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"Now a major motion picture! Includes full-color movie photos and exclusive content!"--Dust jacket. As part of a long series of Vietnam's policy objectives, English education has been identified as key to improving the quality of its rapidly expanding tertiary institutions and is crucial to the larger aim of modernising and internationalising its economy. Bringing together a wide range of Vietnamese and foreign English education scholars, and tertiary educational practitioners, this book documents the significant progress and challenges in the realisation of Vietnam's English language policies as they are enacted in the higher education sector. Changes to Vietnam's higher education system remain unstable, unsystematic, and insubstantial. This book provides insights into how recent Vietnamese government policy is providing for a substantial and comprehensive renewal of Vietnam's tertiary education as part of their 2020 plan. Academics and students of English education, language policy, and nation building within the context of increased globalisation and marketisation in developing nations and Vietnam, in particular, should find this book valuable.

Separate Practice Tests Plus books prepare for 2020 B1 Preliminary or B1 Preliminary for Schools exams 8 complete tests Training tips and exam strategies Grammar bank Student App Number of tests: 8 Components: Students' Book with Key Students' Book without Key Online resources: Online audio Answer keys Audio scripts Overview of resources with how and when to use in class Speaking Test (video) Examiner feedback (video) About the Exam (video) Frequently asked questions (video) Video worksheets Writing samples & examiner feedback Writing worksheets Listening teaching ideas Writing teaching ideas Speaking teaching ideas Reading ideas Vocabulary maps of wordlists Student App

This volume brings together a collection of chapters focused on the learning, testing, and researching of L2 vocabulary by leading international researchers including Paul Nation, Batia Laufer, Frank Boers, Elke Peters, Ana Pellicer-Sánchez, Anna Siyanova-Chanturia, and Stuart Webb. Questions that are examined include: Is it useful to read a book to learn vocabulary? Which types of input encountered outside of the classroom contribute most to vocabulary knowledge? What are the most useful words to learn to understand the academic spoken language in mathematics, biology, and engineering lectures? Does writing words contribute to vocabulary learning? What should a test measuring the skill of guessing from context consist of? Should loan words be included in vocabulary tests? How should we evaluate vocabulary learning that occurs through watching captioned video? How has eye-tracking been used in vocabulary research? Together, the chapters in this volume highlight innovation in vocabulary studies and many directions for researching, testing, and learning words. Originally published as special issue of *ITL - International Journal of Applied Linguistics* 169:1 (2018)

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Multilingual Health Education Resource Guide

Focus on Grammar

Assessing L2 Students with Learning and Other Disabilities

Cambridge English Qualifications: B1 Preliminary for Schools Practice Tests Plus Student's Book Without Key

LASORS 2010

The main focus of this volume is test development and accreditation requirements and needs. One of the major objectives here is to show the key aspects of the application of assessment in higher education and the systems of accreditation. Thanks to its unique perspective, it offers a different approach on various aspects of second language assessment. As universities are one of the best arenas for the analysis of language testing, the book thoroughly prepares higher education teachers to apply pilot studies and shows students' responses to new testing techniques and accreditation requirements. It offers an enlightening guide for scholars with an academic interest in acquiring the basic principles of language testing and accreditation, providing real cases of how new ways of testing and accreditation can be useful to second language teachers and students.

Readers will not only come to understand how to use new testing strategies, but also have the opportunity to see that the proposals described in each chapter may be useful to language assessment and motivation of students.

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This short course includes 40-50 hours of essential exam practice, tips and strategies to prepare students for the Cambridge ESOL PET examination. PET Direct prepares students for the Cambridge ESOL PET examination. The Workbook with answers provides twelve units of additional language practice and includes a complete practice test.

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How Anyone at Any Age Can Learn to Speak Any Language from Anywhere in the World

Pass the B1 English Test: Speaking and Listening. An Essential Guide to British Citizenship/Indefinite Leave to Remain

Innovation in Methodology and Practice in Language Learning

Cambridge English Qualifications: B1 Preliminary New Edition Practice Tests Plus Student's Book Without Key The Guide for Pilots

Cambridge Preliminary English Test 4 Student's Book with Answers

"Validating Second Language Reading Examinations describes the development of an empirical framework for test validation and comparison of reading tests at different proficiency levels through a critical evaluation of alignment with the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). It focuses on contextual parameters, cognitive processing operations and test results and identifies parameters for the description of different levels of reading proficiency examinations. The volume explores procedures for linking tests to the CEFR and proposes both qualitative and quantitative methods that complement the procedures recommended in the Council of Europe's Relating Language Examinations to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR): A Manual, piloted in 2003 and revised 2009. Key features of the book include: - a detailed review of the literature on CEFR alignment, vertical scaling, test specifications and test comparability - a comprehensive and coherent approach to the validation of reading tests - an accessible and systematic description of procedures for collecting validity evidence based on a sound theoretical framework - a case study comparing different testing systems targeting the same CEFR level"--

This pack contains everything the self-study student needs in order to prepare thoroughly for the updated Preliminary English Test (PET). It features a Student's Book with a comprehensive section of answers and tapescripts plus two audio CDs containing the listening material for the aural component of the test (Paper 2). The Student's Book includes four complete model papers for the updated exam from University of Cambridge ESOL Examinations. It provides candidates with an excellent opportunity to familiarise themselves with PET and to practise examination techniques for the updated exam. It contains practice material for Paper 1 (Reading and Writing) and Paper 2 (Listening), along with attractive colour visual material for Paper 3, which enables students to prepare thoroughly for the paired Speaking test.

The CEFR Companion volume broadens the scope of language education. It reflects academic and societal developments since the publication of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) and updates the 2001 version. It owes much to the contributions of members of the language teaching profession across Europe and beyond. This volume contains: an explanation of the key aspects of the CEFR for teaching and learning; a complete set of updated CEFR descriptors that replaces the 2001 set with: - modality-inclusive and gender-neutral descriptors; - added detail on listening and reading; - a new Pre-A1 level, plus enriched description at A1 and C levels; - a replacement scale for phonological competence; - new scales for mediation, online interaction and plurilingual/pluricultural competence; - new scales for sign language competence; a short report on the four-year development, validation and consultation processes. The CEFR Companion volume represents another step in a process of engagement with language education that has been pursued by the Council of Europe since 1971 and which seeks to: promote and support the learning and teaching of modern languages; enhance intercultural dialogue, and thus mutual understanding, social cohesion and democracy; protect linguistic and cultural diversity in Europe; and promote the right to quality education for all.

The fifteen tests in this book are designed to be used either with a teacher or for self-study. In a classroom situation, teachers can use the tests for general revision / consolidation purposes. Students working on their own can also test their knowledge of vocabulary and grammar while checking their answers in the answer key. Each test consists of 5 exercises, making a total of 35 questions. Exercise 1 tests knowledge of key grammar points in a multiple-choice format. Exercise 2 requires students to identify and correct a mistake. Exercise 3 is a classic cloze, testing knowledge of grammar and vocabulary in the context of a short text. Exercise 4 consists of 5 multiple-choice vocabulary questions. Exercise 5 requires students to write the missing word in a sentence (the first and last letters are given). The grammar points and the vocabulary items are all based on the B1 level syllabus as defined by the Common European Framework on Languages.

Fluent in 3 Months

English Tertiary Education in Vietnam

An Introductory Course for Reference and Practice

Life in the United Kingdom

Voices of Creativity and Reason in English Language Teaching

Designed to assist health care providers in meeting the needs of their non-English speaking clients. Contains a list of over 600 language-specific health education materials. Includes listings for materials in Cambodian (Khmer), Hmong, Lao, Vietnamese, Arabic, Bosnian/Serbo-Croatian, Haitian Creole and French, Russian, Somali, and Spanish on a variety of health care topics including Hepatitis B, HIV/AIDS, STDs, TB, breast health, dental care, family planning, immunization, and prenatal care. Ordering information, a listing of sources for materials, and a listing of refugee health coordinators are included.

This edited volume discusses the theoretical, ethical and practical considerations involved in the assessment of Second Language Learners (SLLs) with Specific Language Learning Disorders (SpLD), such as dyslexia and Attention Deficit and Hyperactivity Disorder, and with other disabilities like visual and hearing impairments. The volume contains 14 chapters. These explore various theoretical models and research findings that identify and evaluate the language and special needs of SLLs with SpLD and other disabilities and evaluate the effectiveness of the accommodation practices employed so far. The studies involve both high-stakes tests and classroom-based assessments conducted by professionals and researchers working in the areas of psychology, special education and second/foreign language testing and assessment from various countries around the globe, including the USA, Canada, New Zealand and European countries such as Italy, UK, Greece, Germany, and Slovenia. The volume accommodates high-quality submissions that cover a gap in a research area that has long been in need of theoretical and empirical attention. This volume will become a valuable point of reference and springboard for future research initiatives.

This book is a practical guide to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages: Learning, Teaching, Assessment (CEFR) (Council of Europe 2001) and the CEFR Companion Volume (CEFR/ CV; COE 2018), which have increasingly been used to inform the language policies and teaching practices of countries within and outside of Europe. It helps practitioners to (i) grasp essential and core concepts of the Common European Framework of Reference, (ii) identify parts of the CEFR and the CEFR/CV as well as other CEFR-related resources and documents that are relevant for readers' different purposes, and (iii) utilise and adapt these resources for their own needs. Written by practitioners for practitioners, this hands-on guide covers the philosophy of the CEFR, curricula, assessment, learner autonomy, the task-based approach, and teacher development. Logically explaining all aspects of the framework and its application, this manual helps readers deal with many of the difficulties encountered when using CEFR and the CEFR CV. The book will appeal to a wide audience, including teacher educators; curriculum and materials developers; examination boards unfamiliar with the CEFR; university language departments and language centres responsible for developing their own curricula, teaching/learning approaches and assessment instruments; and policy-makers wanting to learn more about the implications of adopting the CEFR. It is a guidebook, a reference book and a workbook all in your hand.

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Test Your English Grammar and Vocabulary

Bi- and multilingual universities: European perspectives and beyond

the guide for pilots

A Novel

This volume is composed of 24 papers originally presented as talks at the VIII National Conference of the Italian Association of University Language Centres (Associazione Italiana dei Centri Linguistici Universitari: AICLU), held at the University of Foggia, Italy, between 30 May and 1st June 2013. The contributions fall into five sections: 1) keynote addresses from plenary speakers; 2) innovative challenges for language centres; 3) new developments in teaching language for specific purposes; 4) proposals and case studies in Content and Language Integrated Learning; and 5) the use of new technologies in language learning. 18 papers are in English, four in Italian, one in French and one in German. The fact that three-quarters of the papers are in English reflects the way English has become the lingua franca of academic conferences today. However, in keeping with the ethos of CercleS (Confédération Européenne des Centres de Langues de l'Enseignement Supérieur, the pan-European organisation to which AICLU belongs), which is strongly committed to promoting plurilingualism, it was crucial that contributions would also be accepted in other languages. The volume represents the 'state of the art' in the field of language teaching and theory in university language centres not only in Italy, but also in other parts of Europe and the Mediterranean, and testifies to the rich variety of ways in which these centres are adapting and thriving in rapidly changing times.

Oxford English for Academic Purposes offers a specialist course covering listening, speaking and reading in key areas of academic life such as lectures, presentations and textbooks. The course is consistent with levels A2 to C2 of the Common European Frame of Reference for the teaching of foreign languages.

The Expert series provides rigorous exam training for high-achieving students while continuing to develop language awareness and communication skills. This intensive course for the Pearson Test of English Academic exam consists of a coursebook and MyEnglishLab. This combination of components will prove to satisfy your students' practice needs and allow them to achieve their full potential.

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Pearson Longman Complete PET Student's Book Without Answers with CD-ROM

An Essay on the Pain of Playing Video Games

Towards Mutual Recognition of Qualifications

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The Art of Failure

B1 Preliminary 2 Student's Book without Answers

Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's The Great American Read Six days ago, astronaut Mark Watney became one of the first people to walk on Mars. Now, he's sure he'll be the first person to die there. After a dust storm nearly kills him and forces his crew to evacuate while thinking him dead, Mark finds himself stranded and completely alone with no way to even signal Earth that he's alive—and even if

he could get word out, his supplies would be gone long before a rescue could arrive. Chances are, though, he won't have time to starve to death. The damaged machinery, unforgiving environment, or plain-old "human error" are much more likely to kill him first. But Mark isn't ready to give up yet. Drawing on his ingenuity, his engineering skills—and a relentless, dogged refusal to quit—he steadfastly confronts one seemingly insurmountable obstacle after the next. Will his resourcefulness be enough to overcome the impossible odds against him?

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This volume underlines the relevance of an empirical, data-based and scientifically informed approach to the teaching of a second or foreign language, even though the contributions gathered here carry out this task through very different means and with various theoretical underpinnings. This is evident especially in the different and versatile perspectives on academic issues in the linguistic and methodological sections of the volume. The contributions here are assembled according to their disciplinary categories of linguistics, methodology of teaching English, and cultural and literary studies.

The ONLY OFFICIAL question-and-answer book for the Life in the UK test. Life in the United Kingdom: Official Practice Questions and Answers is an essential study aid to help you pass the Life in the UK test first time. To help you prepare for your Life in the UK test and become a citizen or permanent resident of the UK, this question-and-answer book will test your knowledge of the official handbook, Life in the UK: A Guide for New Residents (3rd edition). Inside this book you will find: (i) Sample practice tests containing 24 questions each - just like the real official test; (ii) More than 400 questions based on the official handbook; (iii) Explanations for the answers to each question and references to pages within the official handbook to provide a complete learning experience; (iv) Important information about the Life in the UK test, and advice on how to prepare for your test

Conference Proceedings Bolzano-Bozen, 20-22 September 2007

Translation Revision and Post-editing

Common European Framework of Reference for Languages: Learning, Teaching, assessment

A2 Key for Schools 1 for the Revised 2020 Exam Student's Book without Answers

New Challenges for Language Testing

Headway English: B1 Student's Book Pack (DE/AT), with Audio-CD

Immigration Law is a straightforward, up-to-date and practical introduction to this changing area of law.

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The aim of this edited volume is to examine how current theories and principles underlying English as a Lingua Franca studies contribute to research on present pedagogical practices in ELF contexts. The book provides useful insights into pedagogical practices in different ELF settings and knowledge on the pedagogy-policy relationship in terms of ELF.

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Current Perspectives on Pedagogy for English as a Lingua Franca

A Practical Guide

Tests in Print

Validating Second Language Reading Examinations

PTE Academic Expert

An exploration of why we play video games despite the fact that we are almost certain to feel unhappy when we fail at them. We may think of video games as being "fun," but in The Art of Failure, Jesper Juul claims that this is almost entirely mistaken. When we play video games, our facial expressions are rarely those of happiness or bliss. Instead, we frown, grimace, and shout in frustration as we lose, or die, or fail to advance to the next level. Humans may have a fundamental desire to succeed and feel competent, but game players choose to engage in an activity in which they are nearly certain to fail and feel incompetent. So why do we play video games even though they make us unhappy? Juul examines this paradox. In video games, as in tragic works of art, literature, theater, and cinema, it seems that we want to experience unpleasantness even if we also dislike it. Reader or audience reaction to tragedy is often explained as catharsis, as a purging of negative emotions. But, Juul points out, this doesn't seem to be the case for video game players. Games do not purge us of unpleasant emotions; they produce them in the first place. What, then, does failure in video game playing do? Juul argues that failure in a game is unique in that when you fail in a game, you (not a character) are in some way inadequate. Yet games also motivate us to play more, in order to escape that inadequacy, and the feeling of escaping failure (often by improving skills) is a central enjoyment of games. Games, writes Juul, are the art of failure: the singular art form that sets us up for failure and allows us to experience it and experiment with it. The Art of Failure is essential reading for anyone interested in video games, whether as entertainment, art, or education.

This collection of the proceedings of the 3rd conference on bi- and multilingual universities, held at the Free University of Bozen-Bolzano from 20 to 22 September 2007, tries to give a state-of-the-art insight into theoretical and practical approaches towards implementing bi- and multilingual models and policies in higher education institutions in various parts of the world.

Translation Revision and Post-editing looks at the apparently dissolving boundary between correcting translations generated by human brains and those generated by machines. It presents new research on post-editing and revision in government and corporate translation departments, translation agencies, the literary publishing sector and the volunteer sector, as well as on training in both types of translation checking work. This collection includes empirical studies based on surveys, interviews and keystroke logging, as well as more theoretical contributions questioning such traditional distinctions as translating versus editing. The chapters discuss revision and post-editing involving eight languages: Afrikaans, Catalan, Dutch, English, Finnish, French, German and Spanish. Among the topics covered are translator/reviser relations and revising/post-editing by non-professionals. The book is key reading for researchers, instructors and advanced students in Translation Studies as well as for professional translators with a special interest in checking translations.

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Experiences and Proposals for University Language Centres

Industry Practices and Cognitive Processes

Immigration Law 2018

CEFR-informed Learning, Teaching and Assessment

Official Practice Questions and Answers

The Martian

Benny Lewis, who speaks over ten languages—all self-taught—runs the largest language-learning blog in the world, Fluent In 3 Months. Lewis is a full-time "language hacker," someone who devotes all of his time to finding better, faster, and more efficient ways to learn languages. Fluent in 3 Months: How Anyone at Any Age Can Learn to Speak Any Language from Anywhere in the World is a new blueprint for fast language learning. Lewis argues that you don't need a great memory or "the language gene" to learn a language quickly, and debunks a number of long-held beliefs, such as adults not being as good of language learners as children.

Complete PET is a brand new course for the PET exam. It combines the very best in contemporary classroom practice with stimulating topics aimed at teenagers and young adults. The course covers every part of the PET exam in detail providing preparation, practice, information and advice to ensure that students are fully prepared for every part of the exam. Informed by Cambridge's unique searchable database of real exam scripts, the Cambridge Learner Corpus, and providing an official PET past exam paper from Cambridge ESOL, Complete PET is the most authentic PET exam preparation course available.

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