Resource Testing Tool

Testing Instructions:

- 1. Each lesson plan has two parts. The first page(s) are the lesson instructions for volunteer facilitators. The following pages are the activity or worksheets that the client/guest will be completing.
- 2. Each lesson plan has a label that can be found in the top right-hand corner. For example, CLE3
- 3. Compare the lesson plan with each category for Canadian Language Benchmarks (CLB). Each level describes what the lesson consists of.
- 4. Compare the activity sheet(s) with each level. Check the square if the answer is yes. For example, if the lesson has pictures or pictograms check off the box.
- 5. When you reach a level and can no longer check off all the boxes then the lesson plan is the level before. For example, if you can check off all the boxes for CLB 1 and CLB 2 but can only check off 1 or 2 boxes in CLB 3 the lesson is CLB 2. The level is complete only if all the boxes are checked.
- 6. This is not an exact science. It is subjective to your opinion. You can choose to complete the activity sheets while testing the lesson or just test the lesson.
- 7. After testing, you can email the results to me and provide the label and what level you feel the lesson was tested at. For example, CLE3 is level CLB1. You can also choose to let me know how you feel about the lesson, whether it is useful, or any changes you recommend.
- 8. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

CLB1	CLB2	
Does this resource tool: ☐ Use pictures or pictograms to convey simple information? ☐ Use few and simple words? ☐ Require the use of a dictionary in learner's language? ☐ Require an understanding of the English alphabet and numbers? ☐ Have the learner copying words, numbers, or very short simple sentences?	 Does this resource tool: ☐ Use pictures or pictograms to convey simple information or instructions. ☐ Use simple sentences. ☐ Use short and simple requests, instructions, warnings, and instructions. ☐ Sometimes require the use of a dictionary in learner's language. 	
CT Do	☐ Have the learner copying lists with 10 to 15 items.	
Does this resource tool: ☐ Use short simple sentences or words. ☐ Use short descriptions of a person, object, situation, personal experience, or routine. ☐ Have some information in short, simple paragraphs. ☐ Require writing a few words to complete short sentences or answer questions. ☐ Ask the learner to complete short, simple forms or simple messages. ☐ Ask the learner to describe things, people, situations in a few short sentences. ☐ As the learner to copy one short, simple paragraph.	Does this resource tool: ☐ Require the learner to use memory recall to spell simple, words, or phrases. ☐ Use simple sentences and short, simple paragraphs to describe or provide information about a subject, activities, experiences, needs, and wants. ☐ Ask the learner to provide answers or information in short simple sentences. ☐ Use common instructions and directions with up to four steps.	
CLB5	CLB6	
 Does this resource tool: ☐ Use some moderately complex formal and informal communications. ☐ Have information that is concrete. ☐ Use simple and a few more complex structures to connect ideas. 	 Does this resource tool: ☐ Use moderately complex formal and informal communication. ☐ Use information that is concrete with some abstract concepts. ☐ Use concrete information in some detail. 	

Ask the learner to make and respond to information,	Have vocabulary that is mostly common, with some
requests, or give permissions.	abstract or specialized vocabulary and occasional idioms.
Have simple and some moderately complex reading	Use vocabulary that is intermediate to advanced.
materials.	Use charts, diagrams, tables, graphs, and website menus
Ask the learner to write paragraphs with a main idea and	for information.
some supporting detail.	Use simple to moderately complex text.
Require the learner to write with a good control of simple	Use paragraphs with a main idea and some supporting
grammar and adequate control of spelling and punctuation.	detail.
Have short, simple forms with 12 to 15 items.	Have the learner write short paragraphs to describe a
Ask the learner to compare information about two different	person, object, routine, or sequent of events.
things.	Ask the learner to develop lists or answer questions after
Ask the learner to write one paragraph describing	reading information in a story.
something familiar.	