Test Centre Feedback: Updated September 2019

Exam candidates often provide feedback of their experiences of other test centres, we have collated your views, please offer feedback to our staff if you feel these comments do not match your own:

Test Center Location	Star Rating		Candidate Comments:
Bath: Verhoef Training	Parking:	★☆☆☆☆	Parking difficult due to location of centre
	Test Room:	★★☆☆☆	Test room noisy as room next to main road. no secondary glazing so lorries can be heard passing. No Lockers to secure, items only trays.
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	Staff Ok
	Location:	★★★☆☆	By car ok, parking could be an issue but 15 minute walk from train station
	Availability:	★☆☆☆☆	Few dates available

Barnstable: Lineal Software Solutions	Parking:	★★☆☆☆	Parking Available at nearby car park.
	Test Room:	★☆☆☆☆	The test room is situated where the Servers are held, which can be noisy but they will provide you with ear plugs.
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	Staff ok.
	Location:	★★★☆☆	Business friendly environment
	Availability:	★☆☆☆☆	Few dates available

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Bristol: Almondsbury	**Parking:**	★☆☆☆☆	Parking difficult as little space around business park
	Test Room:	★★★☆☆	Comfortable.
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	Staff ok.
	Location:	★★★☆☆	Business friendly environment
	Availability:	★☆☆☆☆	Few dates available

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Bristol: Temple Meads Pearson Vue	**Parking:**	★☆☆☆☆	Parking limited, accept Multi-storey which is expensive
	Test Room:	★★☆☆☆	Test room noisy with constant interruption's due to Driving learner tests & CITB tests, but room ok, at times may have to que outside.
	Atmosphere:	★☆☆☆☆	Felt like cattle market due to the number of candidates sitting tests
	Location:	★★★☆☆	Good if travelling by train
	Availability:	★★☆☆☆	can be up to 2 months before any dates available

Test Center Location		Star Rating	Candidate Comments:
Exeter: Nexus Open Systems Ltd	**Parking:**	★★☆☆☆	Parking difficult as little space around business park
	Test Room:	★★★☆☆	Comfortable.
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	Staff Ok
	Location:	★★★★☆	Business friendly environment
	Availability:	★☆☆☆☆	Few dates available

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Gloucester: System Force IT Ltd	**Parking:**	★☆☆☆☆	**Parking limited to two spaces**
	Test Room:	★☆☆☆☆	**Reasonable facilities, but noise from other businesses can be heard in test room.**
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	**Staff Ok**
	Location:	★★★★☆	**Business friendly environment**
	Availability:	★★★☆☆	**Dates available on a weekly basis**
Highbridge: Sense IT Training	**Parking:**	★★★★☆	**Parking available, Side Streets Free, Main Car park 5-minute walk**
	Test Room:	★★★★★	**Quiet, Secondary Glazing, 25+ seats available**
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	**Staff Ok**
	Location:	★★★★☆	**Business friendly environment, local shops, Train Station 8-minute walk**
	Availability:	★★★★★	**Dates available on a weekly basis, some Saturday's**
Newport, NILC Ltd	**Parking:**	★☆☆☆☆	**Parking limited, spaces in front of centre but meter only max 1 hour, other parking: old run down shop site**
	Test Room:	★★☆☆☆	**Test room noisy as room next to main road. no secondary glazing so lorries can be heard passing.**
	Atmosphere:	★★★☆☆	**Staff ok**
	Location:	★☆☆☆☆	**Felt nervous parking my car in the area, not a desirable or Secure area**
	Availability:	★★★★★	**Plenty of dates**

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Plymouth: Blue Screen IT	**Parking:**	⭐⭐⭐⭐☆	**Parking available**
	Test Room:	⭐⭐☆☆☆	**Reasonable facilities (only 3 test pcs available)**
	Atmosphere:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Staff Ok**
	Location:	⭐⭐⭐⭐☆	**Business friendly environment**
	Availability:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Dates available on a weekly basis**

Reading: Spark Educare	**Parking:**	⭐☆☆☆☆	**Parking difficult due to location of centre**
	Test Room:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Reasonable facilities**
	Atmosphere:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Staff Ok**
	Location:	⭐☆☆☆☆	**Very Difficult to get to**
	Availability:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Dates available on a weekly basis**

Taunton: Pearson Vue	**Parking:**	⭐☆☆☆☆	**Parking difficult due to location of centre**
	Test Room:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Test room noisy due to constant interruption's with Driving learner tests & CITB tests, but room ok**
	Atmosphere:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Staff Ok**
	Location:	⭐⭐⭐⭐☆	**Business friendly environment**
	Availability:	⭐⭐☆☆☆	**can be up to 2 months before any dates available**

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Yeovil: Pearson Vue	**Parking:**	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Parking available**
	Test Room:	⭐⭐☆☆☆	**Test room only has six seats, noisy due to constant interruption's with Driving learner tests & CITB tests.**
	Atmosphere:	⭐⭐⭐☆☆	**Staff Ok**
	Location:	⭐⭐⭐⭐☆	**Business friendly environment**
	Availability:	⭐⭐☆☆☆	**can be up to 1 month before any dates available**