How to set-up your Post-16 CEM Assessments (WEB Only Version)

This document will provide guidance to successfully set-up and administer your post-16 CEM Assessments.

We will cover:

- Logging into the Alis/IBE+ Secure website
- Uploading student details
- Edit a student record/ Assign extra time to a student
- Find your cohort assessment Passkey
- Creating your Assessment shortcut
- · Checking who has been tested

Logging into the secure website

You will have received your unique username and password for the *Alis/CEM IBE+* website. The Secure site is where schools access their CEM assessments (and also find their feedback reports).

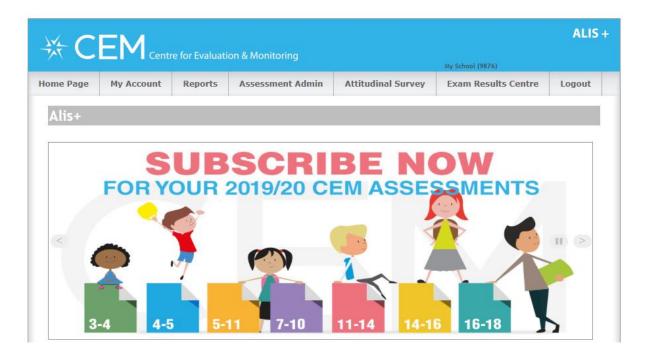
From the CEM website (<u>www.cem.org</u>) and from the *Secure Sites* menu option select either *Alis+* or *CEM IBE+*.



• Enter your school *Username* and *Password* into the relevant text boxes.

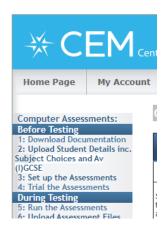


This is the Alis/ CEM IBE+ Secure website for your school.



• From the displayed menu choose Assessment Admin.

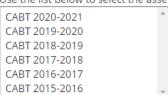
You will see new menu options on the left had side of the screen, as shown below:



- Select an option from the *Before testing* menu, in the example above we have chosen option 2 *Upload Student Details*.
- Highlight the most recent academic year from the options displayed and click OK.

Select Assessment

Use the list below to select the assessment that you would like to view.





This is the **Assessment Centre** where you will be able to do everything needed to successfully administer your assessments.



Upload student details

You can upload a list of the students who will be taking the CEM Assessment. This enables a student to choose their own name from a list when the assessment is launched.

 Choose the *Import* option from Assessment Centre and then *Select* the year group your details list relates to and click *OK*.



SELECT YEAR GROUP

This facility allows you to upload your candidate details into ou Please complete this upload at least 24 hours before you inten Select the year group that the CSV File applies to:



The details that your file can include are detailed in the table displayed on the resulting page, shown below.

Column Header	Description
Column Header	
* Surname	The surname by which the candidate is usually known
* First name	The first name by which the candidate is usually known
* Gender	M for male candidates or F for female candidates
* DOB	dd/mm/yyyy
Class	The class name can be up to 25 characters
Extra Time	Whether the candidate should have extra time for the test
UPN/student code	UPN (Unique Pupil Number)
MISID	Management Information System identifier
ULN	Unique Learner Number
UCI	Unique Candidate Identifier
Postcode	Postcode
Ethnicity	Ethnicity
Average GCSE Score 0-9 Scale	Average point score from GCSE using the 9-1 scale
Average GCSE score 0-58 scale	Average GCSE Score 0-58 scale
Attainment 8 for this student	Attainment 8 for this student

You can include subject choices in your post-16 student details file. It is worth remembering that this information is essential in order to receive individual student subject predictions and chances graphs. This information can be added and amended manually after testing has been completed but, to save time later, try and include as much information as possible at this stage.

Subject choices can be included as column headers or in-line text, an example of each option is given below:

Subject choices as column headers:

Р	Q	R	S	Т	U	٧
A2;Art	A2;Drama	A2;English Lang	A2;Maths	A2;Geography	A2;D&T Food	A2;History
у		у		У	У	
у		у	у			у
	у	у	у			
	у			У		у
	у			У		

Subject choices as in-line text:

Р	Q	R	S	Т
Subject1	Subject2	Subject3	Subject4	Subject5
A2;Art	A2;English Lang	A2;Maths	AS;Maths	AS;English
A2;Art	A2;English Lang	A2;Maths	A2;D&T Food	AS;Maths
A2;Drama	A2;English Lang	A2;Geography		
A2;Drama	A2;English Lang	A2;Maths		
A2;Drama	A2;English Lang	A2;D&T Food	A2;History	
		-	A2;History	

When you have created your file (using Excel and saving as a csv file) you can browse to where your file is saved by selecting Choose file.

Import Candidate Details for Year 12 CABT 2020-2021 The following steps enable you to import your candidate details, average GCSEs* and subject choices before running the assessment. a. Select the file using the button below Choose file No file chosen b. Does the file contain column headers? Yes O No Choose a file format No subject data O Contains qualification name and subject name as header Example file O Contains qualification name and subject name as inline text Example file What is the divider between qualification and subject? Do you want predictions to AS for your A2 subjects? O Yes O No Click to upload the file

UPLOAD

You will then have the option to match the headers in your file with the CEM Headers. If your file headers are the same as the CEM Headers then they should automatically match.

Import Candidate Details for Year 12 CABT 2020 2021

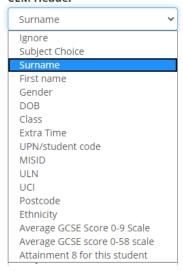
IBH;Geography

The following steps enable you to import your candidate details dy to run the assessment software The left hand column in the table below shows the column ders from your file. The columns are sh as Column_0 if no headings were provided. a. Please select the descriptions which best match the content of your file using each drop down list in the right hand column. Columns left as 'Ignore' will not be loaded into our system. Surname, Forename, Sex and Date Birth must be included. Note: If your subject data is showing as 'Ig then you may have selected the 'No subjer data' option or used the wrong delimiter on the previous page. Header in the file CEM Header Surname Surname First name Forename Gende Gender DOB DOB Class Class Extra Time ExtraTime Subject Choice A2;Mathematics Subject Choice A2;EnglishLanguage Subject Choice IBH;French

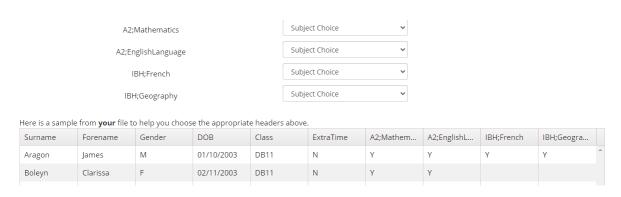
If any columns do not automatically match you can manually match by clicking the down arrow in each header box and make your match selection from the options available (shown below):

Subject Choice

CEM Header



This example file has subject choices as column headers.



We are now asked to confirm the qualifications our data relates to. If the match automatically made is incorrect click on the down arrow and choose from the other possible qualifications. Click Ok when ready.

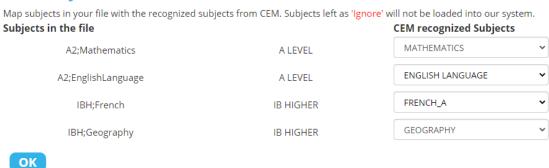
MAP QUALIFICATIONS Map qualifications in your file with the recognized qualifications from CEM. Qualifications left as 'Ignore' will not be loaded into our system. Qualifications in the file **CEM recognized qualifications** A2 IB HIGHER



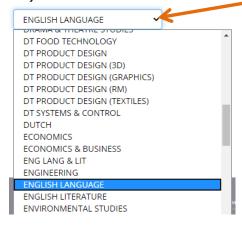
IBH

You will then be asked to map the subjects contained in your file.

MAP SUBJECTS



If any subjects do not automatically match click in the down arrow and manually match your subjects.



A final review before the details are loaded.

Once all matches have been made you have the chance to review what is going to be loaded.
 Click Next if you are happy to load.

Import Candidate Details for Year 12 CABT 2020-2021

 $The following steps \ enable \ you \ to \ import \ your \ candidate \ details \ ready \ to \ run \ the \ assessment \ software.$

Edit



NEXT

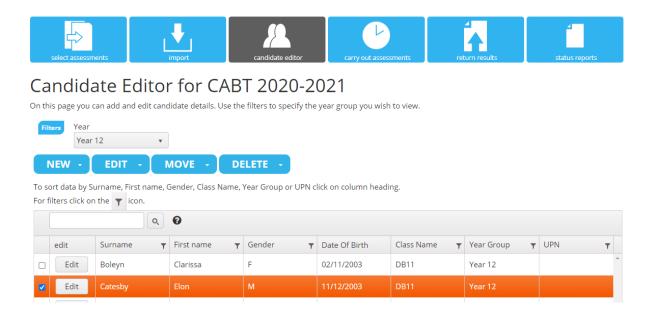
• Your details are now loaded!!

• **NOTE:** if you want to see what the assessment looks like then you can complete a test by creating an additional student record with a **TEST** forename and **TEST** surname. This will enable a test to be taken that will not then appear in your genuine assessment results feedback.

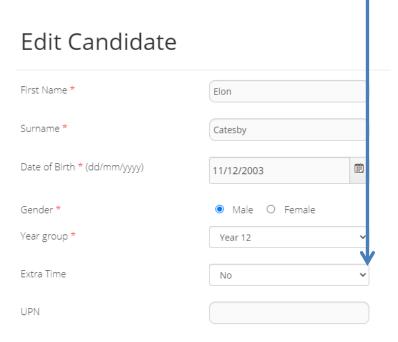
Editing a Candidate

Once you have loaded your student details, you can edit them by selecting *Candidate Editor*, then choose the required student record and click *Edit*.

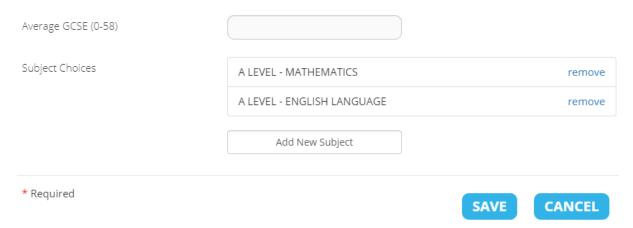
You can also create a new student or class by selecting **New**, or **Move** a student into a different year group or class, and also **Delete** a student record.



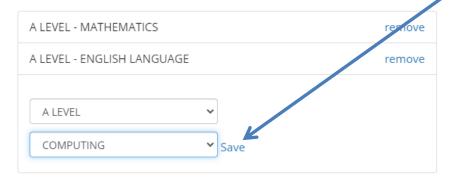
- If you need to edit a student record, highlight the student and click *Edit*.
- You will see this form. If you have any students who need the extra time version of the
 assessment click in the down arrow in the *Extra Time* field and change *No* to *Yes*.



• Scroll down the edit candidate form to see the subjects currently assigned to this student.



Additional subjects can be assigned to this student by clicking Add New Subject and choose
the correct qualification and subject from the resulting options. Click Save to add the new
subject to the other subjects for the student.



- If a student is no longer taking an assigned subject it can be removed by clicking *remove*.
- When all changes have been made, click Save.

Access the Assessment Shortcut and Assessment Passkey

To complete the assessments you will need to access the Assessment shortcut and Passkey.

- Select the *Carry out Assessments* menu option.
- When selected you will see a similar screenshot to the one shown below.











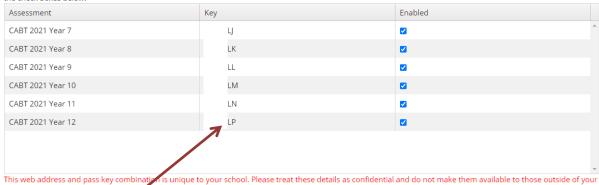


Carry Out Assessments for CABT 2020-2021

You have purchased a baseline test, which you can use to assess each child once. This baseline test is not designed to be used as a progress measure over time. Please note: For MidYIS/Yellis, testing a child more than once will not overwrite their original test result. In exceptional circumstances such as when a test has to be abandoned schools may contact us at secondary.support@cem.org to have a resit processed

PASS KEY FOR ASSESSMENT

For security reasons a pass key is required to access your assessment and these are listed below. These can be enabled or disabled for each individual year group using the check boxes below.



The Passkey for each assessment cohort you have opted to take will be displayed in the Key
column. Remember the passkey is unique to your school but is the same for each student
in the cohort.

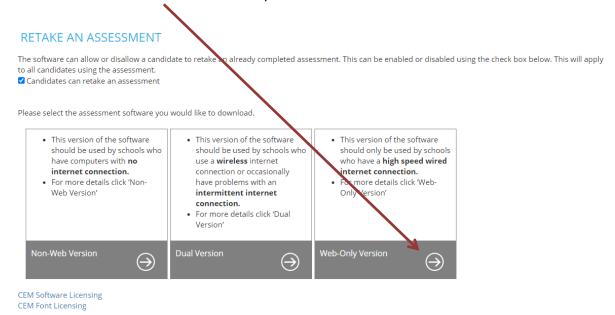
Choose the version of the assessment you will be taking

There are 3 versions of the assessment:

- Non-Web Version
- Dual Version
- Web-Only Version

In this guide we will show the Web-Only-Version process.

• Click on the *arrow* in the Web-Only box.



You will be taken to the Web delivered page.

• You can *Click here* to download the assessment shortcut.

Web Delivered Assessment for CABT 2020-2021

WEB-ONLY VERSION

Or

This version of the software should only be used by schools who have a high speed wired internet connection.

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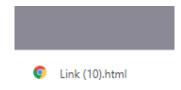
Click here to download the assessment shortcut.

Copy and paste the text below into a shortcut.

https://assessments.cem.org/cabt/GetSessionID.aspx?reg

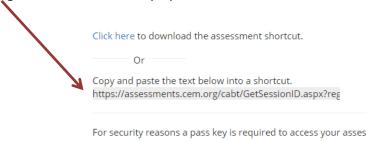
For security reasons a pass key is required to access your assessment. The pass key can be found on the 'carry out assessments' page.

• The **shortcut** will appear in the bottom left corner of your Chrome browser. This can then be saved somewhere on your school system, in a location where the students can access it.

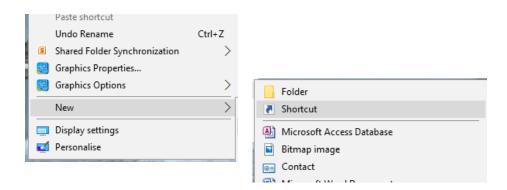


You can also create a desktop shortcut this way:

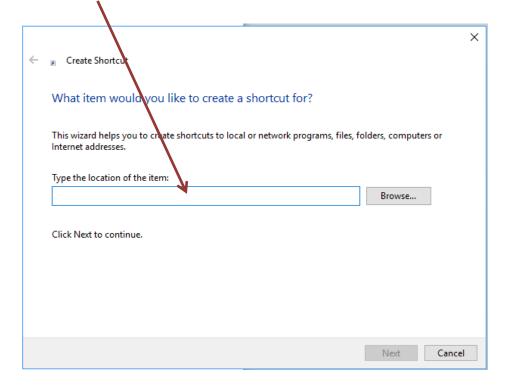
• Highlight the shortcut text displayed beneath the Click Here link and Copy.



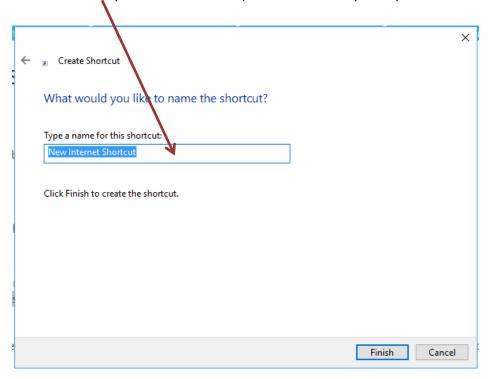
Go to your computer desktop and right click your mouse and select New then Shortcut.



• Paste the copied shortcut text into the location text box



Rename your assessment link (I have renamed my example test link to CABT 2021)



• My test link now looks like this on my computer desktop.



NOTE: the assessment link will be the same for all Pre and Post-16 CEM assessments your school may be taking.

The Passkey will determine the assessment a student is presented with, so it is very important that a student enters the correct cohort Passkey when they launch the assessment.

The Passkey is unique to the year group but is the same for each student in the cohort.

Testing students

When students come to take the assessment they will be required to do the following:

- The student will select the Assessment link
- They will enter the relevant Assessment **Passkey** (if your school are taking CEM Assessments with different cohorts make sure the <u>correct</u> cohort Passkey is used)
- The assessment will start
- If student details have been loaded prior to testing the student will **choose** their name from the displayed list. If their name is not displayed then they can click 'Add Name'
- The student will follow the **on-screen** instructions and **complete** the test
- When the assessment is completed the student will see an on-screen message to say the test has been completed and their results returned to CEM
- The internet browser can then be closed

What if something goes wrong?

Using the fully online version there is always the risk that an internet connection may be broken. This may result in the automatic transfer of a student's test responses file being unable to be transferred to CEM when the test is completed.

If this happens a message will be displayed on screen to say that the transfer of the completed assessment file has failed.

Don't worry the results can be returned to us manually.

You will be prompted to save the results file somewhere on your computer. We would recommend saving the file to your computer desktop or documents folder, and rename it as the name of the student.

This can then be returned using the *Return Results* menu option from Assessment Centre. Simply click *Choose File* and browse to where your file is saved and click *Upload*.













Return Results

This page should be used to return your assessment data for the Non-Web Version of the assessment software or where the web connection failed during automatic return of data (Instructions on how to create the file for upload can be found in the FAQ section).

Choose file No file chosen



Checking who has been tested

By selecting the *Status Reports* menu option in Assessment Centre you can see who has completed the assessment and who is still to be tested, example shown below:

