



## Cambridge English Level 3 Certificate in ESOL International (Proficiency)\*

This is to certify that

## LUCAS VAN DER HORST BERMEJO

has been awarded

**Grade C** 

in the

## Certificate of Proficiency in English

Council of Europe Level C2

| Overall Score  | 204 |
|----------------|-----|
| Reading        | 200 |
| Use of English | 214 |
| Writing        | 190 |
| Listening      | 195 |
| Speaking       | 223 |

Date of Examination

DECEMBER 2018

Place of Entry

MADRID

Reference Number

18CES3838107

Accreditation Number

500/2429/2

\* This level refers to the UK National Qualifications Framework

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## **Proficiency**

Proficiency is a general proficiency examination at Level C2 in the Council of Europe's Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). It is at Level 3 in the UK National Qualifications Framework.

Results are reported using scores on the Cambridge English Scale and certificates are awarded to candidates who achieve the following grades:

Grade A - CEFR Level C2 (score 220-230)

Grade B - CEFR Level C2 (score 213-219)

Grade C - CEFR Level C2 (score 200-212)

Candidates who have not achieved a passing grade, but score between 180 and 199, receive a certificate stating they demonstrated ability at CEFR Level C1.

A † symbol next to the grade indicates that the candidate was exempt from satisfying the full range of assessment objectives in the examination.

The CEFR covers six levels of language proficiency. Research carried out by the Association of Language Testers in Europe (ALTE) shows what learners can typically do at each level. The table below gives examples of typical ability in each of the skill areas for CEFR Levels C2 and C1.

| Level C2                | Listening and Speaking  | Reading and Writing   |
|-------------------------|---|---|
| Overall general ability | CAN advise on or talk about complex or sensitive issues, understand colloquial references and deal confidently with difficult questions.                                      | CAN understand various documents, including the fine points of complex texts, and CAN write letters and meeting notes with good expression and accuracy.                    |
| Social & Tourist        | CAN understand detailed, complex discussions (for example in a radio interview).  | CAN understand complex opinions/arguments as expressed in serious newspapers.   |
|                         | CAN talk about complex or sensitive issues without awkwardness.   | CAN write letters on any subject with good expression and accuracy.   |
| Work                    | CAN handle complex, delicate or contentious issues.  CAN argue effectively for or against a case, and has sufficient language to be able to talk about/discuss                | CAN understand reports and most articles including complex ideas expressed in complex language.  CAN write quite lengthy reports with only the                              |
|                         | most aspects of her/his work.   | occasional, minor error, and without taking much longer than a native speaker.  |
| Study                   | CAN understand colloquial asides and cultural allusions.  | CAN access all sources of information quickly and reliably.   |
|                         | CAN follow abstract argumentation, for example the balancing of alternatives and the drawing of a conclusion.   | CAN make accurate and complete notes during the course of a lecture, seminar or tutorial.   |
| Level C1                | Listening and Speaking  | Reading and Writing   |
| Overall general ability | CAN contribute effectively to meetings and seminars within own area of work or keep up a casual conversation with a good degree of fluency, coping with abstract expressions. | CAN read quickly enough to cope with an academic course, and CAN take reasonably accurate notes in meetings or write a piece of work which shows an ability to communicate. |

Further information and examples of the ability statements can be found at alte.org

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