Languages Self Assessment Form



This form is designed to guide you towards the right language level.

Tick the appropriate statements to help you decide which level might be suitable for you. is a generic form for all the courses offered at Activate learning. For more information about levels you can

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Beginners Year 1	semester 1	I have no previous knowledge of this language	If you tick either statement, join a Beginners course. You do not need to continue with this form.
		I know only a few words and phrases in this language	
Beginners Year 1 semester 2	- 1	I have studied the language for approximately 20 hours in an adult education environment or similar	If you ticked at least 5 statements or have done the very basic of the language in the past, a Beginners Y1 Semester 2 course should be suitable for you. This group has done one term of previous study of the language
		I have studied the language at a basic level in the past and my skills are rusty	
		I can say who I am, my nationality and job, and ask other people's	
		I can give and ask for directions	
		I can count up to 100	
)	I can order food and drink in a bar and understand a menu in a restaurant	
		I can give information about myself and my family	
		I am familiar with the alphabet and could spell words	
		I can greet people and make introductions with confidence	If you ticked at least 6 statements then a Beginners Year 2 course should be suitable for you. This group has 1 year of previous study of the language at beginners level
		I can give personal information (name, address, nationality, job etc.)	
		I can ask and tell the time	
Beginners Year 2		I can talk about my daily routine. I can say I get up, get dressed, I go to work or I have a Shower	
		I can talk about what I do every day	
		I can talk about my free time	
		I can describe people and things (e.g.my family, my house)	
		I can shop for food and clothes	
		I can describe colours and fruit	
		I can talk about the weather	

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		I can use vocabulary to shop for food and clothes with some confidence	If you ticked at least 4 statements then a Pre- Intermediate course should be suitable for you. You can Join a Pre-Intermediate Year 1 Which corresponds to the first year of this level. Or Pre-Intemediate Year 2 Which corresponds to the second year of this level
		I can talk about what I do at present and what I did in the past	
iate		I can talk about likes and dislikes with some detail e.g. free time activities	
Pre- Intermediate		I can talk about my plans for the future	
- Inte		I can talk about what I have done in the past	
Pre		I can describe objects, lost property, and say what is mine or yours	
		I cand say if I am not feeling well and explain some sympthoms	
		I can make comparisons, better than, worse than, the best, the worst	
		I can describe my town, and tal about the best and worst of it	If you ticked at least 8 statements then an Intermediate course should be suitable for you. You can Join Intermediate Year 1 which corresponds to the first year of this level. Or Intermediate Year 2 Which corresponds to the second year of this level
		I can talk and compare how things were in the past and how they are now	
		I can talk about what I will do if	
		I can talk about what I am going to do	
		I can describe the weather where I am and talk how the weather is going to be	
diate		I can write an essay of 60-80 words on a familiar topic.	
Intermediate		I can give and respond to invitations.	
Ē		I can give some basic commands and follow intructions e.g. a recipe	
		I can express and understand points of view with some confidence	
		I can talk about what I have just done and what I did in the past	
		I can use prepositions with some confidence.	
		I can use most of the pronouns with some confidence.	
		I can understand the gist of a short dialogue	

	I can talk confidently about familiar topics	
	I can talk about what I am doing now with confidence.	If you ticked at least 10 statements then an Upper-Intermediate course should be suitable for you You can join Upper-Intermediate Year 1 which corresponds to the first year of this level. Or Upper-Intemediate Year 2 Which corresponds to the second year of this level
	I can manage conversation about unknown topics to a certain extend	
	I can understand the gist of films and narrated stories	
	I can write an essay of 140/160 words on a familiar topic	
ediate	I can understand feelings and points of view of others	
Upper-Intermediate	I can express complaints/my point of view fairly well	
Upper-	I can make counter/proposals, accept and decline invitations	
	I am familiar with the most common irregular verbs	
	I can use the main present, past and future tenses with confidence.	
	I can give afirmative and negative commands.	
	I can talk about what would happen if	
	I can talk about current affairs, literature etc with a variety of vocabulary and with confidence	
	I can express my opinions and ask questions about a great variety of topics	
70	I can read and understand original texts such as news papers and literature	If you ticked at least 3 statements, you should be suitable to join the Advanced course.
Advanced	I can watch and understand the most of films, TV and videos in the target language	
Ă	I can present a topic of my choice in the target language	
	I can talk fluently about current affairs, literature etc with a variety of vocabulary and confidence	
	I can fluently express my opinions and ask questions about a great variety of topics	
	I can watch and understand the most of films, TV and videos in the target language	If you ticked at least 3 statements, you should be suitable to join the Fluent course
Fluent	I can read fluently and understand original texts such as news papers and literature	
_	I can present fluently and with confidence a topic of my choice in the target language	