

#### **Aptis** ESOL

### Digital Credentials Guide

Accredible

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# Digital credentials on a candidate report



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#### Aptis ESOL

#### **International Certificate**

The British Council Aptis ESOL International Certificate Level 2

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st centre	Variant	Certificate number	ID type
			123456789
			ID number
Overall CEFR	lovel: C4		
	level: C1		
Scale score		CEFR skill profile	
Skill name	Skill score	CEFR grade	
Listening	48/50	C1 C1 C1	C1
Reading	48/50	B2 B2	B2
Speaking	45/50	B1	
	42/50	A2	
Writing			
Writing Final Scale Score	183/200	A1	
		A1 A0	

After scanning the QR code or by following the link at the bottom of the certificate, you will be able to access a website page verifying the test results.

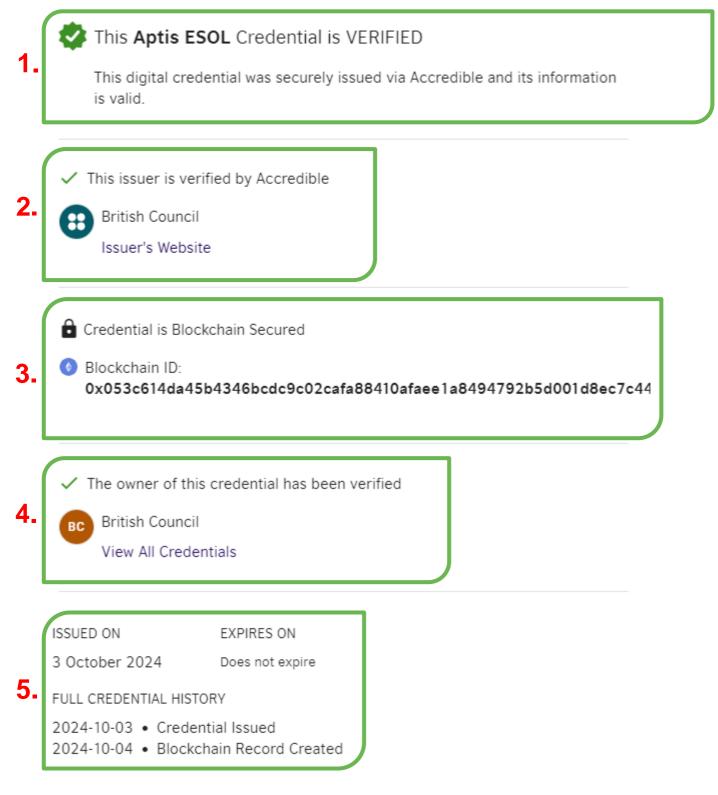
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# Verifying a candidate report on the Accredible webpage

😅 British Council 🛛		Credential Verification	
Aptis ESOL	1.	This credential is from a <b>verified</b> issuer	
⑦ HELP MORE ▼	3	📀 Blockchain ID: Copy 🛙	
Sign in to access more options		0x053c614da45b4346bcdc9c02ca a88410afaee1a8494792b5d001d8 c7c441e1	
View All Credentials	Ζ.	Verify Credential	
levels of the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). Aptis ESOL is a computer-based test with an innovative marking system. The productive skills of speaking and writing are marked by trained examiners as the tasks are authentic and communicative in nature. The reading and listening skills are scored automatically. Results are presented as both a numerical and a CEFR score and		British Council	
are available in 48 hours.			
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- 1. Information about the credential's issuer (the British Council) and the test variant. Please note that the 'sign in' option does not provide any additional information – you can access all the relevant details directly on this website.
- 2. Candidate's full name. It is not possible to view other credentials for a candidate as all issued certificates are private.
- 3. Credential verification. When clicking the 'Verify Credential' button, the Accredible platform compares the number generated on the credential today to the number previously written to the blockchain when the credential was first created and makes sure they're the same.

After you click on 'Verify Credential', a new pop-up window will open.



- 1. When a credential is verified, it means that the test results are confirmed.
- 2. This section confirms that the British Council is the issuer of the credential.
- 3. Blockchain credentials is the term given to digital credentials that are written to the blockchain to provide enhanced levels of security. They are used to prevent credential fraud and are effectively impossible to forge, alter, or remove. Accredible uses the Bitcoin blockchain to store an unchangeable record of credentials while ensuring they are easy to verify.

No private or personal information is stored on the blockchain. The only thing stored on the blockchain is a series of numbers mathematically derived from the credential information. Once a credential has been created, a 'receipt' is generated consisting of a series of numbers that represents the credential information. This receipt of creation is then written to the blockchain. When someone goes to verify a credential, Accredible can use this series of numbers to verify that the content displayed matches the original record.

- **4.** The owner of this credential is the British Council. It is not possible to view other credentials owned by the British Council as all issued certificates are private.
- 5. In this section you can see when the results were issued and when they were recorded to the blockchain.

It takes up to 48 hours after the certificate is issued for the credentials to be uploaded on blockchain.

### For more information on blockchain technology please refer to the following articles:

- What are Blockchain Credentials?
- How Does Blockchain Secure Credentials?