Which IELTS test do you need to study in the UK?

**Do you need a Student visa?**

- **NO**
  - You’ll only need to meet the entry requirements of your chosen university. You may be able to use an IELTS Academic test result from a test taken at any IELTS test centre.
  - Check with your chosen university

- **YES**
  - Are you studying at degree level or above?
    - **NO**
      - Are you studying with a Higher Education Institution that’s on the UKVI’s list of Student Sponsors?
        - **NO**
          - Do you already have an IELTS Academic test result?
            - **NO**
              - You’ll need to take IELTS for UKVI (Academic).
                - Check with UKVI and your chosen course provider
              - **YES**
                - Your result should still be accepted by UKVI.
                  - Check with UKVI and your chosen university
            - **YES**
              - Did you take your IELTS Academic test before 22 April, 2015?
                - **NO**
                  - Are you using your test result before 5 November, 2015?
                    - **NO**
                      - Check with UKVI and your chosen course provider
                    - **YES**
                      - Your result should still be accepted by UKVI.
                        - Check with UKVI and your chosen university
              - **YES**
                - Are you using your test result before 5 November, 2015?
                  - **YES**
                    - Your result should still be accepted by UKVI.
                      - Check with UKVI and your chosen university