

Foundation English Test


Digital Credentials Guide

Accredible

July 2025



Digital credentials on a candidate report



Foundation English Test

Candidate report

DEMO CUSTOMER

Candidate name

01.03.2023

Test date

FET~0002570

Enrolment ID

British Council Austria

Organisation

Passport

ID type

4209211

ID number

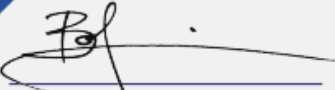
A1

Overall CEFR grade

45/80

CEFR skill profile and scale score

	A0	A1	A2	B1
Listening 10/20 A1				
Reading 3/20 A0				
Speaking 18/20 B1				
Writing 14/20 A2				



Professor Barry O'Sullivan OBE

www.britishcouncil.org/foundationenglishtest

<https://credentials.britishcouncil.org/590928fd-cff1-4f77-adda-9729322ddcf9>

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.

www.britishcouncil.org/foundationenglishtest

Verifying a candidate report on the Accredible webpage

The screenshot displays the Accredible interface for a Foundation English Test credential. It is divided into two main sections: the credential details on the left and the verification process on the right.

1. Credential Header: The top section shows the British Council logo and the text 'Foundation English Test'.

2. Sign-in Prompt: Below the header, there is a button that says 'Sign in to access more options'.

3. Demo Customer Section: A section labeled 'DEMO CUSTOMER' with a 'View All Credentials' link.

4. Credential Verification: The right-hand section is titled 'Credential Verification'. It states 'This credential is from a verified issuer' and shows a 'Blockchain ID: 806704'. A 'Verify Credential' button is present.

More about the Issuer: Below the verification section, there is a 'More about the Issuer' section featuring the British Council logo, a 'Visit Issuer Website' link, and a 'Visit Course Page' link.

Issued and Expiry Information: At the bottom left, it says 'ISSUED ON 7 September 2023'. At the bottom right, it says 'EXPIRES ON Does not expire'.

- 1. Information about the credential's issuer (the British Council) and the test variant.**
- 2. This option allows candidates who provided a valid email address on registration to access their credentials, change their privacy for public access and share them to social media.**
- 3. Candidate's full name.** It is not possible to view other credentials for a candidate as all issued certificates are private.
- 4. 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.

Credential Verification



1.



This **Foundation English Test** 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: 806704

4.



The owner of this credential has been verified



British Council

[View All Credentials](#)

5.

ISSUED ON

7 September 2023

EXPIRES ON

Does not expire

FULL CREDENTIAL HISTORY

2023-09-07 • Credential Issued

2023-09-08 • Blockchain Record Created

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. If a candidate provides a valid email address during registration, they will display as the owner of the credential. After logging in, they will be able to view all other credentials they have.

Please note that all email addresses need to be provided before candidates take the test and that due to security measures incorrect email addresses cannot be edited after candidates are registered for the test.

If a candidate does not provide an email address, British Council will display as the owner of this credential. 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?](#)

Signing in to the Accredible platform to access more options

1. From 2 July 2025, all Foundation English Test candidates who provide a valid email address when registering for their test will be able to access their credentials and share digital badges on their social media.
2. During the first login, candidates will need to use the 'Forgot your password?' option to receive an automated email to set up their password.
3. After logging in, they will be able to change the privacy setting of their credentials for public access and share them on social media.

