

Score Range	CEFR Level	Proficiency Descriptors
64–68	C1	<p>Test takers at this level are typically able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • express themselves fluently with very little effort or hesitation • produce speech that is clear and well-paced • use stress and intonation effectively to support the meaning of what is being said • use a broad range of grammatical structures and vocabulary to express themselves with precision on most topics
58–63	B2	<p>Test takers at this level are typically able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • produce stretches of mostly well-paced and fluent speech; however, they may hesitate at times as they try to recall certain expressions • use stress and intonation to convey meaning, though there may be some errors or native language influence • use a sufficient range of grammar and vocabulary to give clear descriptions and to express opinions comfortably on most topics
48–57	B1	<p>Test takers at this level are typically able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • produce intelligible speech, although certain unfamiliar words are mispronounced, and pausing for planning and repair is evident • use stress, intonation and rhythm somewhat effectively to convey a message, although these may be influenced by their native language • use a good range of vocabulary related to familiar, everyday topics • express themselves on familiar subjects using basic grammatical structures but as topics become more unfamiliar and/or more complex, errors are more common and cause listener effort
41–47	A2	<p>Test takers at this level are typically able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • speak clearly enough to be understood with some listener effort when talking about familiar, everyday topics; however, pronunciation and word stress errors are noticeable and highly influenced by the speaker’s native language • produce choppy speech, with frequent pauses and false starts • use a limited range of grammar and vocabulary • speak in short, memorized phrases to produce brief stretches of speech

Note: Test takers who achieve a Speaking score below 41 have not met the benchmark proficiency for A2 level.