

Integrated Skills in English (ISE) withdrawal procedure for levels 0, I, II & III (original format)

Trinity has revised and updated its ISE qualifications and the following, original format ISE exams have been withdrawn:

- ISE 0 - 500/1938/7
- ISE I - 500/1936/3
- ISE II - 500/1937/5
- ISE III - 500/1935/1

Note, however, that ISE IV (500/3827/8) has NOT been withdrawn and continues to be available as part of Trinity's ISE suite of qualifications.

Consequently, from September 2015, the following ISE examinations are available:

ISE Foundation (A2) - 601/5514/0
ISE I (B1) - 601/5515/2
ISE II (B2) - 601/5516/4
ISE III (C1) - 601/5517/6
ISE IV - 500/3827/8 (original format)

Qualification end dates for original format ISE (Foundation, I, II & III levels)

- The final entry date for original format exams has passed – entries no longer accepted.
- Last certification date - **31 December 2016**.

Re-sits

In the original format ISE exam, candidates had to sit both the Reading & Writing exam part (the Controlled Written Exam + the Portfolio) and the Speaking & Listening exam part (the Interview) in order to be able to gain a pass overall. Candidates who failed either part of their original ISE exam have failed overall and must therefore retake all components – ie no components can be 'banked' for later use.

This means, any re-sit candidates have to enrol for and sit the new qualification.

Appeal candidates (original format exams)

Candidates who raise [an appeal](#) about their exam which is upheld will be entitled to the following:

- For the Reading and writing components (the Controlled Written Exam and the Portfolio), the candidate's original test scores will be adjusted according to Trinity's remarking procedures and a certificate issued.
- For the Speaking & Listening component (the Interview), the candidate may take the old qualification as long as it's completed by 31 August 2016.

Recognition of prior learning

No part of the original format ISE qualification may be used towards gaining the new qualification. This is consistent with the original format ISE rules that did not allow banking of results (described above under the 'Re-sits' heading).