Teacher’s Book

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Introduction

Who this book is for

*Complete Advanced Second Edition* is a stimulating and thorough preparation course for the revised Cambridge English: Advanced exam (Common European Framework of Reference level C1). It contains

- interesting authentic reading texts teaching the reading techniques and strategies needed to deal with exam reading tasks
- practice in the strategies and techniques required for Use of English tasks, now contained in the Reading and Use of English paper
- listening tasks which provide practice in the techniques and strategies for success in exam listening tasks
- a systematic approach to exam speaking tasks, with models for students to follow and clear outcomes to ensure improved exam performance
- many opportunities for further discussion and personalisation
- a systematic approach to writing tasks, building up writing skills using models to work from and sample answers to every task
- coverage of major grammar areas which students need to be proficient in to ensure success at Cambridge English: Advanced. This is supported by research from the Cambridge English Corpus. Part of the Cambridge English Corpus is the Cambridge Learner Corpus. This has been developed by Cambridge English Language Assessment and Cambridge University Press to provide evidence about language use in order to produce better language-teaching materials. It contains large numbers of scripts produced by candidates in Cambridge exams. The scripts have been error-coded to enable research into language areas which students at each exam level find problematic.
- extensive vocabulary input including in areas which the Cambridge English Corpus reveals that candidates have problems.

What the Teacher’s Book contains

- **Unit notes** for the 14 units of the Student’s Book which:
  - state the objectives of each unit
  - give step-by-step advice on how to treat each exercise in the unit
  - contain information about exam tasks and what they are testing
  - offer a wide range of suggestions for alternative treatments of the material in the Student’s Book
  - offer a wide range of ideas for extension activities to follow up Student’s Book activities
  - contain comprehensive answer keys for each activity and exercise
  - contain complete recording scripts. The sections of text which provide the answers to listening tasks are underlined.

- A Teacher’s Resources CD-ROM containing:
  - 14 photocopiable activities, one for each unit, designed to provide enjoyable recycling of work done in the Student’s Book unit, but without a specific exam-style focus. Each activity is accompanied by detailed teacher’s notes.
  - 14 photocopiable progress tests which test the grammar and vocabulary taught in the units and reading comprehension skills. Each test can be given to a class to do in a lesson of 60 minutes.
  - recording scripts without underlining to enable you to do further work with students on listening scripts
  - 14 photocopiable word lists covering vocabulary encountered in the Student’s Book. The vocabulary items are accompanied by definitions supplied by corpus-informed Cambridge dictionaries. These lists can be given to students for private study, reference or revision after they have completed the unit, or for reference while they are working on the unit if you prefer. The lists are intended as an extra tool for extending students’ vocabulary.