

Advanced Diagnostic Grid Key									
Function: Description	Function: Narration	Function: Situation With a Complication	Accuracy: Grammar	Accuracy: Pronunciation	Accuracy: Other	Content (Not recorded on grids)	Text Type: Word Order	Text Type: Cohesive Devices	Text Type
Description in present time	Narration in present time	Struggles, but succeeds in addressing the situation	Morphology	Articulation	Rate of speech	Lacks breadth of vocabulary	Phrases	Not used	Words and phrases
Description in past time	Narration in past time	Attempts to address, but is unable to successfully resolve the situation	Syntax	Pitch	Fluidity	Uses words from other languages	Sentences	Used inaccurately	Sentences
Description in future tense	Narration in future time	Demonstrates no linguistic ability to address the situation	Cases	Stress	Connectedness	Uses false cognates	Paragraphs	Repetitive	Strings of sentences
Clarity	Logical sequencing	Knowledge and use of communicative devices	Prepositions	Intonation	Lacks strategies to compensate for weaknesses				Connected sentences
Detail	Verb forms		Agreement						Skeletal paragraphs
	Person markers								

Superior Diagnostic Grid Key									
Function: Support an Opinion	Function: Speculate and Present Hypothesis	Function: Discussion in Extended Discourse	Function: Linguistically Unfamiliar Topics or Situations	Accuracy: Grammar	Accuracy: Other	Content: Sociolinguistic Competency	Content: Pronunciation	Text Type (Not present on Grid)	
Present point of view clearly	Speculate and present hypotheses	Broaden range and precision of vocabulary	Broaden range and depth of precise vocabulary	Agreement	Rate	Size of vocabulary	Articulation		
Present well organized supporting arguments	Use grammatical constructs that signal hypothetical discourse	Correctly formulate high frequency compound/ complex structures	Reduce L1 or L2 interference	Verb formulations	Fluidity	Range of topic areas	Pitch		
Elaborate on arguments	Elaborate in the hypothetical mode	Employ a variety of cohesive devises and discourse strategies	Develop discourse strategies	Case	Connectedness of expression	Precision of vocabulary	Stress features		
Handle the topic at the issue level (to speak outside the self)		Increase discourse from a paragraph to extended treatment of the topic		Prepositions and Prepositional phrases	Increase range of sophisticated discourse strategies to compensate for weaknesses or shortcomings	Appropriate forms for formal and informal situations	Intonation		
				Word order (Complex/ Compound Sentence)					
				Dependent and Subordinate clauses					