



# TransformELT

## Introduction to CEFR

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# What is CEFR?



**Common  
European  
Framework of  
Reference for languages**

# Purpose



- **Common scale for measuring language ability**
- **Way to compare proficiency across languages**
- **Help to structure language learning**

# 3 levels, 6 sub-levels



<b>C: Proficient</b>	C2
	C1
<b>B: Independent</b>	B2
	B1
<b>A: Basic User</b>	A2
	A1

# Global descriptors



## A1:

Can understand and use familiar everyday expressions and very basic phrases aimed at the satisfaction of needs of a concrete type.

Can introduce him/herself and others and can ask and answer questions about personal details such as where he/she lives, people he/she knows and things he/she has.

Can interact in a simple way provided the other person talks slowly and clearly and is prepared to help.

# Global descriptors



## C2:

Can understand with ease virtually everything heard or read.

Can summarise information from different spoken and written sources, reconstructing arguments and accounts in a coherent presentation.

Can express him/herself spontaneously, very fluently and precisely, differentiating finer shades of meaning even in more complex situations.

