

# 2024-2025 POP Exam Format

## Exam Duration:

**Foundation:** 120 mins

**Pre-Int** 120 mins

**Intermediate: Session1:** 90 mins, **Session2:** 45 mins

**Upper-Intermediate: Session 1:** 90 mins, **Session 2:** 60 mins

Listening		
Anticipated Time (minutes)	~15-20	
Number of questions	20 x 1 pt	
Percentage	20	
Question types may include:		
• Matching	• Gist-content qts.	• Short Answer
• Multiple Choice	• Connecting-content qts.	• Summary Completion
• Comprehension qts.	• Fill in the Blank	• Detail qts.
<b>Note:</b> Listening texts will be played <i>TWICE</i> .		

Reading		
Anticipated Time (minutes)	~20-25	
Number of questions	20 x 1 pt	
Percentage	25	
Question types may include:		
• Short Answer	• Multiple Choice	• Finding the gist
• Matching Heading qts.	• Matching Paragraph Information qts.	• Sentence Completion qts.
• List Selection	• Categorizing qts.	• Table Completion
• Choosing a Title	• Matching Sentence Ending	Reference qts.
• Inference qts.	• Flow chart completion	Guessing the Meaning qts.

Use of English (Grammar)		
Anticipated Time (minutes)	~10-15	
Number of questions	10 X 1 pt	
Percentage	10	
Question types may include:		
• Asking Questions	• Multiple Choice	• Finding the Error
• Ordering	• Matching	• Fill in the Blank
• Cloze Test		

Vocabulary		
Anticipated Time (minutes)	~10-15	
Number of questions	10 X 1 pt	
Percentage	10	
Question types may include:		
• Matching	• Multiple choice	• Gap-filling with a 'pool' of answers
• Fill in the blank	• Definition and word matching	
• Cloze Test		

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<b>Speaking</b>	
Anticipated Time (minutes)	3-6 mins (for a student)
Percentage	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The format of the speaking paper will match the task types given in the course book.</li></ul>	

<b>Writing</b>	
Anticipated Time (minutes)	~45(for Foundation, Pre-Intermediate and Intermediate) ~60 (Upper intermediate)
Percentage	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The format of the writing paper will match the task types given in the course book.</li></ul>	