

# ENGLISH FOR RADIOGRAPHY



ENGLISH LEVEL: B1-B2  
Intermediate & upper-intermediate

**Radiography is increasingly internationalised, driven by research, new technologies, a globalised workforce and an ageing patient population with changing health needs.**

English for Radiography is a unique online course written for professional and student radiographers.

It teaches the language that is needed to participate effectively in this international world – whether it be treating patients in English, keeping up with research or attending conferences.

## Organisational support

- ✓ Flexible access for learners
- ✓ Branded platform
- ✓ Learner activity tracking
- ✓ Detailed progress reporting
- ✓ Ongoing technical support

## All for free!

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This English course covers the language learners need to describe important areas of radiography, including:

- ✓ Role and responsibilities
- ✓ Patient communication in multiple scenarios
- ✓ MRI
- ✓ CT scans
- ✓ Safety in radiography
- ✓ Diagnosing and monitoring
- ✓ Training and skills

The course is dynamic and engaging. It includes video, audio, articles, vocabulary, grammar, recording and pronunciation activities.

## Accredited and certificated

The course is accredited by the UK CPD Standards Office, whose qualifications are recognised around the world. At the end of the course, learners receive a certificate with an achievement of 24 CPD points.



# Course Content

English for Radiography contains the following modules:

## 1. The Radiographer

- The job
- The training and skills you need
- Safety in radiography
- Patient communication: a patient history

## 2. The Chest X-ray

- The chest and ribs
- Respiration
- Diagnosing and monitoring
- Patient communication: instructing the patient

## 3. The CT Scan

- The CT scanner
- Having a CT scan
- The contrast medium in CT
- The uses of CT
- CT or virtual colonoscopy
- Patient communication: CT scans

## 4. Communication in Radiography

- Greeting the patient
- A communication framework in healthcare
- Communication style in radiography
- Communication for special situations
- Communicating with challenging patient

## 5. MRI

- What is magnetic resonance imaging?
- The uses of MRI
- Future developments in MRI
- MRI and patients



### About the Writer

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She works as an item writer for the Reading and Listening papers for the Occupational English Test and was a speaking examiner and team leader in southern Switzerland for Cambridge language exams, examining all levels (A2-C2).

Catherine is founder and director of EALTHY, the leading association for teachers of medical English. She is also a member of the editorial board of the English for Specific Purposes Journal, works as a medical English teacher trainer and develops medical English teaching materials.

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