

**ESOL International
Sample English Writing Examination
Level C1 Advanced**

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Learner registration number _____

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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 **75 minutes** to finish the examination.

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Formal Writing Task 1 - Allow around 40 minutes for this task

You have ordered some flowers for a friend to say thank you for something they have done for you. When the flowers arrived, they were not in a good condition. Write a letter to the manager, Mrs Jones, complaining about the flowers.

You could write about:

- What you expect flowers to look like when they arrive
- Why it was important that the flowers were beautiful
- What you expect to happen next and why

Write 150-200 words.

You will be assessed on:

- content
- format and structure
- accuracy of the use of grammar and punctuation
- use of vocabulary for the specific context and purpose

(20 Marks)

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Informal Writing Task 2 - Allow around 35 minutes for this task.

Write a letter to a friend describing a new outfit you have bought for a special occasion.

You could write about:

- Where you went or what you bought
- What the outfit looks like
- What the occasion is
- Your feelings and emotions about both the outfit and the special occasion.

Write 250-300 words.

You will be assessed on:

- content
- format and structure
- accuracy of the use of grammar and punctuation
- use of vocabulary for the specific context and purpose

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