

Confidence and Connections Placement Test — INDIVIDUAL SPEAKING TEST

STUDENT NAME _____ DATE _____ LEVEL _____

Question	STOP TEST AFTER any combination of 3 1s and/or 0s.			Level
	Score			
1. My name is _____ What is your name? <i>Checking for full sentence. Remind student to respond with a complete sentence.</i>	0	1	2	Intro
2. I spell my name _____. How do you spell your name? <i>Checking for alphabet accuracy</i>	0	1	2	Intro
3. What day is today? <i>Accept day or date</i>	0	1	2	Intro
4. I'm wearing (a) (color + item). What are you wearing? <i>Checking for color + clothing —in correct order (ok if verb tense is wrong)</i>	0	1	2	1
5. How is the weather today? <i>Checking for description of the weather</i>	0	1	2	1
6. What do you like to do in your free time? <i>Checking for "I like to + activity verb"</i>	0	1	2	1
7. What am I doing? (Test giver: Mime an action like <i>drinking, eating, reading, or writing.</i>) <i>Checking for verb + ing</i>	0	1	2	2
8. Yesterday I did my laundry and watched TV. What did you do yesterday? <i>Checking for the past tense verb</i>	0	1	2	2
9. This weekend I am going to clean my house. What are you going to do? <i>Checking for the future tense: "I am going to..." Accept "I will..."</i>	0	1	2	2
10. Tell me something you used to do when you were a child. <i>Checking for simple past with used to. Give 1 point for simple past without "used to"</i>	0	1	2	3

11. What will you do if it rains tomorrow? <i>Checking for I will ____, if ____.</i>	0	1	2	3
12. Last night at 8, I was watching TV. What were you doing last night at 8? <i>Checking for past continuous (was + verb + ing)</i>	0	1	2	3
13. How long have you lived in the United States? <i>Checking for: "I have lived... for x years, or since specific year"</i>	0	1	2	4
14. Have you ever eaten pizza? <i>Checking for correct use of present perfect (Yes, I have/No, I haven't.)</i>	0	1	2	4
15. If you won a million dollars, what would you do? <i>Checking for conditional form: "I would..."</i>	0	1	2	4
16. I have been studying Spanish for 10 years. How long have you been studying English? <i>Checking for present perfect continuous (have been + verb + ing)</i>	0	1	2	5
17. What do you wish you had done when you were younger? <i>Checking for I wish I'd + past participle</i>	0	1	2	5
18. Tell me something you might do next week. <i>Checking for might + verb</i>	0	1	2	5
19. What are some differences between your native country and the US? <i>Checking for fluid conversation. Student may make errors but is understandable. Is able to say several sentences. To encourage student to elaborate, ask follow-up questions if necessary: What do you like about the US? / What surprised you about the US?</i>	0	1	2	6
Intro: 0-5 L1: 6-10 L2: 11-15 L3: 16-20 L4: 21-27 L5: 28-33 Above C&C: 34+	Speaking Score:			

0 = Did not understand the question, did not give an answer, OR answer did not make sense for the question.

1= Understood question, BUT answered with incorrect grammar and or/an incomplete sentence.

2= Understood question, answered in a complete sentence AND used correct grammar.