

Personal Testimonial Letter

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From,
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To,
Cambridge English Team,
Cambridge University Press & Assessment.

Dear Cambridge English Team,

Taking C1 Advanced was more than an examination for me. As an English teacher and a Civil Engineering student, I wanted to measure years of learning against a respected international standard and prove to myself that I could reach an ambitious goal.

Preparing while balancing work and university required discipline, patience and consistency. Each paper challenged me differently: Reading demanded interpretation, Use of English precision, Writing organisation, Listening concentration, and Speaking the confidence to communicate naturally.

On 20 June 2026, in Belo Horizonte, I entered the examination nervous but prepared. Reading and Use of English were the most demanding, while Speaking felt intense and deeply rewarding.

Receiving Pass at Grade C, an overall score of 186 and CEFR Level C1 brought relief, pride and gratitude. The result reflects both the progress I have made and the path still ahead of me.

This certificate is proof of perseverance and a new beginning. I am especially grateful to Amanda, my family and everyone who believed in me throughout this journey.

Sincerely,

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