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|  | What I should know, understand, be able to explain or do |
| Exceptional | I can understand and use a variety of places in town and know the gender and synonyms.  I can give precise longer directions and specify one or two exact details to make the directions even clearer (e.g. turn left after the lights).  I can use linking words to order directions.  I can give polite commands using a variety of verbs and can use a variety of irregular verbs in the imperative form too.  I can use a variety of prepositions in my work and know synonyms for a variety of the prepositions. |
| Advancing | I can understand a variety of places in town and know some synonyms as well.  I can give precise longer directions and include some prepositions (e.g. it’s on the right).  I can understand some linking words to order directions and use one or two.  I can adapt a variety of verbs to use in the imperative form for instructions and will attempt to use unfamiliar verbs in the imperative form.  I am happy using a variety of prepositions and know some synonyms for some, e.g. opposite & in front of. |
| Secure | I can understand and use a variety of places in town.  I can understand most directions.  I can understand some common linking words to order directions.  I can clearly give some longer directions.  I can understand and give some commands/instructions.  I am able to understand and use a variety of prepositions. |
| Developing | I can understand a few places in town with minimal support.  I can understand most instructions with minimal support.  I can give short directions and some longer instructions with support.  I can recognise some commands and give some commands back with minimal support.  I can understand and use some prepositions in my work with minimal support. |
| Emerging | I can understand some places in town which sound similar in English.  I can understand some directions with support.  I can give one or two short directions with some support.  I can recognise one or two polite phrases to give instructions.  I can understand some prepositions. |