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Novice Benchmark

Interpersonal Reading/Writing

I can communicate in spontaneous spoken, written or signed conversations on both very familiar and everyday topics, using a variety of practiced or memorized words, phrases, simple sentences and questions.

This is my goal.

I can do this with help.

I can do this consistently.

I have provided evidence to demonstrate this.

How can I exchange information and ideas in conversations?

I can request and provide information by asking and answering a few simple questions on very familiar and everyday topics, using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases and simple sentences.

Examples

- I can _____
- I can ask and answer questions about school, food or hobbies in an online conversation.
- I can text questions and answers about the type of restaurant we plan to go to tonight.
- I can respond to an e-invitation and ask questions about the event.
- I can write a post-it note in response to a discussion question.
- I can text a backroom chat response.

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How can I meet my needs in conversations?

I can express basic needs related to familiar and everyday activities, using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases, simple sentences and questions.

Examples

- I can _____
- I can respond to online survey questions to say where I want to study abroad and when.
- I can add personalized birthday wishes to a friend on a social media site.
- I can respond to a text message asking for an alternative day or time for an appointment.
- I can ask questions to the online sales rep about an item.
- I can participate in a simple online exchange to get ready for an upcoming trip.

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How can I express and react to preferences and opinions in conversations?

I can express my preferences or feelings and react to those of others, using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases, simple sentences and questions.

Examples

- I can _____
- I can choose answers in an online personality survey.
- I can post clothing photos on a social media site and ask advice about which to buy.
- I can read a note from my roommate about evening plans and write a short response.
- I can tweet my opinion about a new movie in response to other tweets.
- I can react to my classmates' posts on an online learning tool.

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