

CANADIAN ACADEMIC ENGLISH LANGUAGE ASSESSMENT



What is CAEL?

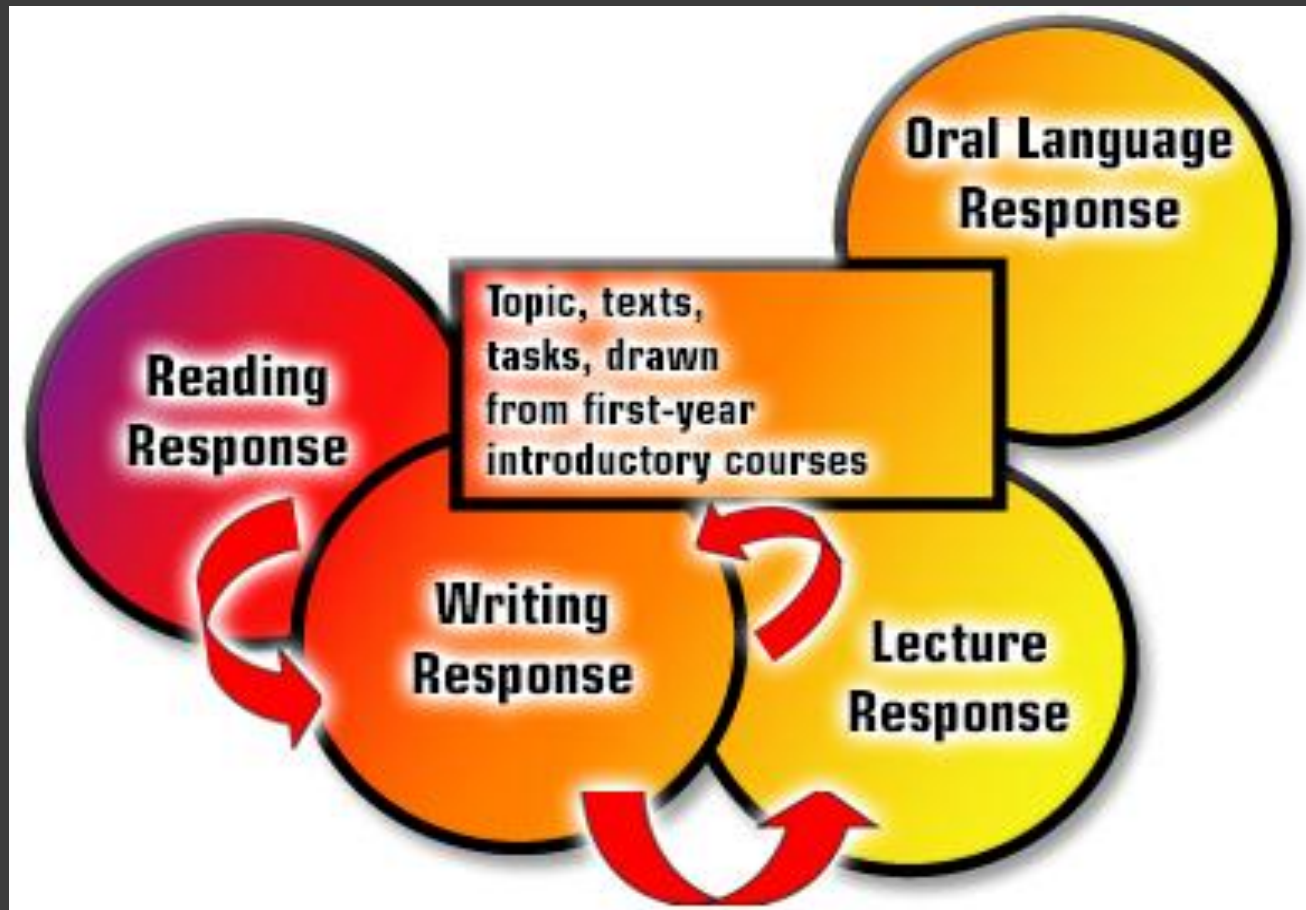
The Canadian Academic English Language Assessment (CAEL) is a standardized test of English in use for academic purposes. It is designed to measure the level of English language of test takers planning to study in English-medium colleges and universities.



Who takes the CAEL Assessment?

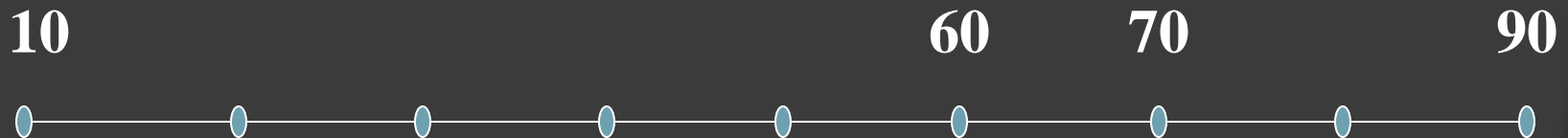
- **High school students**
- **College/university-level ESL students**
- **Undergraduate/graduate students**
- **Canadian / International market**

The CAEL Test



CAEL Band Scores

CAEL Assessment results range from
band level 10 to band level 90.



*Most Canadian universities
accept an overall Band Score
of 60-70.*

What does the CAEL Assessment offer the test taker?

- ⦿ Introduction to authentic post-secondary activities as they practice and prepare for the test.
- ⦿ Awareness of strengths and weaknesses in all four skill areas-reading, listening, writing and speaking
- ⦿ Understanding of the language abilities required to work with the demands of English in an academic context.

Partnering with Educators

- CAEL Preparation Courses-including course material-offered through ESL Departments;
- Promotion of CAEL Test Takers' Preparation Guide;
- Opportunities to lease the CAEL for placement test purposes;
- Establishing an Official CAEL Centre

Why Choose CAEL?

- The CAEL Assessment is integrated and topic-based
- Reflects the academic requirements of Canadian post-secondary education

Why Choose CAEL?

- ⦿ Reliable and valid test of academic English language proficiency
- ⦿ Integrates learning with testing
- ⦿ Aligned with the CLB
 - ⦿ **IT IS CANADIAN!**