

UK National Curriculum English Unit 1 - Speaking and Listening

Level 1 Unit 1 - English (Speaking and Listening)

1. The learner will communicate verbally about matters of immediate interest

[1.1 I can talk about matters of immediate interest](#) [1]

[1.2 I can listen to others and respond appropriately](#) [2]

[1.3 I can convey simple meanings to a range of listeners](#) [3]

[1.4 I can speak audibly](#) [4]

[1.5 I can extend my ideas or descriptions by providing some detail](#) [5]

Level 2 Unit 1 - English (Speaking and Listening)

1. The learner will talk and listen confidently when discussing topics of interest

[1.1 I can talk and listen when I'm interested in the subject](#) [7]

[1.2 I can include relevant detail in what I explain to meet the needs of the listener](#) [8]

[1.3 I can speak clearly when developing and explaining ideas](#) [9]

[1.4 I can say new words clearly as I learn them](#) [10]

[1.5 I can identify the need for formal vocabulary and tone of voice](#) [11]

[1.6 I can respond appropriately to what other people say](#) [12]

Level 3 Unit 1 - English (Speaking and Listening)

1. The learner will talk and listen confidently in a range of contexts

[1.1 I can explore and communicate ideas verbally](#) [14]

[1.2 I can understand the main points in every day discussion](#) [15]

[1.3 I can make relevant comments](#) [16]

[1.4 I can ask relevant questions after listening to someone speak](#) [17]

[1.5 I can adapt what I say to the needs of the listener](#) [18]

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[1.8 I can identify the use of standard English](#) [21]

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1. The learner will talk and listen confidently in an increasing range of contexts adapting talk to purpose

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[1.2 I can develop ideas thoughtfully when describing events and conveying my opinion](#) [24]

[1.3 I can explain what I mean clearly](#) [25]

[1.4 I can listen carefully so that I make appropriate contributions](#) [26]

[1.5 I can ask questions in response to other peoples' ideas and views](#) [27]

[1.6 I can use some of the features of standard English vocabulary and grammar appropriately](#) [28]

Level 5 Unit 1 - English (Speaking and Listening)

1. The learner will talk and listen confidently in a wide range of contexts, including some that are formal

[1.1 I can talk to engage the interest of the listener](#) [30]

[1.2 I can vary my use of expression and vocabulary to meet needs](#) [31]

[1.3 I can pay close attention to what others say](#) [32]

[1.4 I can ask questions to develop ideas](#) [33]

[1.5 I can make contributions to a conversation that take account of others' views](#) [34]

[1.6 I can use standard English in formal situations](#) [35]

Level 6 Unit 1 - English (Speaking and Listening)

1. The learner will adapt their talk to the demands of different contexts with increasing confidence and sensitivity to the views of others.

[1.1 I can use a range of vocabulary and expression to engage the interest of the listener](#) [37]

[1.2 I can take an active part in extended discussions](#) [38]

[1.3 I can show understanding of ideas that come up in discussion](#) [39]

[1.4 I can demonstrate my knowledge of language variety and usage effectively](#) [40]

[1.5 I can use standard English fluently in formal situations](#) [41]

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1. The learner will match their talk to the demands of different contexts including some that are unfamiliar

[1.1 I can use vocabulary precisely](#) [43]

[1.2 I can use vocabulary creatively](#) [44]

[1.3 I can organise a talk or speech to communicate clearly](#) [45]

[1.4 I can make significant contributions to a discussion or debate](#) [46]

[1.5 I can evaluate other people's ideas](#) [47]

[1.6 I can vary how and when I participate in a discussion](#) [48]

[1.7 I can use standard English confidently in situations that require it](#) [49]

Level 8 Unit 1 - English (Speaking and Listening)

1. The learner will maintain and develop their spoken communication purposefully in a range of contexts

[1.1 I can structure what they I say with clarity](#) [51]

[1.2 I can using appropriate vocabulary in the context of my talk](#) [52]

[1.3 I can use appropriate intonation and emphasis](#) [53]

[1.4 I can make a range of contributions demonstrating that I have listened perceptively to the development of the discussion](#) [54]

[1.5 I am sensitive to other people's views in the development of a discussion](#) [55]

[1.6 I can use standard English confidently in a range of situations](#) [56]

[1.7 I can adapt my talk to meet needs](#) [57]

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1. The learner will select and use structures, styles and registers appropriately in a range of contexts, varying their vocabulary and expression confidently for a range of purposes

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[1.2 I can take a leading role in discussion](#) [60]

[1.3 I can explain varied and complex speech from listening to it with concentration](#) [61]

[1.4 I can use standard English fluently in a range of situations and for a variety of purposes](#) [62]

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