

IELTS Self-Study Links

Official Websites		
British Council: Free IELTS practice tests	https://takeielts.britishcouncil.org/take-ielts/prepare/free-ielts-english-practice-tests	Use for timed practice. Choose Academic Reading and Writing tasks. Check answers and note weak areas.
British Council: IELTS Ready	https://takeielts.britishcouncil.org/take-ielts/prepare/ielts-ready	Sign up for free and get access to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Six free practice tests covering all four IELTS skills • One IELTS familiarisation test • Videos, exercises and tips from teachers
IELTS.org: Academic sample test questions	https://ielts.org/take-a-test/preparation-resources/sample-test-questions/academic-test	Official IELTS website. Start here to understand the official Academic test format and question types.
IDP: Free IELTS Academic and General practice tests	https://ielts.idp.com/prepare/article-free-practice-tests	Overview of the test, with links to free sample questions. Remember to select IELTS Academic.
IDP: IELTS practice test materials	https://ielts.idp.com/prepare/all-test-types/all-skills/practice-test	Free practice by paper (Listening, Reading, Writing or Speaking) and question type. Remember to select IELTS Academic.
British Council: IELTS on computer practice	https://takeielts.britishcouncil.org/take-ielts/prepare/free-ielts-english-practice-tests/ielts-on-computer/practice-tests	Useful for familiarising yourself with the computer-based test.

Teacher Websites		
IELTS Liz	https://ieltsliz.com/	Use for clear explanations, especially Academic Writing Task 1, Task 2 and Speaking.
IELTS Advantage YouTube	https://www.youtube.com/c/IELTSAdvantage	Watch videos on Writing, Speaking and band-score strategy. Good for B2–C1 learners.
E2 IELTS YouTube	https://www.youtube.com/c/E2IELTS	Use for guided video lessons and strategies for each skill. Good for visual learners.
IELTS Simon	https://ielts-simon.com/	Use for short practice activities, Writing Task 2 ideas and exam technique.
IELTS Online Tests	https://ielts-onlinetests.com/	Use for extra mock tests after official practice. Do not rely on it as the main source.