

Foundation English Test


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# Digital Credentials Guide

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# Digital credentials on a candidate report



## Foundation English Test

# Candidate report

<b>DEMO CUSTOMER</b> Candidate name	<b>01.03.2023</b> Test date	<b>FET~0002570</b> Enrolment ID
<b>British Council Austria</b> Organisation	<b>Passport</b> ID type	<b>4209211</b> ID number

**A1**  
Overall CEFR grade  
45/80



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CEFR skill profile and scale score

	A0	A1	A2	B1
Listening 10/20   A1	[Progress bar]			
Reading 3/20   A0	[Progress bar]			
Speaking 18/20   B1	[Progress bar]			
Writing 14/20   A2	[Progress bar]			

[www.britishcouncil.org/foundationenglishtest](https://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.

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# Verifying a candidate report on the Accredible webpage

The screenshot displays the Accredible interface for a Foundation English Test credential. It is divided into three numbered steps:

- 1.** Information about the credential's issuer (the British Council) and the test variant. This section shows the British Council logo, the text 'Foundation English Test', and options for 'HELP' and 'MORE'. A 'Sign in to access more options' link is also visible.
- 2.** Candidate's full name. This section shows a 'DEMO CUSTOMER' profile with a 'View All Credentials' link.
- 3.** Credential verification. This section shows a 'Credential Verification' box with the text 'This credential is from a verified issuer' and a 'Blockchain ID: 806704'. A 'Verify Credential' button is present.

Below the main content, there is a section titled 'More about the Issuer' which includes the British Council logo, a 'Visit Issuer Website' link, a 'Visit Course Page' link, and a 'View All Credentials' link.

At the bottom of the page, there are two fields: 'ISSUED ON' with the value '7 September 2023' and 'EXPIRES ON' with the value '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.

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



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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. 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?](#)