



December 2008

KET and PET for Schools dates

These new exams follow the same format and have identical task types to the existing KET and PET exams, but include content specifically written for pupils in school.

There are six exam dates for **KET** and **PET for Schools**:

- Friday, 13 March 2009
- Saturday, 16 May 2009
- Saturday, 30 May 2009
- Wednesday, 10 June 2009
- Friday, 20 November 2009
- Saturday, 5 December 2009

Schools may choose to enter candidates for any version of the exams: KET, PET, KET for Schools, or PET for Schools. You can download copies of the [KET for Schools](#) and [PET for Schools](#) handbooks now.

Teacher Support Programme – 2009

We're delighted to invite you to our [seminars in 2009](#). Register early!

Enhanced results information

Cambridge ESOL is pleased to announce two important enhancements to the results information provided to candidates:

- 1) **KET, PET, FCE, CAE, CPE, BEC, ILEC** and **ICFE** candidates will be provided with a standardised score for the whole examination on a fixed scale out of 100. This score is an additional element to supplement the information already provided on the Statement of Results. Scores will appear on the Statement of Results, but not on the certificate.
- 2) **KET, PET, KET and PET for Schools** and **BEC Preliminary** candidates who do not achieve a passing grade but have demonstrated ability at the Council of Europe level below the examination they have taken will be awarded a certificate showing that level.

You can find more information about enhanced results information and the dates when these changes will be introduced [here](#).

What does success look like?

Cambridge ESOL provides a comprehensive service for disabled candidates including those with specific learning difficulties, hearing difficulties or visual difficulties.

Sofía Rivero-Borrell Suárez (a student at Universidad Panamericana Preparatoria Campus Yaocalli) took CAE in June with a hearing-impaired (lip-reading) version of the listening test and got 'A' in the exam. Congratulations, Sofi!



Season's Greetings!



May the holidays and the coming year hold good health and happiness for you.



The Cambridge ESOL Mexico office will close from Wednesday 24th December till Friday 2nd January.