

**SLC**

Specialist Language Courses



REACH OET B NURSING

OET PREPARATION FROM EUROPE'S FIRST
ACCREDITED OET PREMIUM PREPARATION PROVIDER



ENGLISH LEVEL: B2-C1
Upper-intermediate – Advanced

Prepare your students to pass OET

Reach OET B Nursing enables schools and teachers to provide high quality, structured OET preparation courses to students who want to achieve a grade B in the OET Nursing test.

Reach OET B Nursing goes through the test paper by paper, question by question. It teaches the language, the techniques and the strategies students need to maximise their score. It includes expert insights, multiple practice activities, explanatory videos and model answers.

Your students take the course on your branded institutional platform with your logo, colours and imagery. Teachers can divide students into groups, get at-a-glance views on their progress, pull detailed reports and log in to student courses to check their answers.

Teachers get free logins, teacher guides with answers, audio transcripts, and lesson ideas, as well as ongoing support from SLC's academic department.

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"This has more than met my expectations. The course helped me to understand the test more in detail and how to handle different tasks."

Tashi Lhamo, OET Nursing candidate

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"The course is helpful, it really simplified what OET is all about and how to go about it."

Jennifer Ujuanbe, OET Nursing candidate

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"The course highlights very important points regarding all of the 4 sub-tests. The explanations are very easy to understand."

Cristiana Lemos, OET Nursing candidate

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Course Content

An Introduction to the OET

- About the test
- A personal experience of taking the OET
- Booking the test
- Medical and academic English
- What level do you need?

The Listening paper

- An overview
- Section A listening to consultations
- Section B listening to workplace conversations
- Section C listening to talks
- Analysing language and structure
- Comparing medical and everyday language
- Understanding numbers and statistics
- Understanding abbreviations and acronyms
- Practising different activity types
- Test practice

The reading paper

- An overview
- Section A rapid text analysis
- Section B understanding workplace texts
- Section C understanding longer articles
- Working with academic medical texts
- Analysing different types of text
- Understanding graphs and tables
- Completing a summary
- Answering multiple choice questions
- Test practice

The Writing paper

- An overview
- Planning letters
- Analysing case notes
- Writing referral letters
- Using the correct format and structure
- Using appropriate language
- Describing complaints and symptoms
- Describing about past medical history
- Describing diseases and conditions
- Describing tests, treatments, medications and surgery
- Making requests
- Saying what different healthcare professionals do
- Test practice

The speaking paper

- An overview
- Analysing different role plays
- The structure and format of the test
- Managing the warm-up conversation
- Starting the role play
- Using appropriate questions
- Describing symptoms and pain
- Describing tests, treatment, medications and side-effects
- Explaining wound care and dressings
- Giving advice and explanations
- Communicating empathetically and effectively
- Using everyday language
- Test practice

About Specialist Language Courses (SLC)

Based at the University of Sussex, SLC is the UK's leading provider of English language training to the global healthcare sector. SLC provides:

- OET assessment and test preparation programmes for international nurses and other healthcare professionals. SLC was the first accredited OET Premium Preparation Provider in Europe.
- IELTS assessment and preparation programmes for international doctors and nurses.
- Online Clinical English courses for medicine, nursing, pharmacy, radiography and care.
- Online English courses for Medical Terminology and Medical Academic Purposes.

We work with thousands of learners every year and specialise in working with healthcare professionals. Clients include universities, schools and healthcare employers around the world.

This course was written by Virginia Allum, SLC's Head of Medical English, an OET expert and internationally renowned medical English writer, lecturer and trainer.



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