



## EXAM REGULATIONS

The Medical English Test C1 (MET C1) is an exam organised by the Jagiellonian University Medical College Language Centre twice a year: in the fall and winter editions.

The MET C1 exam certifies proficiency in Medical English at the C1 level and is intended for students and PhD students of the JU MC / JU (including those who have completed a language course at the JU MC Language Centre), employees of the JU MC / JU as well as all interested persons from outside academia.

### Registration

Registration for the MET C1 exam for students, PhD students and employees of the JU MC / JU is done through an application form available on the website – it is required to log in via your university account to complete the form.

Registration for the MET C1 exam for those outside of the JU MC / JU is done via email [egzamininy@cm-uj.krakow.pl](mailto:egzamininy@cm-uj.krakow.pl) – the organisers will then send a different application form as a file, which must be completed and sent back to the organisers via the same email along with confirmation of payment for the exam.

Registration for the exam must be completed by the date specified by the organisers on the website.

### Fee

Taking the MET C1 exam involves paying a fee by the deadline set by the organisers (detailed information about fees is available on the website).

If you cancel your MET C1 exam after paying the fee, you may request a full refund or apply the fee to the next exam edition. The choice is up to the participant.

If participants decide to apply for a full refund, they need to submit an application addressed to the Head of the JU MC Language Centre, in which one should include: name and surname, the account number to which the refund is to be made, and the amount of the exam fee. Please contact the organisers via email [egzamininy@cm-uj.krakow.pl](mailto:egzamininy@cm-uj.krakow.pl) in such case.

Please note that if you take the MET C1 exam and fail, the fee is not refunded.

Each MET C1 exam attempt is billed separately.

### Scores and grades

Medical English Test C1 includes two parts: written and oral.

The total number of points possible to obtain from both parts of the exam is 100: 65 points for the written exam and 35 points for the oral part.

To pass the exam, it is necessary to obtain at least 60% of the possible points from the whole exam, with at least 60% from the written exam and 60% from the oral part. Scores below 60% in any part are considered a failure.

The final exam grade is calculated according to the following grading scale:

- grade 3.0: from 60%
- grade 3.5: from 71%
- grade 4.0: from 76%
- grade 4.5: from 86%
- grade 5.0: from 91%

Below is the grade conversion rate for the MET C1 exam:

<b>C1 result</b>	<b>B2+ result (in USOS)</b>	<b>B2 result (in USOS)</b>
60-70% (3,0)	4,0	5,0
from 71% (3,5)	4,5	5,0
from 76% (4,0)	5,0	5,0
from 86% (4,5)	5,0	5,0

## Certificates

After passing the MET C1 exam, you will receive a certificate confirming your proficiency in Medical English at the C1 level, as defined by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

The MET C1 certificates exempt students from language classes and from the final English exam at the Jagiellonian University Medical College Language Centre. To receive this exemption, you must pass the MET C1 exam with a passing grade.

The MET C1 certificates are issued indefinitely to any participant who passes the exam.

There is no additional fee for the MET C1 certificate; it is included in the price of the exam.

The grade obtained from the exam is shown on the MET C1 certificate.

A MET C1 certificate obtained at the bachelor's degree program will continue to be valid for a second degree program, a master's degree program, as well as a doctoral program.

The MET C1 certificates are issued at the Office of the JU MC Language Centre – please contact the organisers first via email [egzaminny@cm-uj.krakow.pl](mailto:egzaminny@cm-uj.krakow.pl) if you wish to receive a certificate. If the participant does not collect their own certificate, it will be retained for one year and then destroyed.

## Exam results and review of papers

The MET C1 exam results are sent individually, via email, to each exam participant's mailbox specified in the application form.

Results are typically provided within 2 to 3 weeks after the exam. At the beginning of the written exam, the organisers will provide information about the date of the expected exam results.

Examination papers that are 1 to 3 points below the passing mark or 0.5 to 1 point short of a higher score are reviewed again by a second examiner.

After receiving the results of the MET C1 exam, it is possible to inspect the exam papers with one of the examiners. Information about the review date will be provided by email – please make an individual appointment to review your work.

The grade given by MET C1 examiners is final and not subject to appeal.

In the case of failing the entire MET C1 exam, but passing one of its parts, the participant may retake only one failed part of the exam. This applies only if the participant enrolls for the exam edition immediately following the edition in which they have already taken part. The participant is then required to reregister for the exam and pay the full exam fee again.

## **Organisational information**

MET C1 exam organisers are in touch with exam participants by email, keeping them up to date with all the most important organisational information and deadlines regarding the exam.

If you have any inquiries, please contact the organisers via email [egzaminy@cm-uj.krakow.pl](mailto:egzaminy@cm-uj.krakow.pl).

Participants are required to appear for the MET C1 exam at the scheduled date and time (this information is available on the JU MC Language Centre website, as well as emailed to participants by the organisers no later than the day before the exam). Tardiness may result in non-admission to the exam. In case of absence (e.g. due to illness) or cancellation of taking the exam, the organisers must be informed immediately (refund of the fee is possible – see section “Fee”).

At the beginning of the written exam, all participants will be given practical information on how to complete the written exam and how to fill out the exam sheets.

During both parts of the exam, it is prohibited to bring electronic devices such as cell phones, tablets, cameras, players, smartwatches, voice recorders, etc. into the exam room. It is also forbidden to bring notes or communicate with other examinees. Those who carry an electronic device, written notes or communicate with other examinees while taking the exam will be asked to leave the exam room and thus fail the exam. It is also forbidden to take examination materials out of the exam room.

## **Final provision**

By taking the MET C1 exam, you agree to comply with the following Regulations.