

BCCAT ENGLISH LEVEL ACHIEVEMENT SCALE

Language Domain	Beginner Level
Listening	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *can demonstrate the comprehension of who, what, where, why, when –vs. yes/no questions. *can demonstrate comprehension of simple conversations with basic vocabulary in familiar contexts.
Speaking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *can demonstrate the ability to engage in limited social conversations using familiar English words to express basic survival needs. *can produce simple sentences from previously learned vocabulary by recognizing and demonstrating an understanding of basic vocabulary. *can prepare and present a short oral group presentation with pictures and simple sentences on cultures they choose.
Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *can identify a limited range of words and phrases drawn from familiar material and construct meaning from simplified print materials on those familiar topics. *can understand very easy short stories adapted from newspaper articles and magazines and respond to a series of objective questions concerning the readings.
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *can produce simple sentences from previously learned vocabulary by recognizing and demonstrating an understanding of basic vocabulary. *can produce and write simple sentences in a paragraph format based on previously learned material or relevant ideas with appropriate details.
Grammar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *can recognize and use verbs in the simple present, present progressive, future, and simple past tenses in affirmative and negative statements and questions. *can identify the difference between definite articles and indefinite articles, singular and plural nouns, and personal pronouns in the text and use them correctly. *can recognize and use the comparative and superlative forms of adjectives.