

## IZMİR KATİP ÇELEBİ UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES, PLACEMENT EXAM SPECIFICATIONS

## The exam includes multiple-choice test items with four alternatives.

LEVEL		Number of Items	Section	Objective(s)	Question	Text Type(s)	Text Length	Points	Duration
BEGINNER AND ELEMENTARY	BEGINNER	20 items	USE OF ENGLISH	oral and written language production	sentences, dialogs, and	10-20 worded sentences; 20-60 worded dialog/paragraphs	50 points out of	90 minutes in total for both parts (Beginner /Elementa ry and Pre-	
	ELEMENTARY	30 items	USE OF ENGLISH	to use the language forms and functions in order to communicate with others, share opinions and show understanding of the content in everyday and academic contexts at their level.	e the language forms and functions in r to communicate with others, share ions and show understanding of the ent in everyday and academic contexts at level.  5 discrete items about various topic that familiar to students  10 cloze test items  10-20 worded sentences; 20-100 worded	sentences;			
			READING	<ul> <li>to skim a text to get the main idea and the key information in a given time limit.</li> <li>to scan a text to find specific information such as numbers, names, dates, addresses and prices in a given time limit.</li> <li>to identify reference words (she, them, their etc.) while reading a text.</li> <li>to guess the meaning of words/phrases from a text accurately.</li> </ul>	6 items 3 items each text	two short simple descriptions and narratives	Two texts: each is around 150 words		Intermedi ate)

LEVEL	Number of Items	Section	Objective(s)	Question Type	Text Type(s)	Text Length	Points	Duration
PRE-INTERMEDIATE	50 items	USE OF ENGLISH	<ul> <li>to use the accurate form of the words in their oral and written language production.</li> <li>to use the language forms and functions in order to communicate with others, share opinions and show understanding of the content in everyday and academic contexts at their level.</li> </ul>	10 discrete items  10 cloze test items  10 sentence completion  10 Dialog Completion	sentences, dialogs, and paragraphs about various topic that familiar to students	10-20 worded sentences; 20-100 worded dialog/paragraphs	50 points out of 100 Each item is a point	90 minutes in total for both parts (Beginner/ Elementar y and Pre- Intermedi ate)
		READING	<ul> <li>to skim a text to get the main idea and the key information.</li> <li>to scan a text to find specific information in a given time limit.</li> <li>to identify the organization of a text and its flow of information.</li> <li>to identify references in a text in a simple way.</li> <li>to utilize vocabulary knowledge and vocabulary guessing strategies to follow a text using the contextual clues</li> </ul>	10 items 5 items each text	Two short simple articles	Each text is around 250 words		

See the sample Placement exam.