



# TOEFL

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25年來，浦霖司頓一直在全球各地為學生及上班族提供教育諮詢服務。我們已經輔導了超過一百萬位同學改善他們的入學申請考試成績並使他們進入第一志願的學校。浦霖司頓是考試準備課程的領導者，我們的課程因有廣泛的資料庫、系統性教學、優良師資與成績滿意保證而擁有高度評價。

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## 卓越師資

我們的 TOEFL 老師均必須在測驗中得到高分，並通過嚴格面試及教學訓練之後方可成為浦霖司頓教學機構的老師。

## 小班制

我們的學生之所以有卓越的分數進步是因為每個班級保證不超過18位學生。每個學生都可感受到個人化的學習環境，同時我們也確保所有的學生都與老師、同學們有互動的機會。

## 免費的額外課程輔導

我們會確保您了解我們的解題技巧，所以當您想複習不清楚的題目，您可以安排輔導時間直到真正了解。

## 模擬考試

我們的測驗就像真正的 TOEFL 考試。每次做完測驗後您會得到一份詳細的成績報告，您可以藉此瞭解自己考試的優缺點。

## 滿意保證

我們保證您在上完課程之後會對您的成績感到滿意。如果不滿意，您可以在一年內免費再上課一次。 \*\*

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# The TOEFL *at-a-Glance*

## Structure

The TOEFL is a test that evaluates a non-native English speaker's ability to read, listen, speak, and write in English through the use of multiple-choice and student response questions. There are four sections on the test.

- Reading: 60-100 minutes, 3-5 passages, 12-14 questions per passage
- Listening: 60-90 minutes, 34-51 questions
- Speaking: 6 tasks with 15-30 seconds to prepare and 45-60 seconds to speak
- Writing: 50 minutes, 2 writing tasks

## Scoring

TOEFL scores vary in importance at different schools. Many schools have minimum score requirements, so contact schools about their specific requirements.

- Total score range: 0-120
- Individual section score range: 0-30
- Scores will be reported online 15 business days after the test.

## Registration

- The TOEFL is administered year round in test centers all over Taiwan.
- Register at [www.toefl.org](http://www.toefl.org)

## 試題結構

托福考試是給非以英文為母語的人在評估英文閱讀、聽力、口說與寫作能力方面所使用的選擇題式的考試。這個考試包含了四個部分。

- 閱讀： 60-100分鐘，3-5篇文章，每篇12-14個問題
- 聽力： 60-90分鐘，34-51個問題
- 口試： 6個問題，每個問題有15-30秒準備，45-60秒回答
- 作文： 50分鐘，共2篇文章寫作

## 計分方式

托福考試的分數對於不同的學校呈現不同的重要性。許多學校都有最低分數的要求因此必須與學校聯絡詢問他們的特殊要求。

- 總分分數範圍：0-120
- 個別部份分數範圍：0-30
- 成績將於考試後15個工作天於網路上公佈。

## 考試報名

- 全年度在台灣各個托福考試中心皆可報名參加考試。
- 如欲報名，網址 [www.toefl.org](http://www.toefl.org)

# Sample Questions

## Reading

City planners and development companies are slowly beginning to correct the mistakes made in urban development in the mid-twentieth century. ■ To replace buildings lost to bombings during World War II, architects and urban planners created practical buildings, in keeping with the **mood of the times**. Beauty was considered less important than function in the design of an urban space, so it was given little thought. In Europe and, later, the United States, older structures were razed, and bright new towers and roadways replaced them.

These structures were functional, but there was a problem. They did not satisfy the human desire for a pleasant environment. ■ By the end of the 1960s it became more common to plan new buildings as part of the existing urban **fabric**. Some valued buildings that had fallen into disrepair were rehabilitated and returned to economic productivity instead of being destroyed. ■

A particularly striking example of this new trend was the renewal of Ghirardelli Square, San Francisco. The square was originally home to the Ghirardelli family's chocolate, cocoa, mustard and box factory but was slated for remaking into a district of high-rent apartment towers after World War II. William Roth bought the factories to rescue them from destruction. ■ Nearly all of the nineteenth century buildings were retained and refurbished, and a low arcade was added on the waterfront. Perhaps the most telling gesture of respect for area history was the preservation of the huge Ghirardelli Sign, which was no longer in commercial use. The significance of the sign as a symbol of San Francisco's identity and character won out over simple considerations of function.

The renovation of Ghirardelli Square was so successful that it was named an official city landmark by the San Francisco municipal government, and from that point onwards it has been not only a universally recognized tourist symbol for San Francisco, but also a favorite with locals. Its shops, restaurants, and art galleries bustle with activity, as do its public spaces. There are several levels of walkways, dotted with kiosks and fountains, that offer views of San Francisco Bay.

2. The author uses the phrase **mood of the times** to indicate that

- (A) architects and planners frequently change their opinions
- (B) many damaged buildings needed to be replaced
- (C) city planning was part of a more general trend
- (D) no previous architects and planners had been practical

3. The word **fabric** in the passage is closest in meaning to

- (A) view
- (B) environment
- (C) surface
- (D) population

5. In paragraph three, Ghirardelli Square is discussed as an example of

- (A) constructing sophisticated apartment towers
- (B) changing the identity and character of a city
- (C) rebuilding a neighborhood while keeping old buildings
- (D) replacing aging factories to revitalize a community

9. Look at the four squares ■ that indicate where the following sentence could be added to the passage.

**The sacrifice of old buildings instead made cities seem unfriendly to people.**

Where would this sentence best fit?

## Speaking

### Independent Task: express an opinion on a familiar topic

Some people prefer to spend their free time alone. Others prefer to spend their free time with family and friends. Which do you prefer? Use details and reasons to explain your answer.

If you could travel back in time to meet a famous person from history, what person would you like to meet? Use specific reasons and examples to support your choice.

### Integrated Task: relate information from a reading passage and/or listening material

#### You will read

The Dean of the School of Fine Arts is pleased to announce that a design for the new university concert hall, to be located in the very center of the main campus, has been selected. The winning design is by the architectural firm of Jones and Miller. The strikingly modern design will incorporate steel, glass, and grey granite in a structure to house one main auditorium, three smaller recital halls, and classrooms and practice rooms for students of the music department. Asked about the dissimilarity between the concert hall and the more traditional architecture of the older buildings on campus, the Dean professed to find the contrast "very stimulating."

#### You will hear

*M: Have you seen the design for the new concert hall? What a monstrosity!*

*W: Why so negative? I'm excited to see it built.*

*M: But it's such a mismatch with the old buildings on the rest of campus.*

*W: Did you look closely at the design? You should. The architects are using new materials, but they looked at the older buildings to see what sort of themes there were. And they found they all have arched windows and steep roofs.*

*M: Sure.*

*W: Well, so, and what they did with the design was, they put arched windows and steep roofs into their design, so that it would harmonize with the existing buildings. I mean, you can't have a steep roof on a concert hall, but over the covered walkways, and in the roof over the entrance. I thought it was clever.*

*M: But it's still going to spoil the skyline.*

*W: No, see, it's not going to be as tall as the other buildings in central campus, so you'll still just see the big old buildings when you look from a distance. The view won't change.*

Question: The woman explains her opinion of the design for the new concert auditorium. State her opinion and explain the reasons she gives for holding that opinion.

## Writing

### Integrated Task: summarize the points made in the lecture you just heard, explaining how they relate to the points made in the reading

### Independent Task: express an opinion on a familiar topic

# Other Admissions Tests

## High School Level

### SSAT

This test is often required of students who wish to apply to private high schools in the United States. The SSAT consists of three sections—math, verbal, and reading—as well as a writing sample. The SSAT has both a lower-level (5th-7th grade) and an upper-level (8th-11th grade) version.

### SSAT

對於想要申請美國私立中學的人來說，這項考試的成績經常都會被要求。SSAT 除了三個部份，數學、語文、閱讀之外，還有寫作。SSAT 考試有分為低年級以及高年級版本。低年級的定義為目前就讀5到7年級的學生，高年級的定義為目前就讀8到11年級的學生。

## College Level

### SAT or ACT

The SAT and ACT are three- to four-hour long, general exams that test the verbal and math abilities of students applying to undergraduate colleges and universities. In addition to these areas, the SAT also tests writing skills (the writing test on the ACT is optional), and the ACT also tests science-reasoning skills. Most colleges and universities require one of these two exams as part of an individual's application package.

### SAT Subject Tests

The SAT Subject Tests are one-hour long tests in a variety of subject matters. There are a total of 20 different tests in the categories of English, Math, History, Social Studies, Science, and Foreign Language. While only some colleges actually require them, many colleges recommend applicants submit SAT Subject Test scores. Check university websites for more information.

### SAT 或 ACT

這兩種考試需時三至四小時，為那些想申請學院或大學的人測驗語文、數學及寫作能力。除了這些，ACT 還測驗科學推理能力。大部分的學院或大學都會要求這兩種考試中其中一項當做個人申請標準的必備成績。

### SAT Subject Tests

這個考試包含一連串一小時的各項學科測驗。總共有二十個不同的項目，像是英文、數學、歷史、社會學、科學，以及外語等。雖然只有一些學校會確實要求這些考試，但還是有許多的學校會建議學生呈遞 SAT Subject Test 的成績。請上大學的網站查詢更多相關的資訊。

## Graduate Level

### GRE

The GRE General Test is used to evaluate the verbal, quantitative reasoning, critical thinking, and analytical writing skills of prospective graduate school applicants. The exam is required by most graduate institutions and programs, with some specialized programs also requiring an additional GRE Subject Test.

### GMAT

This exam is generally required by business schools to assess the qualifications of applicants for advanced study in business and management. The GMAT consists of math and verbal sections, along with two timed essays.

### LSAT

The LSAT is a test required for admission to law school in the United States and most law schools in Canada. Testing a prospect's verbal, logical, and analytical reasoning skills, the LSAT helps law schools assess the qualifications of applicants.

### GRE

GRE 是用來評估研究所申請人的語文與計量推論、批判性思考、以及分析寫作技巧的考試。大部分的研究所都會要求這項考試成績，有些專門的系所還會要求其它 GRE 學科測驗。

### GMAT

這個測驗是一般商業研究所的要求，藉此來檢視所有要申請進階商業與管理研究所的入學資格。GMAT 包含數學與字彙兩部分，另外還有兩篇計時的文章。

### LSAT

對進入美國與大部分加拿大的法學院有興趣的人，必須參加這項考試。這項考試會測驗學生的語文能力以及邏輯分析推理能力，藉由 LSAT 來評估申請者的入學資格。

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