

Cambridge English Curriculum Planner

Quick Reference Guide

The Cambridge English Curriculum Planner (CECP) is a framework which sets out learning objectives for listening, reading, speaking and writing skills across twelve levels of proficiency, based on the CEFR.

The tool is available here: <http://languageresearch.cambridge.org/curriculum>

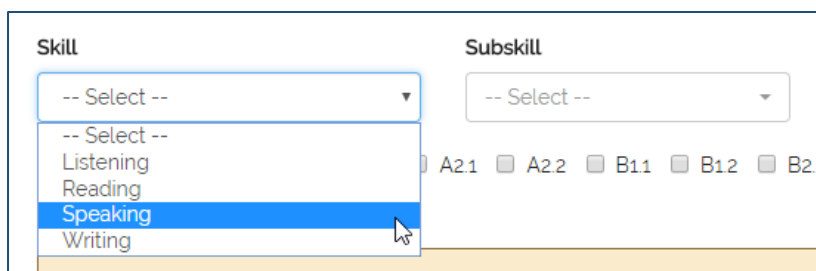
For feedback and questions about the tool, contact Laura Grimes: lgrimes@cambridge.org

This guide describes how to do the following:

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1. Focus on one particular skill

The tool is designed to address one skill at a time. Start your search by selecting the skill you're interested in:

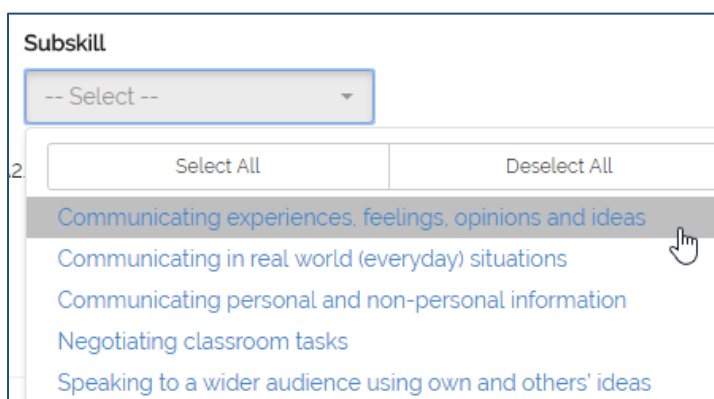


The screenshot shows two dropdown menus labeled 'Skill' and 'Subskill'. The 'Skill' dropdown is open, showing a list of options: '-- Select --', 'Listening', 'Reading', 'Speaking', and 'Writing'. The 'Speaking' option is highlighted in blue. To the right of the 'Subskill' dropdown, there are several checkboxes labeled 'A21', 'A22', 'B11', 'B12', and 'B21', all of which are currently unchecked.

Once you've selected a skill, you'll see all related learning objectives. You can then sort and filter your results in various ways.

2. Filter by subskill

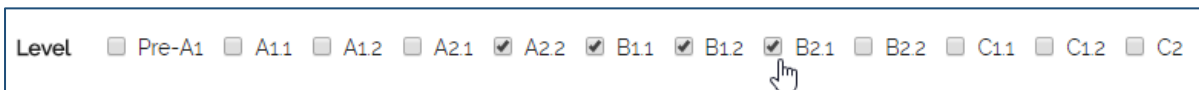
Each skill has a set of subskills associated with it. You can select more than one skill if you like:



The screenshot shows the 'Subskill' selection interface. At the top is a dropdown menu labeled 'Subskill' with the text '-- Select --'. Below this are two buttons: 'Select All' and 'Deselect All'. A list of subskills is displayed below the buttons, with the first item, 'Communicating experiences, feelings, opinions and ideas', highlighted in grey. A mouse cursor is pointing at this highlighted item. The other subskills listed are 'Communicating in real world (everyday) situations', 'Communicating personal and non-personal information', 'Negotiating classroom tasks', and 'Speaking to a wider audience using own and others' ideas'.

3. Filter by level

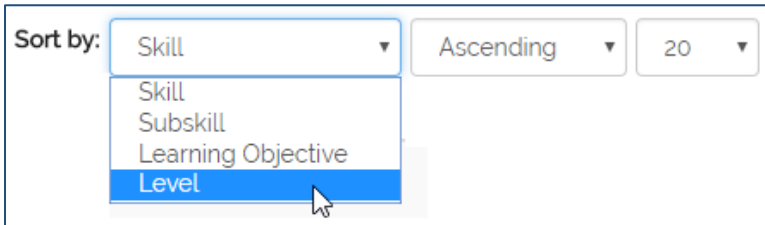
By default, the tool displays learning objectives related to all levels. If you are interested in a specific level or levels, you can filter your results by ticking the relevant boxes:



Level Pre-A1 A1 A2 A2.1 A2.2 B1 B1.1 B1.2 B2.1 B2.2 C1 C1.1 C1.2 C2

4. Sort your results

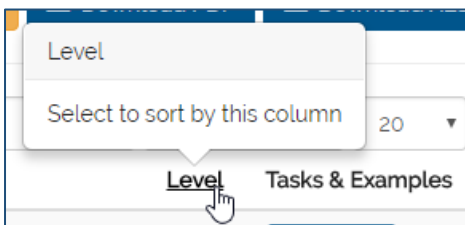
Use the sort functions to change the order of your results and choose how many results to display on each page:



Sort by: Skill Ascending 20

Skill
Subskill
Learning Objective
Level

Alternatively, click on a column heading to sort your results:



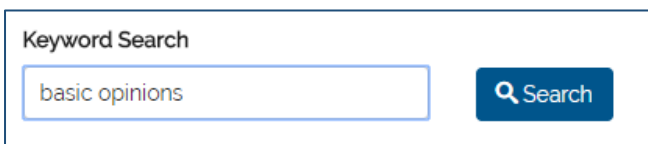
Level 20

Select to sort by this column

Level Tasks & Examples

5. Search for specific learning objectives

You can filter your results for learning objectives which contain a specific word or phrase, e.g. *basic opinions*:

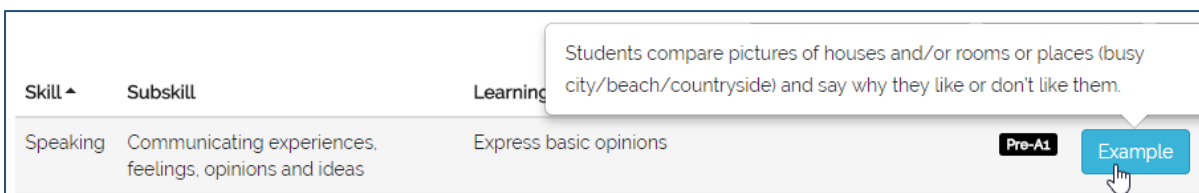


Keyword Search

basic opinions Search

6. See example tasks and activities

Hover over the “Example” button to see information about the kinds of tasks and activities which help learners achieve the learning objective:



Skill	Subskill	Learning	Level	Example
Speaking	Communicating experiences, feelings, opinions and ideas	Express basic opinions	Pre-A1	Example

Students compare pictures of houses and/or rooms or places (busy city/beach/countryside) and say why they like or don't like them.

7. Download your results

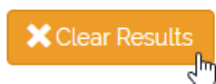
Once you have the results you're interested in, you can download them as a PDF or spreadsheet using the download buttons:



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8. Clear your results

You can clear your results and start your search again by using the button below:



Clear Results