

**Aptis ESOL**

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# Digital Credentials Guide

Accredible

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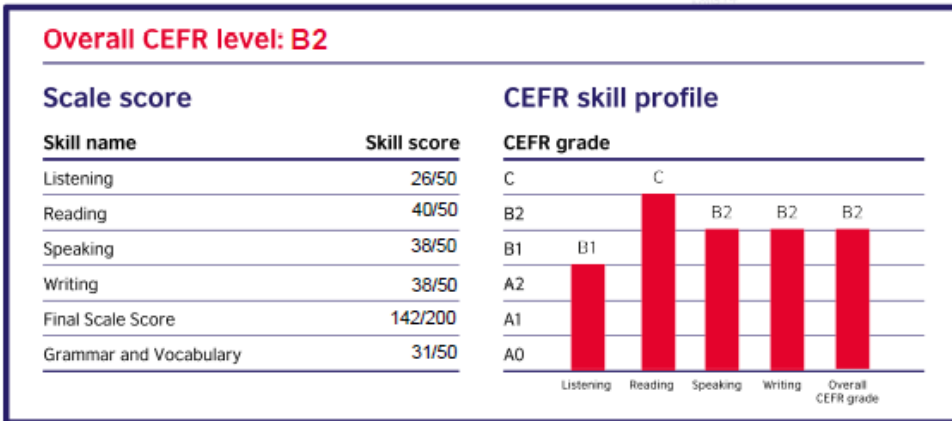
# Digital credentials on a candidate report



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## International Certificate

<b>DEMO CUSTOMER</b>	<b>08.06.2023</b>	<b>ESOL~0000483</b>
Test taker name	Test date	Enrolment ID
<b>British Council Vietnam Hanoi</b>	<b>Aptis ESOL General</b>	<b>BC1000000272</b>
Test centre	Qualification	Certificate number
		<b>Passport</b>
		ID type
		<b>12345</b>
		ID number



  
 Professor Barry O'Sullivan OBE  
**09.06.2023**  
 Centre stamp and date

The results report verifies the person named above achieved the stated score under conditions supervised by the British Council.

<https://credentials.britishcouncil.org/idb7dd98e-4c61-4341-b690-6efe98c91015?key=bd6588e77579f251037643a906c769b49d3a30cd534c4ec3932090d57da942c>

After scanning the QR code or by following the link at the bottom of the certificate, you will be able to access a website page verifying the test results.

# Verifying a candidate report on the Accredible webpage

The screenshot displays the Accredible interface for a British Council Aptis ESOL credential. It is divided into three numbered sections:

- 1. Issuer and Test Variant:** The top left shows the British Council logo and 'Aptis ESOL' with a 'HELP' button and a 'MORE' dropdown menu. Below this is a 'Sign in to access more options' link. A 'DEMO CUSTOMER' badge with a 'View All Credentials' link is also visible.
- 2. Issuer Information:** The middle section contains three paragraphs of text describing the Aptis ESOL test, its marking system, and its use by various organizations.
- 3. Credential Verification:** The top right features a 'Credential Verification' box with a 'Verify Credential' button. Below it is a 'More about the Issuer' section with links to 'Visit Issuer Website' and 'Visit Course Page', and a 'View All Credentials' link.

At the bottom, a table provides the following details:

ISSUED ON	EXPIRES ON
21 September 2023	Does not expire

- 1. Information about the credential's issuer (the British Council) and the test variant.** Please note that the 'sign in' option does not provide any additional information – you can access all the relevant details directly on this website.
- 2. Candidate's full name.** It is not possible to view other credentials for a candidate as all issued certificates are private.
- 3. Credential verification.** When clicking the 'Verify Credential' button on a blockchain credential, the Accredible platform compares the number generated on the credential today to the number previously written to the blockchain when the credential was first created and makes sure they're the same.

After you click on 'Verify Credential', a new pop-up window will open.

1.



This **Aptis ESOL** Credential is VERIFIED

This digital credential was securely issued via Accredible and its information is valid.

2.



This issuer is verified by Accredible



British Council

[Issuer's Website](#)

3.



Credential is Blockchain Secured  Blockchain ID: 808816

4.



The owner of this credential has been verified



British Council

[View All Credentials](#)

5.

ISSUED ON

21 September 2023

EXPIRES ON

Does not expire

FULL CREDENTIAL HISTORY

2023-09-21 • Credential Issued

2023-09-22 • Blockchain Record Created

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1. When a credential is verified, it means that the test results are confirmed.
  2. This section confirms that the British Council is the issuer of the credential.
  3. Blockchain credentials is the term given to digital credentials that are written to the blockchain to provide enhanced levels of security. They are used to prevent credential fraud and are effectively impossible to forge, alter, or remove. Accredible uses the Bitcoin blockchain to store an unchangeable record of credentials while ensuring they are easy to verify.

No private or personal information is stored on the blockchain. The only thing stored on the blockchain is a series of numbers mathematically derived from the credential information. Once a credential has been created, a 'receipt' is generated consisting of a series of numbers that represents the credential information. This receipt of creation is then written to the blockchain. When someone goes to verify a credential, Accredible can use this series of numbers to verify that the content displayed matches the original record.

4. The owner of this credential is the British Council. It is not possible to view other credentials owned by the British Council as all issued certificates are private.
5. In this section you can see when the results were issued and when they were recorded to the blockchain.

## For more information on blockchain technology please refer to the following articles:

- [What are Blockchain Credentials?](#)
- [How Does Blockchain Secure Credentials?](#)