:

After you have read the directions, look up from your desk....

When everyone is ready, say:

On the front of your test book, in the box provided at the top, print with a pencil your full name, with your family or surname first, exactly as you did on your answer sheet. Then look up from your desk. DO NOT BREAK THE SEAL ON YOUR TEST BOOK....Look at the number printed in the upper right-hand part of your test book. This is the test book number. Copy this number in the "Test Book Number" box on your answer sheet.... In the next box, "Test Form," copy the letters and numbers exactly as they appear after the word "Form" on the front cover of your test book.... If you have any questions, raise your hand.... Remember, do not open the test book. You will be instructed to open your test book when I start the recording.

After you have answered any questions and the test takers are ready, continue with the directions.

Now remove your admission form from your desk.... You may have only your test book, answer sheet, pencils, and erasers on your desk during the test. Note paper may not be used. You are not allowed to mark your answers in the test book, and you must not make any notes in your test book or on the answer sheet. You will receive credit only for answers marked in the proper places on your answer sheet. Remember, be sure all your marks are dark enough to completely cover the letters within the circles. You must not be able to see the letters. If you make a mistake, erase the mistake completely. Try to answer every question, but do not be concerned if you cannot answer all of them. There is no penalty for guessing. If you are not sure of the correct answer to a question, make the best guess you can and go on to the next question. The test is divided into three sections. You may not omit any part or section. Each section has a different time limit. Remember, during the time allowed for each section, you must work only on that section. You must not go back to a section you have already worked on, and you must not start the next section until you are told to do so. It is an act of cheating if you work on a section other than the one you are instructed to work on. If you fail to follow these instructions you will be required to turn in your test materials, and your answer sheet will not be scored. Even if you finish a part or section before time is called, you must stay in your seat. There will be no rest break before the end of the test. When you have finished the entire test, stay in your seat until all the test materials have been collected and accounted for and you are dismissed. You are not to read aloud or talk once the test has begun, and you may not ask any questions. If you find something wrong with your test book or answer sheet during the test, raise your hand.

Answer any questions test takers may have about procedures; then proceed.

The first section of the test is Listening Comprehension. All the directions for this section are given on the recording you will hear in a moment. I will begin the recording now.

Start the recording. If you are using a cassette, the entire section is on one side; the cassette will not have to be turned over. Make any necessary adjustments or seating changes after the completion of the introductory statements on the recording. These statements may be replayed if necessary. It is very important that you make any necessary adjustments at this time so all students can hear the recording clearly. Supervisors and room proctors should walk around the room as soon as test takers begin working on Section 1 (and at the beginning of Sections 2 and 3) to be sure everyone is working on the correct section and marking the answers in the appropriate areas on the answer sheet. Section numbers are printed at the top of each page of the test book to distinguish the sections and to help supervisors and proctors ensure that everyone is working on the same section. For Level 1, Section 1 numbers are printed in squares, Section 2 numbers are in circles, and Section 3 numbers are in triangles. For Level 2, the numbers at the top of each page for Section 1 are printed on a gray band, the numbers for Section 2 are printed in black, and the numbers for Section 3 appear as white numbers in a solid black band. During the time allowed for each section of the test, test takers must work on that section only.

At the conclusion of Part C, Section 1, you will hear the speaker say "end of recording." The timing for Section 1 may vary by several minutes from test to test depending on the length of the recording. Section 2 should be started as soon as the recording for Section 1 is completed. It is very important that the specified timing be followed exactly for Sections 2 and 3. Please be sure that you are following the timing for the test you are administering — Level 1 or Level 2. The instructions that follow are arranged in two columns for your convenience. The heading of each column identifies the correct set of instructions for each test.

Turn off the recording and say:

For Level 2

Stop work on Section 1. During the next 17 minutes you may work only on Section 2. You may not read or work on any other section during this time. Turn to Section 2 in your test book. The number 2 is printed across the top of each page in this section. Now read the directions for Section 2 and begin work.

Immediately set your watch for the exact reset watch time of 10:00.

When it reads 10:17, say:

— At 10:17 —

Stop work on Section 2. You will have 31 minutes to work on Section 3 only. You may not read or work on any other section during this time. Turn to Section 3 in your test book. The number 3 appears across the top of each page. Now read the directions for Section 3 and begin work.

Immediately set your watch to the exact reset watch time of 10:30.

When it reads 10:56, announce:

— At 10:56 —

You will have 5 minutes to complete this test.

When your watch reads 11:01, say:

— At 11:01 —

Stop work and put your pencil down. You may not make any more marks on your answer sheet. If you do, it will be considered cheating. Close your test book and keep it closed. Do not put your answer sheet inside the test book. Place your identification document on your desk. I must check your identification document to see that the name on your document matches the gridding of your name on the answer sheet. I am going to collect the test books first and then the answer sheets. No one may leave the room until all materials have been collected and counted. You must remain in your seat and you may not talk until you are dismissed. For Level 1

Stop work on Section 1. During the next 25 minutes you may work only on Section 2. You may not read or work on any other section during this time. Turn to Section 2 in your test book. The number 2 is printed across the top of each page in this section. Now read the directions for Section 2 and begin work.

Immediately set your watch for the exact reset watch time of 10:00.

When it reads 10:25, say:

— At 10:25 —

Stop work on Section 2. You will have 55 minutes to work on Section 3 only. You may not read or work on any other section during this time. Turn to Section 3 in your test book. The number 3 appears across the top of each page. Now read the directions for Section 3 and begin work.

Immediately set your watch to the exact reset watch time of 10:25.

When it reads 11:15, announce:

— At 11:15 —

You will have 5 minutes to complete this test.

When your watch reads 11:20, say:

— At 11:20 —

Stop work and put your pencil down. You may not make any more marks on your answer sheet. If you do, it will be considered cheating. Close your test book, and keep it closed. Do not put your answer sheet inside the test book. Place your identification document on your desk. I must check your identification document to see that the name on your document matches the gridding of your name on the answer sheet. I am going to collect the test books first and then the answer sheets. No one may leave the room until all materials have been collected and counted. You must remain in your seat and you may not talk until you are dismissed.

ACTIVITIES AFTER THE TEST

Collecting Test Materials and Dismissing Test Takers

When the test is over, do the following:

- Ask test takers to take out their ID documents again. Collect the test books individually from each test taker in the same order in which you handed them out.
- As you pick up the answer sheets, check the test takers' ID documents against what has been entered on the answer sheets. This ensures your receiving a single answer sheet from each test taker. DO NOT have answer sheets passed to you along rows.
- Handle answer sheets carefully. Keep them flat and do not damage the edges. Do not attach paper clips to them or staple anything to them.
- Once you are certain you have all the test booklets, collect and count the answer sheets in the same manner. Then collect any Test Taker Comment Forms.
- Next, to ensure test book security, count the test books. Make sure test takers have not left their answer sheets inside the books.
- When all of the test books, answer sheets, and audio tapes or CDs (used, unused and defective) have been accounted for and verified by a second staff member, place them where they will not be accessible to test takers. In particular, do not leave test books near the exits that test takers will use or where test site maintenance or cleaning staff can have access to them. Test takers are not permitted to examine any test materials after they have been collected.
- Thank the test takers for their cooperation.
- Dismiss the test takers.
- Protect all test materials as the test takers leave the room.

After you have dismissed the test takers at the end of the testing session and put the test materials in a safe place, make a final check of all testing rooms to be certain nothing has been left behind.

Supervisor's Report Form

A completed Supervisor's Report Form (see Appendix C) must be returned with the answer sheets. The front side of the form provides spaces for recording quantities of test materials received, used, unused, and returned; the reverse side may be used for reporting irregularities and for making comments and/or suggestions about the test or the testing program. Be sure that the number of used answer sheets being returned is the same as the number of examination record forms (lower part of the admission form) you collected as test takers were admitted to the testing room, plus any defective answer sheets. The number of used and unused test books being returned must equal the number of test books you received.

Returning Materials

To prevent any delays or errors in returning materials, please adhere strictly to the following instructions. We suggest you use the checklists to be certain everything necessary has been done. Return the test materials listed to ETS or the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative via a traceable carrier, within the predetermined time frame after the testing session.

Return these materials in the boxes or envelopes provided. Follow the Test Material Return Instructions on page 20. If you use more than one envelope or box, please mark each piece in sequence, for example "1 of 2," "2 of 2."

Special Instructions

- Keep answer sheets and test books from test takers who had requested special accommodations separate from other test materials.
- Hand scoring materials must be returned with the used answer sheets (US only).

Test Material Return Instructions

Institutions in the United States

Returning Answer Sheets and Forms	Returning Test Books and Audio Materials
<u>Checklist</u>	Checklist
Used and unused answer sheets	Used and unused test books
 Completed Supervisor Report Form and Comment Sheet 	Audio materials
Supervisor's Irregularity Report (if applicable)	
Defective test books (if applicable)	
Violation Notices (if applicable)	
Hand-scoring Materials (US only)	
Return the test materials to the following address via UPS 2-Day label:	Return the test materials to the following address via UPS Ground label:
Educational Testing Service	TB Returns
ATTN: ITP Room Q221	200 Ludlow Drive
1425 Lower Ferry Road	Ewing, NJ 08638
Ewing, NJ 08618	
	Please keep your copies of the shipping receipts for at least 3 months.
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Institutions in All Other Countries

Return the boxes or envelopes to the local ETS TOEFL ITP representative from whom you ordered the materials or to ETS by using the Shipping box or envelope provided.

Returning Answer Sheets and Forms	Returning Test Books and Audio Materials
<u>Checklist</u>	<u>Checklist</u>
Used and unused answer sheets	Used and unused test books
Completed Supervisor Report Form and Comment Sheet	Audio materials
Supervisor's Irregularity Report (if applicable)	
Defective test books (if applicable)	
Violation Notices (if applicable)	
Return the test materials to the following address via UPS Express Waybill:	Return the test materials to the following address via UPS Express Waybill:
Educational Testing Service	TB Returns
ATTN: ITP Room Q221	200 Ludlow Drive
1425 Lower Ferry Road	Ewing, NJ 08638
Ewing, NJ 08618	
	Please keep your copies of the shipping receipts for at least 3 months.

If your label or waybill is missing, contact UPS. If a courier is unavailable, ship your materials registered first-class (surface) mail. Please include your institution name and complete shipping address, including a contact name and phone number.

APPENDIX A

Irregularities and Exceptional Situations

Reporting Irregularities

No manual can deal with all situations that might arise during testing. From time to time, questions or emergencies may occur that are not adequately addressed in this manual. ETS and your local TOEFL ITP representative rely on you, as the person responsible for all aspects of the administration, to handle any emergency or exceptional situation at your test center. ETS and your local TOEFL ITP representative will support your actions if they are consistent with established ETS policies and procedures. There may be times, however, when you will have to go beyond established policies and procedures to deal with particular problems. ETS and your local TOEFL ITP representative will support your actions if, in light of the circumstances, your actions are reasonable, sound, and designed to assure score validity and a satisfactory testing environment.

The information below provides procedures for documenting testing irregularities and responding to situations that could potentially arise during the course of the test administration. The guidelines in "Handling Specific Irregularities" beginning on page 22 are provided as a general framework to facilitate your handling of nonroutine or emergency situations.

It is extremely important that you use the Supervisor Irregularity Report form (SIR) to report information concerning any possible security breaches, misconduct, or other incidents at the test center. Facts that may seem of little consequence at the time may later assume considerable significance when ETS or your local TOEFL ITP representative must decide whether further action is justified. ETS thoroughly reviews all SIRs and takes appropriate action. In certain cases, because of confidentiality or privacy factors, it may not be possible for ETS or your local TOEFL ITP representative to report back to supervisors regarding actions taken. Please include as much detailed information as possible on your SIRs. ETS and your local TOEFL ITP representative can take appropriate action to address issues only if enough specific information is provided.

All reports should be complete, explicit, and include a detailed description of the following:

- overview of the incident or irregularity
- identification of the individuals involved, including the names and telephone numbers of all test center personnel who might provide relevant information about any tests that might be affected
- the length of time each incident was observed
- details regarding what happened
- when it happened
- what action was taken

A report filed by an associate supervisor should be signed by the associate supervisor and countersigned by the test center supervisor, who should add any additional information that might also be useful to ETS and your local TOEFL ITP representative for resolution of the problem. **The report should be completed by test center staff only.**

Procedures for handling specific irregularities are grouped under four categories:

- Test Material Flaws
- Group Irregularities
- Individual Irregularities
- Security and Conduct Irregularities

Test Material Flaws

The following irregularities involve errors in printing and assembly of test books and answer sheets, problems with cassette tapes, CDs, and playback equipment, and problems with individual test questions, such as typographical errors and ambiguities.

Irregularity	Action
Defective test book	 If discovered BEFORE testing begins: Collect the defective test book. Give the test taker a new, unused test book. Direct the test taker to write his/her identifying information on the new test book and answer sheet. The test taker must use the new answer sheet to record all responses.
	 If discovered AFTER testing has begun: Collect the defective test book. Give the test taker a new, unused test book with the same test form code. The test taker should continue with the new test book and answer sheet, starting with the same question he or she was working on when the defect was noticed. If you cannot provide another test book with the same test form code, dismiss the test taker and inform him or her that ETS or the local TOEFL ITP representative will arrange a makeup test.
Defective or missing answer sheet	 If an answer sheet is defective: Replace with a new answer sheet from a new, unused test book with the same test form code. Give the test taker time to complete all necessary information on the new answer sheet before you resume testing. Direct the test taker to complete identifying information and continue working. If an extra answer sheet is not available, the test taker may circle the answers in the test book. NOTE: With the exception of specific authorization for non-standard testing, this is the only situation in which ETS and your local TOEFL ITP representative will accept answers in a test book for scoring.
Defective cassette tape, CD, or playback equipment	If a cassette tape, CD, or playback equipment is found to be defective on the day of the test and the test is being administered in more than one room at the same site, you may delay the test until the tape or playback equipment can be transferred from one room to another. If a cassette tape/CD is defective, try to use a different one. If no tape/CD works, dismiss the test taker(s) without giving any portion of the test and inform them that ETS or the local TOEFL ITP representative will arrange a makeup test. If cassette tapes, CDs, or playback equipment is found to be defective during the test administration, follow the above procedure if possible.
	Be certain to resume testing at exactly the same point at which it was stopped so test takers do not listen to the same testing material more than once.
Test question ambiguities and errors	Report any typographical errors or possible ambiguities.

Irregularity	Action	
Mistimings	 For an UNDERTIMING: Whenever possible, correct an undertiming before test takers are dismissed. If additional testing time is warranted, offer all test takers the same amount of extra time for the test or test section. 	
	 For an OVERTIMING: No adjustment can be made in the case of an overtiming. Never deduct the extra time from a subsequent section or test. 	
Emergencies Storms, floods, power failures, or other disruptions beyond your control	Even after careful planning, an emergency may occur on the administration date. For example, a storm may prevent test takers from reaching the test center, a power failure may affect power in the building, or construction may prove distracting to test takers. Should something like this happen, decide whether to cancel or delay the administration or find an alternate location.	
	Cancellation of a test administration should take place only in the most extreme cases. If you must cancel an administration, arrange a makeup administration with the client organization or the test taker as soon as possible. In some emergency cases, nervous or excited test takers may ask for a makeup date. Under the same circumstances, however, other test takers who have traveled a considerable distance to the center may want to continue testing. Once again, you will be the best judge of what to do. In case of an emergency evacuation, the primary concern should be the physical safety of the test takers and the administrative staff.	
	 When an emergency occurs, you must immediately: Note the time testing was interrupted and, if time permits, ask test takers to put their answer sheets inside the test books and close them. Evacuate the test takers. Collect the test books and place them in a secure location, if time permits. Contact ETS or your local TOEFL ITP representative. 	
	On rare occasions, a disturbing situation may arise in the testing room. Someone may faint or have a nosebleed, and other test takers may stop their work to help. Remedy the situation in the most practical way. If necessary, ask the test takers to close their test books while two of them help the affected person from the room. Keep track of the time lost and add that amount of time to the end of the session. Proceed calmly. If you must move to another room, be sure to keep track of the time lost and make it up. Do not allow test takers to talk during the move.	
Emergency Evacuation	Your primary concern should be the safety of test takers and your staff. When emergency occurs, you should immediately:	
	• Note the time of the incident and, if time permits, have test takers insert their answer sheets in their test books and close them.	
	 Evacuate the test takers. Collect the test books and place them in a secure location, if time permits 	
	 Collect the test books and place them in a secure location, if time permits. Contact ETS or your local TOEFL ITP representative as soon as possible. 	

Disturbances	If possible, reduce or eliminate the source of the disturbance (loud noise, excessive heat/cold, etc.) or move test takers to another room.
Disturbances in the testing room	
Disturbances due to illness or medical emergency	 Remedy the situation in the most practical way. Keep test takers calm to the extent possible. Ask test takers to insert their answer sheets in their test books and close the books until the situation is resolved. Record any time loss and subsequent adjustments in testing time. If moving to another testing room is necessary, collect and later redistribute test materials.
Individual Irregularities The following irregularities are usually	limited to one or a few test takers in a testing room or site.
Irregularity	Action
Misplaced answers	If a test taker has marked answers on the wrong part of the answer sheet:
<i>Misplaced answers on the answer sheet</i>	 Give the test taker an unused answer sheet and instruct him or her to continue in the appropriate place. Assure the test taker that you will notify ETS or the local TOEFL ITP representative and that every effort will be made to give proper credit. If an extra answer sheet is not available, follow procedures for "Defective
	answer sheet."
Security and Conduct Irregularities The following irregularities involve test	
	answer sheet."
The following irregularities involve test	answer sheet." security incidents and possible test taker misconduct.
The following irregularities involve test Irregularity Loss or theft of test books	answer sheet." security incidents and possible test taker misconduct. Action When cartons of test materials arrive and are opened and checked, if any materials are missing or if you detect any evidence of tampering with the cartons or the contents, call ETS or your local TOEFL ITP representative as instructed in "Receiving and Storing Test Materials" on page 7. On the day of the test, if any materials are missing or there is evidence of tampering when you reopen and

Testing Aids	Use of the following is strictly prohibited:
	 telephones or cellular phones books pamphlets pagers or beepers mechanical pencils or pens highlighter pens stereos or radios with headphones watch alarms (including those with flashing lights or alarm sounds) personal digital/electronic recording or photographic devices dictionaries, including electronic translators papers of any kind (for example, notes, scratch paper) BlackBerry[®] or any other electronic device Anyone found using such aids during testing should be warned and, if the activity continues, should be dismissed from the test.
Referring to the wrong test section	Inform any test taker referring to the wrong test section that this is a violation of ETS testing regulations. Remind them that they are to work only on the announced test section. Also advise that any subsequent violation is grounds for dismissal from the test center. If, after receiving a warning from you or a staff member, a test taker continues to work on the wrong test section, dismissal is warranted.
Using scratch paper or removal of pages or portions of a page	The use of scratch paper is prohibited. No credit will be given for answers marked in the test book for multiple-choice questions. Test takers may not remove pages or portions of a page from their test books for any purpose.
Giving or receiving information of any kind	Change seating and take no further action until you are sure that information has been shared. Have an assistant witness any suspected misconduct. If the situation persists after a warning from you or a staff member, dismissal is warranted.
Leaving the testing room before the test session is dismissed (except for unscheduled break during a session)	Test takers may not leave the testing room before a test session is dismissed. If you become aware that test takers would like to leave the testing room early, you must inform the test takers that their test scores will be canceled if they leave.
Rest Room Use	A test taker may leave the testing room briefly during the actual testing time to go to the rest room. If two or more test takers need to leave the testing room at the same time, a proctor should accompany them to prevent consultation about the test. If a test taker receives permission to leave the testing room to use the rest room, collect the test book, answer sheet, and ID document(s) as the test taker leaves the room, and hand them back when he/she returns. Check the test taker's photo ID before returning materials. Test takers are not permitted to take excessive or extended unscheduled breaks during the test session. Remind test takers that they will not be allowed extra testing time for such an absence.
	There is no need to report brief rest room breaks on the SIR. However, excessive or extended breaks must be reported. Use of telephones or cell phones is not permitted during breaks and is grounds for dismissal.
Test Taker Requested Score Cancellation	Test taker requests to cancel scores must be honored, provided the test takers notify you before leaving the testing room. In accordance with ETS policies, you must be sure that the test taker understands that scores can be canceled only for the entire test (all sections) and that once scores are canceled, they cannot be reinstated and reported at a later date. Write "cancel scores" on the answer sheet and ask the test taker to verify the request by signing the answer sheet again in the margin. Report the test taker's name and the reason for canceling the scores.

Appendix B: TOEFL ITP Background Questionnaire

- 1. Before today, how many times have you taken a TOEFL ITP test?
 - a. None
 - b. One
 - c. Two or more

Note: There is no option D for this question.

- 2. Reason for taking a TOEFL ITP test
 - a. To demonstrate my proficiency in English for placement in an English language program
 - b. To demonstrate my proficiency in English upon completing a program in English as a foreign language
 - c. To enter a short-term, non-degree program in an English-speaking country
 - d. To enter a degree program in a non-English speaking country where English is not the dominant medium of instruction
 - e. To enter a collaborative international degree program where English language training will be a feature of the program
 - f. To obtain an indication of my English language proficiency for my own information
 - g. Other

- 3. What is your current level of study?
 - a. Elementary school
 - b. Middle school
 - c. High school
 - d. 2 year college/community college
 - e. 4 year undergraduate college
 - f. Graduate/post-graduate college
 - g. Other
- 4. How much time have you spent studying English in a middle/high school or a college/university?
 - a. None
 - b. Less than 1 year
 - c. 1 year or more, but less than 2 years
 - d. 2 years or more, but less than 5 years
 - e. 5 years or more, but less than 10 years
 - f. 10 years or more

Appendix C: Forms

SAMPLE ANSWER SHEET

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SUPERVISOR COMMENT SHEET

We would appreciate your suggestions for improving our procedures and making the testing program more effective. Test supervisors have given us many helpful ideas that we have incorporated into our publications and procedures. We review all comments and answer specific questions.

If you have suggestions or questions, please write them in the space below and fill in the information requested at the bottom of the page. Return the page with your used answer sheets.

City	 State/Province	ZIP/Postal Code	Country
Institution name	 Test center number		
Name (please print)	 Test administration	n date	



Supervisor Report Form

Name of Institution

	City	State/Province/Country
Administration Date	Order Nu	umber
	Quantity	Serial Numbers
		to incl.
I. a. Test Books Received		to incl.
		to incl.
		to incl.
b. Answer Sheets Received		N/A
c. Recordings Received		N/A
II. a. Used Answer Sheets Returned		N/A
		to incl.
h - Hand Task Darles Datum ad		to incl.
b. Used Test Books Returned		to incl.
		to incl.
		to incl.
		to incl.
c. Unused Test Books Returned		to incl.
		to incl.
d. Unused Answer Sheets Returned		N/A
e. Total Number of Test Books Returned		
f. Recordings Returned (Please return defective materials with used answer sheets.)		N/A

Comments

This test was administered in exact accordance with instructions.

Signature of Supervisor

Date

(Attach a separate sheet if you have additional comments or questions.)

ETS use only

Date Answer Sheets Received _

____ Date Test Books Received ____



Test Date: ____/

INSTRUCTIONS TO SUPERVISOR:					
 Return this form ONLY if irregularities of Write total number of SIRs if submitting 	Attach defective test books and answer sheets to the SIR.Check test taker's ID at the time the irregularity occurs.				
TEST CENTER INFORMATION:					
City:	ZIP/Postal Code:				
Country:	Administration Date:				
TEST ADMINISTRATION INFOR	RMATION:				
	Test Code/Form Code:	Test Section:			
Test Level:	Test Book Serial Number:	Room Number:			
		ox in front of each case that applies. Write the names o this form. Use the COMMENTS section on the back to			
Overtiming: Overtiming: Undertiming:	B Defective materials	Number of Affected Test Takers:			
on the back to describe all events a Test Taker's Name:	and actions.	ach case that applies. Use the COMMENTS section			
Registration#:		emale Test Taker Dismissed			
Shipping Error	Check-in Issue	Test Taker Misconduct			
Missing or wrong test materials	DS: No paperwork for accommodations	Questionable/Unacceptable ID			
(books, answer sheets, ancillary materials)	DS: Test taker changed from standard to nonstandard with approved accommodations	Impersonation (attempted to take test for someone else)			
Timing	accommodations	Worked after timed called: minutes			
Overtiming: minutes	Test Center (TC) Staff Issue	Worked on wrong section: minutes			
Undertiming: minutes	Behavior was distracting	Used unauthorized aid (e.g., calculator)			
Late/Early start due to TC staff	Distributed incorrect material	Left early/Left without permission			
Late/Early start due to test taker	Gave incorrect instructions	Gave or received help (provide other test taker's			
	Did not post signs or directions	name in COMMENTS section)			
Defective Materials: Test Book	Did not give breaks	Used cell phone/PDA/unapproved electronic			
Answer Sheet	DS: Did not give approved accommodations	device			
Cassette/		Removed or attempted to remove test materials			
Other Device	Test Taker Issue	Serial #:			
Smudges/Ink blots	Misplaced/Misgridded answers	Obtained improper access to test/part of test			
Holes in test books	Answers recorded in booklet	☐ Failed to follow other test regulations			
Torn pages Second answer sheet needed		(Describe in COMMENTS section)			
Missing pages Essay written in ink					
Pages repeated Test taker became ill		Test Question Ambiguity or Error (Describe in COMMENTS section)			
Pages stuck together	Test taker canceled scores				
Duplicate/Missing serial number	DS: Test taker waived accommodations	No correct answer			
Serial number in wrong spot		More than one correct answer			
Incorrect directions	Test Center Environment	Ambiguous wording			
Other:	Problem (e.g., lighting, temperature, noise)	Not enough information to answer question Other:			
If defective test book, provide: Serial	If defective test book, provide: Serial #: Page #(s):				

SUPERVISOR IRREGULARITY REPORT (SIR)

TEST QUESTION AMBIGUITY describe the test taker's concern.	INFORMATION: Please fill in the field	Is below, and use the COMMENTS section to completely
Test Taker's Email Address:		
Test Taker's Mailing Address:		
Serial #:	Test Section:	Test Question #:
COMMENTS: Explain irregularity	or test taker's concern. If irregularity, full	/ describe events and actions taken.
SUPERVISOR INFORMATION	Please fill in the fields below so that we ca	an contact you if we need further information.
Email:		
Phone #:	Cell Phone #: _	
Supervisor/Coordinator Signature: _		

TOEFL ITP SEATING CHART

Test Book Serial No. Range: ___

_ to _

To construct a seating chart, use the diagram below to indicate how test books were distributed in your testing room. Proctors may complete the diagram(s).

Rear

Front (test takers face this direction)

Name of person

completing the diagram _

_ Date ____

Supervisor's

Desk

VIOLATION: □ CANCEL SCORES You have not followed the supervisor's instructions. This is a violation of ITP testing procedures, as described in the □ Giving or receiving assistance Test Taker Handbook. If you do not follow instructions, the Creating a disturbance □ Not following instructions supervisor has the authority to cancel your scores. □ Working on the wrong section □ Other Write and sign your name in the spaces below to show that you have read this notice and understand that you must follow TOEFL testing procedures. Test Taker Name Test Taker Signature SUPERVISOR: Please describe the violation on the other side of this form. Before signing this notice, read Appendix B of the Supervisor Manual. **Reset Watch** Date Supervisor's Signature Copyright © 2012 by Educational Testing Service. All rights reserved. (ETS) TOEFL ITP VIOLATIONS NOTICE □ CANCEL SCORES VIOLATION: You have not followed the supervisor's instructions. This is a violation of ITP testing procedures, as described in the □ Giving or receiving assistance Test Taker Handbook. If you do not follow instructions, the Creating a disturbance □ Not following instructions supervisor has the authority to cancel your scores. □ Working on the wrong section Other Write and sign your name in the spaces below to show that you have read this notice and understand that you must follow TOEFL testing procedures. Test Taker Name Test Taker Signature SUPERVISOR: Please describe the violation on the other side of this form. Before signing this notice, read Appendix B of the Supervisor Manual. **Reset Watch** Supervisor's Signature Date Copyright © 2012 by Educational Testing Service. All rights reserved. **VIOLATIONS NOTICE** □ CANCEL SCORES VIOLATION: You have not followed the supervisor's instructions. This is a violation of ITP testing procedures, as described in the □ Giving or receiving assistance Test Taker Handbook. If you do not follow instructions, the Creating a disturbance □ Not following instructions supervisor has the authority to cancel your scores. □ Working on the wrong section Other Write and sign your name in the spaces below to show that you have read this notice and understand that you must follow TOEFL testing procedures. Test Taker Name Test Taker Signature SUPERVISOR: Please describe the violation on the other side of this form. Before signing this notice, read Appendix B of the Supervisor Manual. **Reset Watch** Date Supervisor's Signature

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TEST TAKER COMMENT FORM

Please indicate the question number and state as clearly and briefly as possible your comments, using a separate box for each question. If additional space is needed, comments concerning a single question may be made in more than one box, but do not comment on more than one question in a single box. The TOEFL ITP program will review your comments.

TEST FORM CODE	
Question Number	Question Number
Question Number	Question Number
Question Number	Question Number

Return this form to the test supervisor.

DO NOT REMOVE FROM THE TESTING ROOM.

Date



DUTIES OF ROOM PROCTORS

It is very important that standard procedures be followed at all ITP administrations. Your major duties are listed on these two pages. Ask the room supervisor for assistance if you have any questions about procedures.

Before the Test

- 1. Help the supervisor prepare the testing room(s).
- 2. Assist the supervisor in admitting test takers to the testing room.

Each test taker must show the required photobearing identification unless he or she is known personally by you or the supervisor.

- **3.** Direct test takers to their seats according to the supervisor's instructions. Test takers must not be permitted to select their own seats.
- 4. Be sure test takers do not have cell phones, recording, photographic or other electronic devices, or books or papers of any kind in the testing room.

During the Test

- 1. Assist the supervisor in distributing the test materials. Do not permit test takers to help.
- 2. Help test takers fill out their answer sheets as the instructions are given. For each answer sheet, *be sure* that the name and student number printed in the boxes are the same letters and numbers as those in the circles the test taker fills in.

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(continued on the other side)

- 3. Each test taker is responsible for filling in the circles on the answer sheet correctly.
 - Test takers must mark *only one* answer to each test question. If a test taker marks more than one answer to a single question, the question will not be scored.
 - The circle must be completely filled with a dark mark so that the letter inside the circle cannot be seen. Light or partial marks may not be scored correctly.

CORRECT	WRONG	WRONG	WRONG	WRONG
A B 🔵 D	A B 🛇 D	A B 🕱 D	A B 🖸 D	A B 🖲 D

- 4. Walk around the room during the test to be sure every test taker is working on the correct section of the test and is using the correct section of the answer sheet. Tell a test taker who is working on the wrong section to work on the correct section of the test; have the test taker sign a Violations Notice and give the notice to the supervisor.
- 5. Guard against attempts to cheat. A test taker must not look at another person's answer sheet. Watch for attempts to give information by tapping a pencil, or by hand or body movements.

After the Test

1. Assist the supervisor in collecting the test materials.

Collect an answer sheet from each test taker. Look at the test taker's identification document(s) and verify the test taker's identity. Check to see that the name written in the boxes on the ITP answer sheet and filled in the circles beneath the boxes is the same as the name in the identification document(s). This is essential to guard against one person attempting to take the test for another.

2. Be sure that no one takes a copy of the test book, or any other test materials, when the test takers are dismissed from the testing room.



TEST MATERIAL TRACKING FORM

Institu	ition	Name
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City

Examination Date

Country

	` ITEM	QUANTITY	SERIAL NUMBERS (INCLUSIVE)
1	Test booklets received		through
2	Unused test booklets returned (include defective test booklets in this count)		through through
3	Used test booklets returned		through
4	TOTAL test booklets returned Line 2 plus Line 3		through
	1 does not equal Line 4, explain:		
	Answer sheets received		
5	Used answer sheets returned		
	Unused answer sheets returned		
	TOTAL answer sheets returned		

This test was administered on the date and at the time prescribed and in exact accordance with instructions:

DATE

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Signature of Test Administrator

OFFICE USE ONLY: Date A/S Received _

being returned

Number of defective booklets

__ Date T/B Received __

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COUNTRY AND REGION CODES

Use this list when indicating the code for the country where you are currently living (your mailing address) and the code for the country where you were born (your native country).

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001	Afghanistan	457	China, People's
003	Albania		Republic of
005	Algeria	120	Colombia
007	American Samoa	122	Comoros
800	Andorra	630	Congo, The
010	Angola		Democratic
011	Anguilla		Republic of
012	Antigua and	125	Congo
012			
045	Barbuda	126	Cook Islands
015	Argentina	130	Costa Rica
016	Armenia	290	Côte D'Ivoire
017	Aruba	133	Croatia
020	Australia	135	Cuba
025	Austria	137	Curacao
029	Azerbaijan	140	Cyprus
035	Bahamas	142	Czech Republic
040	Bahrain	150	Denmark
045	Bangladesh	153	Djibouti
050	Barbados	154	Dominica
094	Belarus	155	Dominican
055		155	
	Belgium Belize	105	Republic
056		165	Ecuador
058	Benin	170	Egypt
060	Bermuda	175	El Salvador
063	Bhutan	183	Equatorial Guinea
065	Bolivia	182	Eritrea
067	Bonaire, Saint	184	Estonia
	Eustatius and	185	Ethiopia
	Saba	188	Falkland Islands
069	Bosnia and	187	Faroe Islands
	Herzegovina	190	Fiji
070	Botswana	195	Finland
071	Bouvet Island	200	France
075	Brazil	203	French Guiana
081	Brunei	202	French Polynesia
	Darussalam	204	Gabon
085	Bulgaria	205	Gambia
593	Burkina Faso	206	Gaza Strip
092	Burundi	208	Georgia
307	Cambodia	210	Germany
095	Cameroon	215	Ghana
100	Canada	220	Greece
100	Cape Verde	225	Greenland
110			
	Cayman Islands	227	Grenada
113	Central African	228	Guadeloupe
	Republic	229	Guam
114	Chad	230	Guatemala
115	Chile	233	Guinea

234 235	Guinea-Bissau Guyana
240	Haiti
597	Holy See (Vatican
	City State)
245	Honduras
250	Hong Kong
251	Hungary
255	Iceland
260	India
265	Indonesia
270	Iran, Islamic Republic of
273	Iraq
275	Ireland
280	Israel
285	Italy
295	Jamaica
300	Japan
305	Jordan
308	Kazakhstan
310	Kenya
312	Kiribati
314	Korea, Democratic
	People's Republic
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315 317	Korea, Republic of
317	Kosovo, Republic
220	of Kuwait
320 323	Kyrgyzstan
325	Lao People's
525	Democratic
	Republic
328	Latvia
330	Lebanon
333	Lesotho
335	Liberia
340	Libyan Arab
	Jamahiriya
343	Liechtenstein
344	Lithuania
345	Luxembourg
347	Macao
348	Macedonia,
	Former Yugoslav
	Republic of
350	Madagascar

Malawi	470	Poland
Malaysia	475	Portugal
Maldives	474	Puerto Rico
Mali	477	Qatar
Malta	482	Reunion
Marshall Islands	483	Romania
Martinique	484	Russian
Mauritania		Federation
Mauritius	487	Rwanda
Mexico	486	St. Kitts and Nevis
Micronesia,	521	St. Lucia
Federated	502	St. Maarten
States of	502	(Dutch Part)
Moldova,	522	St. Vincent and
Republic of	522	the Grenadines
Monaco	620	Samoa
	620 488	San Marino
Mongolia	488 489	
Montenegro	489	Sao Tome and
Montserrat	400	Principe
Morocco	490	Saudi Arabia
Mozambique	497	Senegal
Myanmar	494	Serbia
Namibia	498	Seychelles
Nauru	500	Sierra Leone
Nepal	505	Singapore
Netherlands	503	Slovakia
Netherlands	504	Slovenia
Antilles	506	Solomon Islands
New Caledonia	507	Somalia
New Zealand	510	South Africa
Nicaragua	515	Spain
Niger	520	Sri Lanka
Nigeria	525	Sudan
Niue	527	Suriname
Northern Mariana	530	Swaziland
Islands	535	Sweden
Norway	540	Switzerland
Oman	545	Syrian Arab
Pakistan		Republic
Palau	555	Taiwan (Republic
Palestinian	000	of China)
Territories	556	Tajikistan
Panama	560	Tanzania, United
Papua New	500	Republic of
Guinea	565	Thailand
Paraguay	566	Timor-Leste
	565 567	
Peru	567 570	Togo
Philippines	570	Tonga

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575	Trinidad and Tobago	
580	Tunisia	
585	Turkev	
584	Turkmenistan	
586	Turks and Caicos Islands	
587	Tuvalu	
590	Uganda	
589	Ukraine	
591	United Arab	
	Emirates	
588	United Kingdom	
592	United States	
595	Uruguay	
594	Uzbekistan	
596	Vanuatu	
600	Venezuela	
605	Viet Nam	
077	Virgin Islands (British)	
607	Virgin Islands (U.S.)	
611	West Bank	
623	Yemen	
635	Zambia	
480	Zimbabwe	
Use 999 for any country/region not listed.		

NATIVE LANGUAGE CODES

101	Afrikaans	413	Czech
104	Akan	416	Danish
405	Albanian	419	Dutch
107	Amharic	418	Dyula
501	Arabic	116	Efik
401	Armenian	422	English
301	Assamese	425	Estonian
402	Azerbaijani	119	Ewe
417	Bambara	504	Farsi
403	Bashkir	601	Fijian
404	Basque	428	Finnish
408	Belarusian	434	French
111	Bemba	122	Fulah
305	Bengali	125	Ga
113	Berber	436	Galician
303	Bikol	151	Ganda
411	Bosnian	438	Georgian
407	Bulgarian	437	German
307	Burmese	440	Greek
410	Catalan	201	Guarani
312	Cebuano	320	Gujarati
114	Chichewa	266	Gwichin
315	Chinese	133	Hausa
412	Chuvash	507	Hebrew
414	Croatian	319	Hiligaynon

323	Hindi
443	Hungarian
136	Igbo
447	Icelandic
326	lloko
328	Indonesian
269	Inupiaq
450	Italian
331	Japanese
332	Javanese
335	Kannada
121	Kanuri
338	Kashmiri
339	Kazakh
310	Khmer
142	Kikuyu
123	Kinyarwanda
352	Konkani
340	Korean
604	Kosraean
342	Kurdish
359	Kurukh
343	Lao
452	Latvian
145	Lingala

453	Lithuanian
148	Luba-Lulua
153	Luo
358	Luxembourgish
454	Macedonian
375	Madurese
156	Malagasy
345	Malay
346	Malayalam
455	Maltese
159	Mandingo
348	Marathi
607	Marshallese
162	Mende
362	Minangkabau
341	Mongolian
128	Mossi
608	Nauru
351	Nepali
456	Norwegian
131	Nyanja
353	Oriya
127	Oromo
610	Palauan
459	Polish

613	Pohnpeian
461	Portuguese
355	Punjabi
357	Pushto
464	Romanian
467	Russian
616	Samoan
372	Santali
415	Serbian
170	Shona
360	Sindhi
361	Sinhalese
473	Slovak
474	Slovenian
173	Somali
478	Spanish
364	Sundanese
176	Swahili
481	Swedish
367	Tagalog
482	Tajik
370	Tamil
371	Tatar
373	Telugu
376	Thai

388 185 178 631 442 188 300 396 191	Tibetan Tigrinya Tonga Turkish Turkish Turkmen Twi Uighur Ukrainian Urdu Uzbek Vietnamese Wolof Xhosa Yapese Yiddish Yoruba Yupik Zhuang Zulu	
Use 999 for any language not listed.		

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