

ESOL International  
Sample English Writing Examination  
Level B2 Independent User

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**Instructions to learners**

Check that you have the correct paper. Please complete the information above.

Use black or blue ink. Do not use a pencil.

There are two tasks. You must attempt both tasks.

You may NOT use a dictionary.

Total marks available: 40

Allow time to check your work before the end of the examination.

You can ask for more writing paper if you need it.

You have **one hour** to finish the examination.

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**Formal Writing Task 1 - Allow 30 minutes for this task**

**Write an article for a local magazine about the benefits of recycling.**

**You could write about:**

- **Advantages and disadvantages of recycling different items**
- **The benefits to the community**
- **How recycling can help the environment**
- **What could happen if you do not recycle**

**Write 100 - 150 words.**

**You will be assessed on:**

- **content**
- **word order**
- **use of appropriate tenses**
- **use of conjunctions, adjectives and vocabulary**

**(20 Marks)**



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**Informal Writing Task 2 - Allow 30 minutes for this task**

**Write a letter to a friend describing an event that you have taken part in for charity.**

**You could write about:**

- **when the event took place**
- **what happened at the event**
- **why it was important to support the charity**
- **who else took part in the event**

**Write 150-200 words.**

**You will be assessed on:**

- **content**
- **word order**
- **use of appropriate tenses**
- **use of conjunctions, adjectives and vocabulary**

**(20 Marks)**



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