What can I expect on test day?

Venue preparation
- Venue cleaning
- Social distancing
- Additional preparation

Measures taken during the test day
- Invigilators support
- Cloakroom protocol
- Temperature check-point
- ID check

What can you bring on the day of the test?
- Items allowed during the test day
Venue cleaning

Hand sanitizing stations will be available in various points.

A small trash bin will be situated next to the speaking desk to allow the test taker to safely dispose of their individual Task 2 preparation sheet.

For the paper-based test and speaking test:
Cleaning of facilities will take place prior to the entry of test takers into the test venue and test room.

Computer-delivered testing:
• Cleaning will take place before each test sitting, prior to test taker entry into the test venue and test room. This will include the cleaning of computer keyboards and mouses.
• Headphones will be fitted with disposable covers, and if not available in the venue, headphones will be sanitized after each use.
Social distancing

Test venues will comply with the social distancing rules defined by their local government. There will be social distancing posters/signs in test venues to inform test takers of the different positions at the venue.

Washroom breaks will be permitted by respecting social distancing.

Packages sent to test venue (handled by staff)

Test venue staff will wear gloves when handling, opening and disposing of packages that arrive at the test venue.

Disinfectant will be used to clean the external surfaces, paper bags and shrink wrap of packages.
Additional preparation

- Centres will have feet signs on the ground to maintain social distancing between test takers when queuing.
- Test centre staff will wear visors when in direct contact with test takers.
- Test centres will have plexiglass partitions on the registration desk to divide test day staff and test takers.
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Personal stationery (pen, pencil, eraser, sharpener). When this is not possible, the centre will make single-use stationery available.

Water in clear transparent bottle

Hand gloves

Face mask

Hand sanitizers in clear plastic bottles (the hand sanitizer liquid/gel can be coloured, but must be transparent)
Measures taken during test day
Invigilator responsibilities

Measures taken during test day

- Wearing a mask at all times
- Escorting the test taker to their seat
- Wearing gloves at all times and replacing them as required
- Ensuring the waiting area doesn't go beyond the maximum capacity
- Maintaining social and safe distancing
- Not handing in papers directly
- Any Health and Safety, specifically Covid-19 related incidents, will be reported to the Test Centre Manager by our invigilators.
Cloakroom

Test centres will continue to use a tagging system to store and protect test takers’ personal belongings:

Test centres will provide test takers single use, large plastic bags to place their personal belongings. These bags will be closed and labeled without test centre staff directly touching the belongings.

Test venue staff will wear gloves when handling, opening and disposing of packages that arrive at the test venue.
Measures taken during test day

- All thermometers will be no-contact models.
- Temperature check will either be at the entrance of the building or venue. If any test taker has flu-like symptoms and/or fever (↑37.5°C) they will not be allowed to enter the premises.
- A temperature check will be performed on each test taker just prior to each test session.
- Invigilators will check the temperature of test takers with their arm fully elongated while wearing gloves and a mask when performing these actions.
- A temperature check will be performed on all test venue staff and examiners on test day.

Temperature check and self-declaration health form
ID check

Test takers must sanitize their hands; and test venue staff will wear gloves when handling the attendance register.

The mask worn by the test taker must be removed during the identity check and IAM photo capture for the IELTS test. Test takers’ masks must be turned inside out for inspection.

Finger scanning will proceed as normal. The scanner will be cleaned after each use with an alcohol pad.

Invigilators will ask test takers to show their ‘open’ ID as they approach their testing desk.
Your health is our priority

We're ready for your visit!