

## **Instructions for Level Test and Level Test 3-skills**

## Instructions will be given to you throughout the test, but please read these before you begin each test.

- Before you start the real test, try doing a Sample Test, it will show you what types of questions you will see in your scored test.
- This is an adaptive test designed to make sure you are put on the right course. The difficulty of each question changes based on your previous answers, so you won't receive the same questions as your classmates. Do not be discouraged if questions get harder. There is no pass or fail mark so keep trying.
- Do not close the test down until you finish.
- You cannot return to questions later . The backwards and forwards browser buttons will not work. If you click on them by mistake and receive a "Conflict ID error" message, refresh your screen to return to the question.
- Avoid repeatedly clicking the same button, e.g. "Next". If there doesn't seem to be a response after clicking a button, refresh the page.
- If the test freezes for any reason, try refreshing the page.
- When you finish the tests, make sure you click on "Finish", so your answers are submitted and scored .

## Level Test (all-skills) instructions

- Microphones must be positioned correctly not too close or too far away from your mouth.
- Speak clearly, at a normal volume and speed, as if speaking on a phone. Do not touch or breathe into the microphone as it will make it difficult to detect your voice and give you a score.
- The test is designed to detect periods of silence and may close a question early if you do not appear to be participating.
- Remember that too many skipped questions or inaudible recorded answers may result in your test not being accurately scored.