



CLT organises a **two-week intensive English oral coaching at B2 level from 31 August till 11 September 2020 (60 lesson periods)**. The main aim is to improve fluency and accuracy at this level. This course equips the participants with a broad and solid **language knowledge and communication skills** required in any setting calling for an effective and advanced use of English, such as an academic or a career context.

Intensive English language coaching at B2 level to boost your oral fluency and accuracy

100% e-learning

Target group and conditions of entry

Target group:

Anyone needing a broad and solid language knowledge and advanced oral communication skills, people in business, Bachelor, Master and PhD students, researchers, students and teachers preparing for CLIL or other academic programmes and exams. Anyone interested in learning languages for personal enrichment.

Conditions of entry: B1 certificate (Flemish Centre of Adult education, IELTS, TOEFL, Cambridge First Certificate) or a level 7/8 Vantage score in the CLT placement test. International certificates and the online placement test may be supplemented with an (online or face-to-face) interview in order to build homogenous class groups. The test can be taken online from 15 June onwards. If you score level 7 you can register directly. Should you score higher than the requested level, please contact marleen.vanderheiden@clt.kuleuven.be for an additional test.

Practical information

The course comprises 60 lesson periods (=50 hours) of distance learning consisting of online Zoom sessions, individual work and personal feedback.

Course duration:

60 lesson periods (= 50 hours) from 31 August till 11 September 2020

Course fee: 110 Euro (tuition fee, use of online platform, course materials)

Number of participants: min 13 – max 20

Schedule:

Monday to Friday from 9:00 till 16:00 : a mix of **online Zoom sessions (2x2 hours), personal feedback and independent work (2 hours).**

Certification: partial B2 certificate recognized by the Flemish Ministry of Education

Interested? Take the placement test from 15 June and register via www.clt.be.

Content

This course offers training at B2 level ¹. This means that if you comply with all exam formalities you qualify for a partial B2 certificate.

It aims **to improve**

1. fluency and confidence

- in social communication;
- when presenting information, describing and narrating;
- when expressing opinion and discussing;
- when collaborating and performing transactions;
- when comparing advantages and disadvantages of a project;
- when at a loss for words.

2. accuracy in grammar, vocabulary, register, spelling and pronunciation

- through error analysis and remedial language practice;
- by expanding range (vocabulary & grammar);

3. text structure

- when producing a coherent text;
- when presenting information and outlining a project;
- when summarizing and reporting.

4. Skills: mainly speaking and listening; reading as a basis for discussion

- by exposure and practice in class and online;
- through the use of compensation, planning, production, interaction and learning strategies.

It addresses individual needs

- through variation and differentiation;
- through personal feedback in class;
- through remediation of student specific problems via the online module.

¹ Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/linguistic/Source/Framework_EN.pdf