

EIKEN Test in Practical English Proficiency 2021-1 (Spring Session 2021) Application

If you wish to take the test at one of our approved KinderKids school test site, please apply directly on KinderKids / GradClub websites.

Please fill out the registration form. Once the registration is completed, an automatic reply will be sent to your registered email.

*In case you do not receive an automatic reply, it means your registration has not been completed yet.

*If you use an e-mail service provided by a phone company (such as docomo, au, SoftBank), please make sure to check your security settings to allow the following address eiken@kinderkids.ed.jp to be received.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact The EIKEN Rep. Tomoe Higashi from Mon.- Fri., from 9:00am – 6:00pm.

Application period ① : March 23rd – March 29th (~ 1:00PM)

※ Only students who are taking Eiken Class can apply this period.

Application period ② : March 30th – April 8th (~ 3:00PM)

※ Kinder Kids and Grad Club students who are not taking Eiken Class can apply this period.

1st Stage: Sunday, May 30th, 2021

*2nd Stage: Sunday, July 4th (Only for Grade 3 / Grade Pre-2 / Grade 2)

Locations: Group test sites, KinderKids Schools

(**Shinagawa / Nagoya / Nishinomiya / Takatsuki / Tennoji Yuhigaoka / Osaka**)

*The minimum number of examinees for each grade is 5.

*2nd Stage takes place at a public test site.

Times & Fees:	Opening Time	Test Start Time	Test End Time	Fees
Grade 5	2:00pm	2:40pm	3:30pm	¥3,000 (Testing Fee: ¥2,500, Handling Fee: ¥1,000)
Grade 4	9:50am	10:30am	11:35am	¥3,600 (Testing Fee: ¥2,900, Handling Fee: ¥1,000)
Grade 3	2:00pm	2:40pm	4:00pm	¥5,400 (Testing Fee: ¥4,800, Handling Fee: ¥1,500)
Grade Pre-2	9:35am	10:20am	12:05pm	¥6,400 (Testing Fee: ¥5,800, Handling Fee: ¥1,500)
Grade 2	1:30pm	2:10pm	16:05pm	¥7,000 (Testing Fee: ¥6,500, Handling Fee: ¥1,500)

K3 and GradClub Students are eligible to take the tests at any of our test sites.

- The fee will be withdrawn with the June tuition fee. In order to apply to the EIKEN Foundation, cancellation after April 8th or to carry over for the next session cannot be done under any circumstances.
- Handling Fee includes Postage Fee. Pass / Fail Notification will be directly mailed to your registered home address by the EIKEN Foundation.
- If the number of examinees for your grade is less than 5, your test at KinderKids School is automatically cancelled. In which case we will contact you on the day after the application deadline.
- To take the test at a public test site, you will need to check and apply on the EIKEN website or at any major bookstore in person.
- Please note that 2nd Stage test takes place at a public test site.
- **Speaking test for Grade 4 / Grade 5 takes place at home online. Please read the details below carefully before applying.**
- Please note that no one can enter the classrooms before Opening Time.
- Please note that the examinees for Grade 5 / Grade 4 are not allowed to enter the classrooms 15 minutes after the Test Start Time. The examinees for Grade 3 / Grade Pre-2 / Grade 2 are not allowed to enter the classrooms 30 minutes after the Test Start Time.
- Please prepare a pair of room shoes, some stationery, some drinks, and some lunch for your child (if you take one more test on that day). We will not provide any food or drinks.
- Please do not bring your cell phone / Smartphone or multifunction watch with you into the classroom.
- For those who will take one more test on the test day, the classrooms will be open for the examinees to have lunch. Please note that no staff will stay in the rooms during lunch. If the examinees leave the room for lunch, they cannot go back inside the room until the Test Start Time.
- **Application after the deadline cannot be accepted under any circumstances.**

What to do next

1. Please fill out the registration form on KinderKids / GradClub websites. Once the registration is completed, an automatic reply will be sent to your registered email. In case you don't receive an automatic reply, please call The EIKEN Rep. Tomoe Higashi.
 2. After the deadline, a coupon code for the website, "Study Gear" will be sent to your registered e-mail. ("Study Gear" is the website for studying EIKEN.) please make sure to check your security settings to allow the following address eiken@kinderkids.ed.jp to be received.
 - ※ If the number of examinees for your grade is less than 5, your test at KinderKids School is automatically cancelled. In which case we will contact you on the day after the application deadline.
 3. 1 week before the tests, a mail will be sent to you. The mail includes your personal examinee number and test venue.
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Should you have any questions about the application, please feel free to call The Eiken Rep. Tomoe Higashi at 06-6135-0140(Office) or 080-4103-5110(Cell Phone) from Mon.- Fri., from 9:00am - 6:00pm.

Grade 5 / Grade 4 Speaking Tests

***We cannot offer Grade 5 / Grade 4 Speaking Tests at our approved Kinderkids School test sites. Please take the online tests at home.**

*This is the excerpt from the official EIKEN website.

The 2nd Stage test is not given for Grade 5 / Grade 4. However, from 2016, new online speaking tests in which examinees record their answers have been introduced for both grades. The speaking test is not required to pass the Grade 5 or Grade 4 test. However, each person who registers for the Grade 5 or Grade 4 1st Stage test will be eligible to take the speaking test for that grade. Those who pass the Grade 5 or Grade 4 speaking test will receive a separate certificate stating that they have passed the speaking test of that grade.

“You can take the tests anytime, anywhere.”

In order to allow more English learners to easily take speaking tests, the tests are performed not by face-to-face interviews but by recording format using computers. You can access the test site on the Internet with your PC, smartphone, or tablet PC. You can take the test at any time within 1 year from the day of the 2nd Stage test.

“Grade 5 / Grade 4 Speaking Tests are new and different from old ones, judging the ability of speaking alone.”

Regardless of the score of 1st Stage, you can take the online speaking test. Its result will be scored by EIKEN CSE Score and judged by Pass / Fail. **Please note that the result has no bearing with those of the 1st Stage test of Grade 5 / Grade 4.**

“You can check the result online.”

You can check the result online 1 month after the test. Please log in the site with EIKEN ID and the password. **Please note that the result will not be sent to you.**

What to do next:

1. Apply for 1st Stage on the EIKEN website.
2. Take the test.
3. Obtain the EIKEN ID and the password with the result of 1st Stage.
4. Check and follow the procedure to apply for the online speaking test.
5. Take the test at any time within 1 year from the day of the 2nd Stage test.
6. Check the result scored by EIKEN CSE Score online, 1 month after the test.

For more details, please visit the official EIKEN website, <http://www.eiken.or.jp/eiken/exam/4s5s/> .