

LINGUA INGLESE - EFPP

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Timetable

DAY	TIME	ROOM
Mon 24 Feb	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Tue 25 Feb	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Wed 26 Feb	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Mon 2 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Tue 3 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Wed 4 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Mon 9 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Tue 10 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Wed 11 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM

DAY	TIME	ROOM
Mon 16 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Tue 17 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Wed 18 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Mon 23 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Tue 24 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Wed 25 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Mon 30 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Tue 31 Mar	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM
Wed 1 Apr	8-10	Laboratorio Lingue CM

18 lessons – 36 hours

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The course

The students will have to achieve a good lexical-grammatical B2 level of English in all four abilities (listening, reading, writing & speaking), according to the CEFR.

The students will understand financial-business English and will be able to read and understand texts related to finance and public policies as well as to communicate and interact in English.

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The course

Grammar topics covered:

present simple and present continuous, narrative tenses (past simple, past continuous, past perfect), present perfect and present perfect continuous, used to & would, relative clauses, the passive, future forms, modal verbs (obligation, permission, prohibition, ability, possibility), conditionals, reported speech.

Students are required to know all the language structures included in the B1 level.

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ESP topics covered:

**accounting and auditing, reporting, finance and investment,
corporate issues, risk management and failure**

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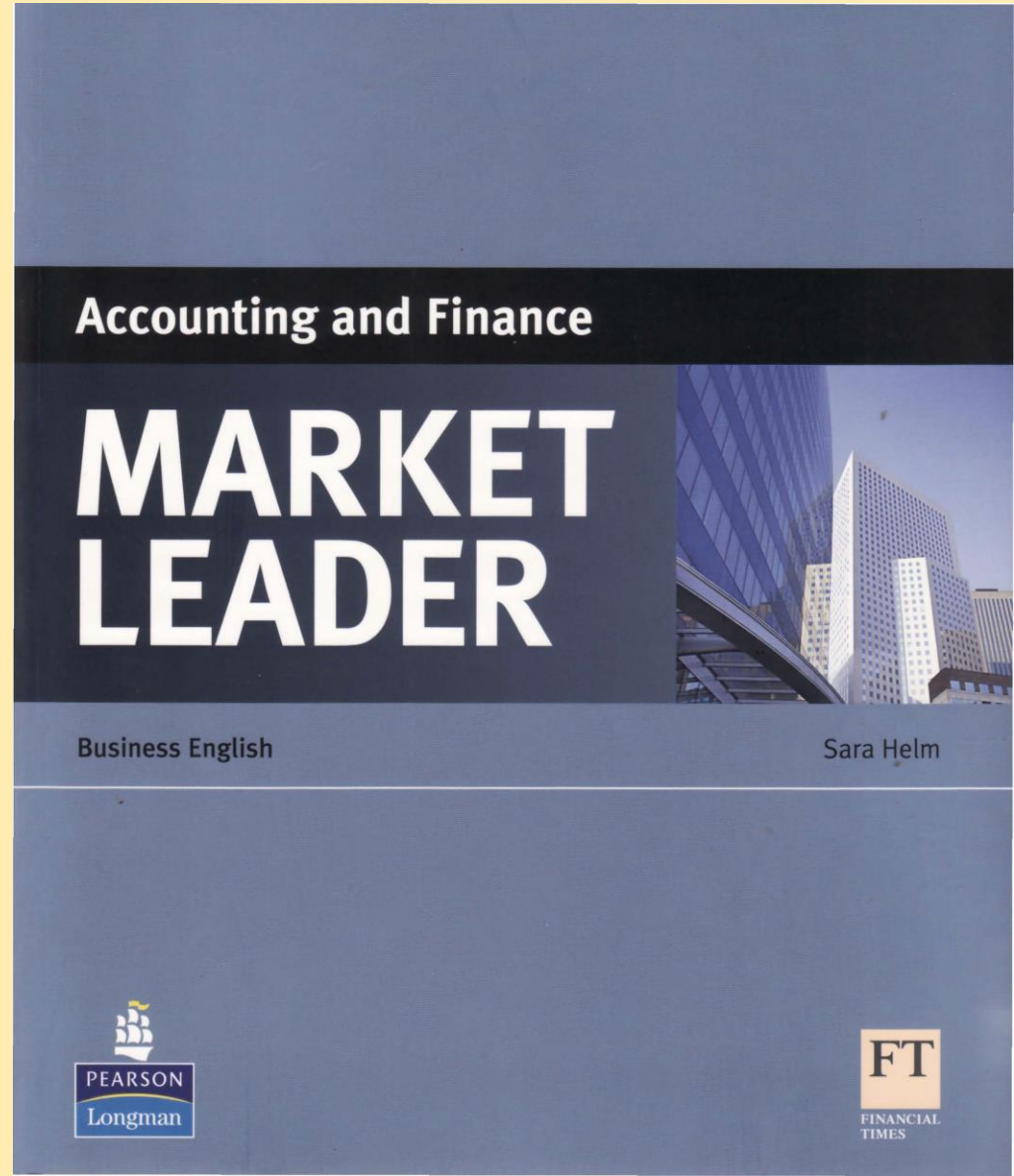
The course - Textbooks

HELM,

Market leader Accounting and Finance –

Student's book

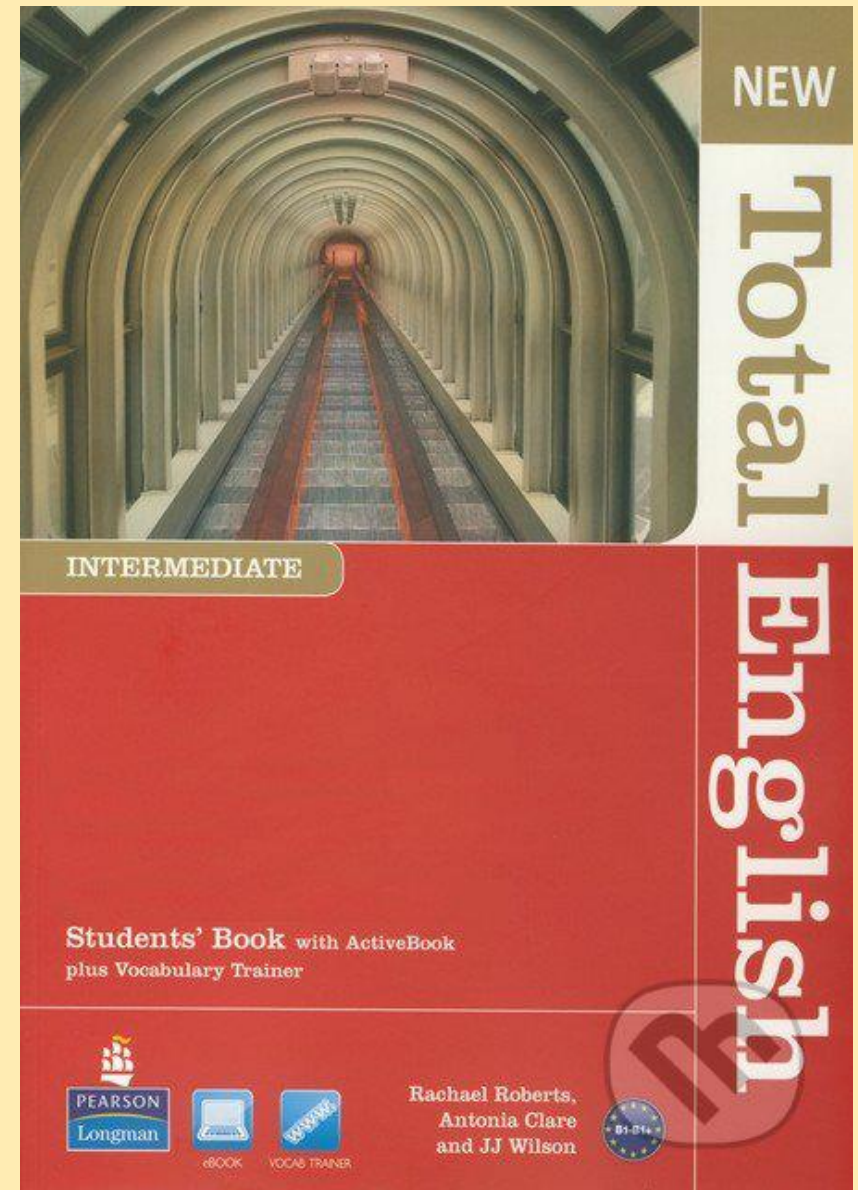
Pearson-Longman



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The course - Textbooks

ROBERTS, CLARE, WILSON,
New Total English Intermediate
(Students' book and workbook)
Pearson-Longman



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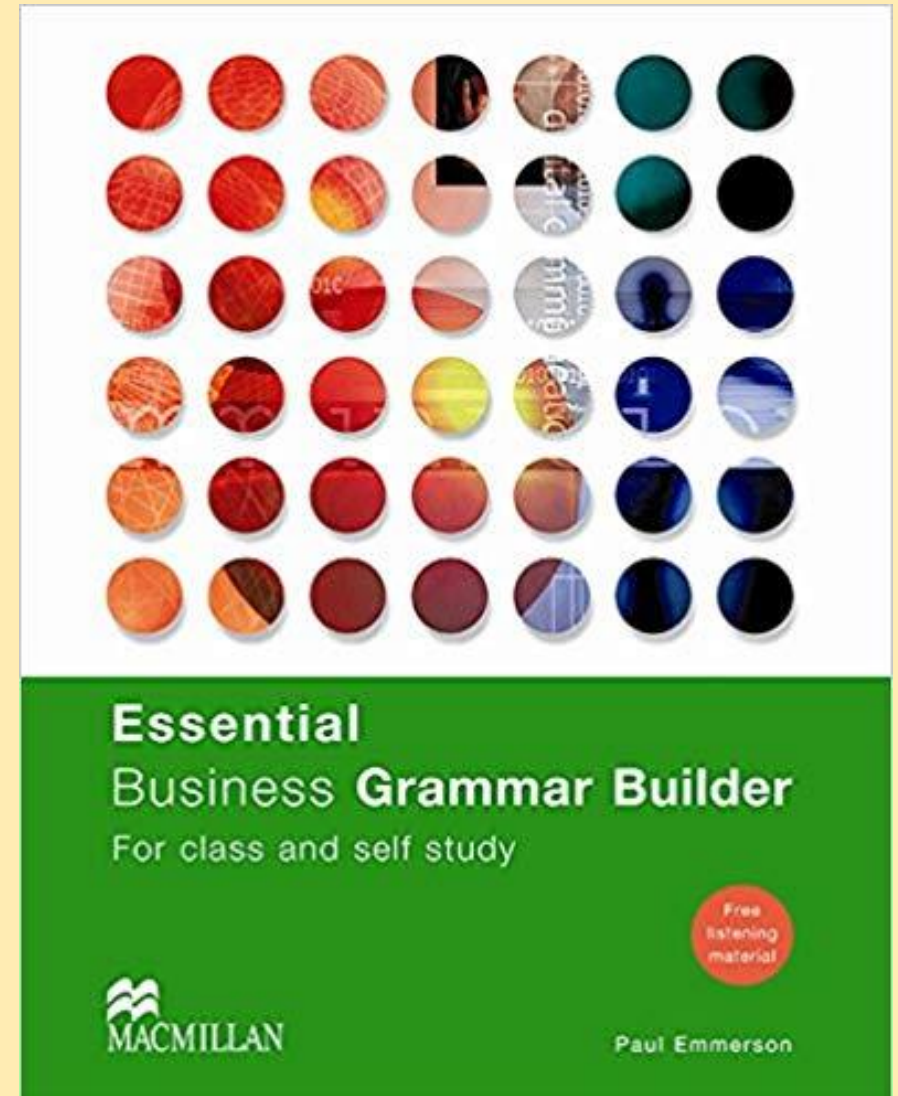
The course - Textbooks

EMMERSON,

Business Grammar Builder

(for class and self-study)

MacMillan



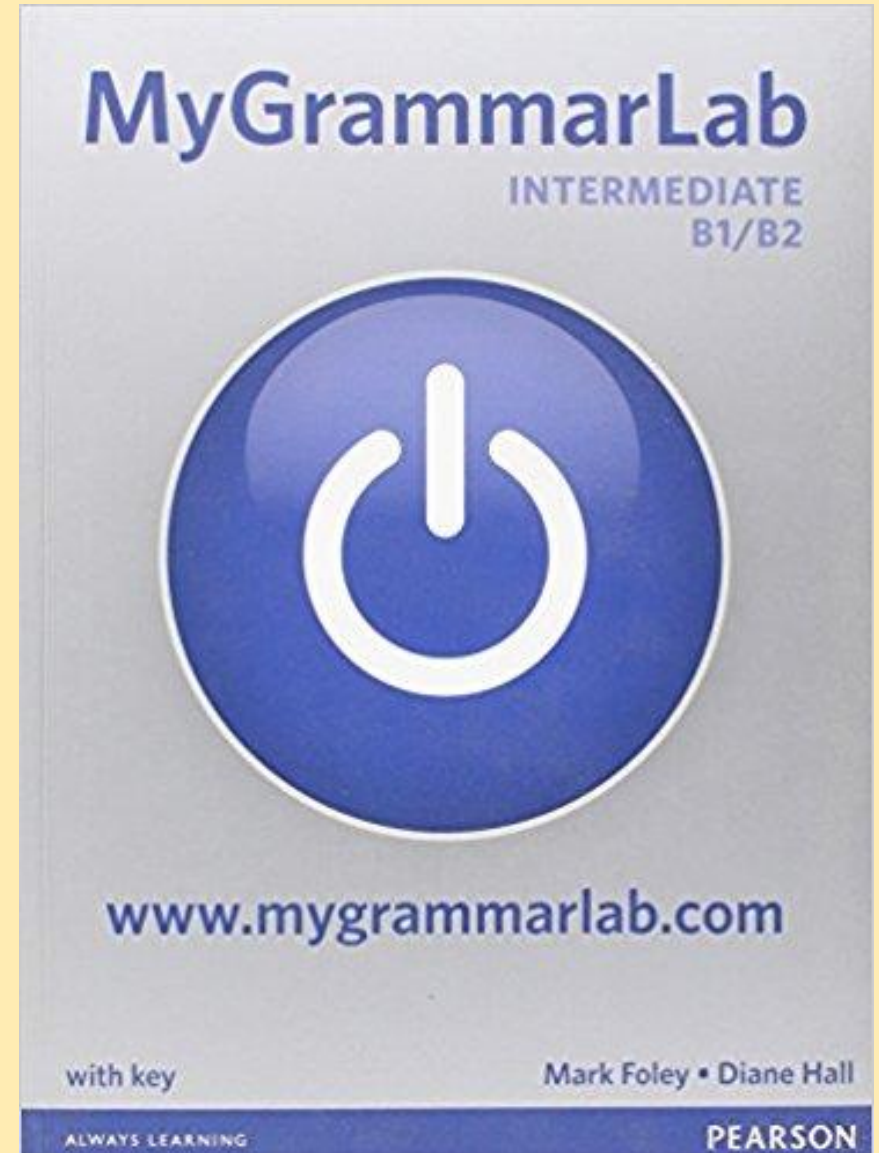
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The course - Textbooks

FOLEY - HALL,

My Grammar Lab Intermediate B1/B2 -

Pearson



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The exam

written + oral

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The exam - The written part

1) Listening comprehension

2) Use of English (grammar, sentence formation...)

3) Reading comprehension

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The exam - The written part

Listening comprehension

- Multiple choice
- True or false
- Open questions
- Fill in the gaps

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The exam - The written part

Use of English (grammar, sentence formation...)

Multiple choice

1 - If you need to contact me out of our usual office hours, please _____ the following number.

A telephone up

B ring

C ask

2 - Due to _____ heavy traffic, the bus to York will probably be late.

A because

B the

C to

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The exam - The written part

Reading comprehension

- Multiple choice
- True or false
- Open questions
- Fill in the gaps

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The exam - The written part

Reading comprehension

Comprehension exercises

What is the article about?

The author thinks that the company is going to fail

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The exam - The written part

Reading comprehension

Vocabulary exercises

Find words or phrases in the text corresponding to the following definitions:

- 1) A system of money in general use in a particular country. _____
- 2) A fixed regular payment, typically paid on a monthly basis but often expressed as an annual sum, made by an employer to an employee

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The exam - The written part

Reading comprehension

Vocabulary exercises

Find words or phrases in the text corresponding to the following definitions:

- 1) A system of money in general use in a particular country. ***currency***
- 2) A fixed regular payment, typically paid on a monthly basis but often expressed as an annual sum, made by an employer to an employee ***salary***

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The exam - The written part

Reading comprehension

Vocabulary exercises – word formation

Going overseas in order to experience a _____ way of life is what many people _____ of as travel, but travel does not _____ mean going abroad. How many people can say they have visited every part of _____ own country? Many people who live in vast _____ such as Russia and the USA have only _____ a small part of their own country, and so domestic travel is also very _____.

It's a surprising fact that about 75 _____ of US citizens do not own a passport, so _____ does not mean leaving the country for them.

DIFFER
THINK
NECESSARY
THEY
COUNTRY
VISIT
EXCITE
PERCENTAGE
TRAVEL

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The exam - The written part

Students must get at least 18/30 points in EACH part of the written exam to access the oral exam.

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The exam - The written part

Students who don't get a positive result in one or more parts of the written exam can retake the insufficient part(s), while the good one(s) remain valid for the following exam session ONLY.

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The exam - The written part

Example

Written exam result – June/July

Student number	Listening comprehension	Use of English	Reading comprehension
55555	23	NP	19

This student can retake the Use of English part in September. If he/she gets a sufficient mark, he/she **MUST** take the oral exam in September; if he/she doesn't, he/she has to retake the whole written exam.

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The exam - The oral part

The oral part must be taken in the same exam session of the written exam.

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The exam - The oral part

After answering general questions on their daily life, students will have to present an authentic financial-business article from a newspaper/magazine/blog in English. Then, they will be asked questions about it.

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The exam

Each part of the written exam has a final score then converted in a mark out of 30. The final mark will be based on the average of the marks of the three parts of the written exams, and will add a maximum of 4 points for the oral exams.

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The exam

Students need to sign up for both the written and the oral exam on esse3

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The exam - Certificates

International and CLA certifications of B2 or C1/C2 level will be awarded 3-5 cfu and could be spent for exemptions from the final exam. To this aim, all certifications mustn't be older than 1 January 2017. Such certifications cannot be accepted if presented for other accreditations.

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The exam - Certificates

B2 certificates → students must take the reading comprehension part of the written exam and the oral exam. The mark attributed to the listening comprehension and the use of English part is 24/30.

C1/C2 certificates → students must take the oral exam. The mark attributed to the written exam is 26/30.

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The exam - Certificates

- CAMBRIDGE ESOL
- TRINITY ISE
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- PEARSON ACADEMIC
- CLA (frequenza + profitto)

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Useful links and materials

- <https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/business-english>
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/learningenglish/business/talkingbusiness/index.shtml>
- <https://feedly.com/i/discover>