

Why take CELPIP

CELPIP - General and CELPIP - LS are Canada's leading general English tests for immigration, citizenship, and professional designation

The CELPIP - General evaluates test taker's English listening, reading, writing, and speaking skills and is officially designated for permanent residence applications by **Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC)**, and is also accepted for professional designations. The CELPIP - LS evaluates test taker's English listening, and speaking skills and is officially designated for citizenship applications by IRCC, and is also accepted for professional designations. **Find out more at celPIP.ca**

Test Features



Computer-delivered Test

Done in just one sitting and includes features such as a personal timer, word counter, and spell-check



Single North American Accent

Easy-to-understand English and vocabulary taken from everyday situations



Quick Online Results

Available online in just 4 to 5 calendar days, with priority shipping available



Free Study Materials

Free sample tests, videos, online information sessions, preparation courses, and webinars

CELPIP - General Test Format

CELPIP - General total test time is about 3 hours and is done in one sitting

Listening

Listen to passages and answer questions

47–55 minutes

Reading

Read passages and answer questions

55–60 minutes

Writing

Respond to questions with written answers

53–60 minutes

Speaking

Reply to on-screen prompts verbally

15–20 minutes

CELPIP - LS Test Format

CELPIP - LS total test time is about 1 h 10m and is done in one sitting

Listening

Listen to passages and answer questions

47–55 minutes

Speaking

Reply to on-screen prompts verbally

15–20 minutes

\$280
+ Taxes

CELPIP - General Test

Evaluates test taker's English listening, reading, writing, and speaking skills and is used for permanent residence applications and professional designations.

\$195
+ Taxes

CELPIP - LS Test

Evaluates test taker's English speaking, and listening skills and is used for citizenship applications and professional designations.

“When I took CELPIP, I found it was like speaking English in real life. You speak every day with your boss and with your friends, and the CELPIP Test represents those every-day, real-life language situations.”

- Rafaela B., CELPIP test taker

“I had taken other English language proficiency before, and CELPIP was more relatable to me. All of the questions were situations I was familiar with from daily life, and were like conversations I had experienced personally.”

- Chrisna D., a CELPIP test taker

Canada

60+ locations



Testing frequency:

Monthly, simultaneous test sessions
in all cities

Test fee:

CELPIP-General: \$280 CAD + tax
CELPIP-General LS: \$195 CAD + tax

Test Scoring

CELPIP Level	CLB Level	Test Level Descriptor
12	12	Advanced proficiency in workplace and community contexts
11	11	Advanced proficiency in workplace and community contexts
10	10	Highly effective proficiency in workplace and community contexts
9	9	Effective proficiency in workplace and community contexts
8	8	Good proficiency in workplace and community contexts
7	7	Adequate proficiency in workplace and community contexts
6	6	Developing proficiency in workplace and community contexts
5	5	Acquiring proficiency in workplace and community contexts
4	4	Adequate proficiency for daily life activities
3	3	Some proficiency in limited contexts
M	0, 1, 2	Minimal proficiency or insufficient information to assess
NA	/	Not Administered: test taker did not receive this test component

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