



What is YLE?

YLE stands for **Young Learners Exams** and represents the first fundamental step in the English language learning process. Cambridge YLE are for children from 7 to 12 years old and consist of three levels:

- **Starters**, for beginners (exam fee € 61,00)
- **Movers**, which corresponds to QCER level A1 (exam fee € 67,00)
- **Flyers**, which corresponds to QCER level A2 (exam fee € 72,00)

Why take YLE?

Cambridge YLE gives kids the opportunity to become familiar with the world of Cambridge exams. The aims of the tests are:

- Verify that *young learners* acquire a basic knowledge of English vocabulary
- Measure the acquired competences
- Let children learn the exam rules and gain a first impression of exams
- Encourage and promote future learning of language

What is the exam like?

The exam is divided into three parts: *listening*, *reading&writing* and *speaking*. The written tests have a total duration of more or less 1 hour. The oral test could take place in a different day from the written part of the exam and it lasts approximately 5 minutes.

How do I prepare for it?

Candidates can prepare for YLE attending courses, or consulting the wide range of specifically arranged books and materials (paper and digital ones). To find materials or exams simulations visit <http://www.cambridgeenglish.org/exams/young-learners-english/starters/preparation/>

When can I do the exam?

Please visit <https://cemdesk.com/ihpalermo/examenes/1/>, select the YLE exams and then CERCA. You will see all the exam dates and will be able to pay online.

The Confirmation of Entry (location, timetable, etc) is sent via e-mail to the candidates the week before the exam. The speaking test may be before or after written papers and not necessarily on the same day.

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