

11 Grammar Bank

can and *can't* for ability; Degrees of ability

1. Write questions and answers. Use *can* and *can't*.

1. (Lisa / speak Portuguese? – no)

Can Lisa speak Portuguese?

No, she can't.

2. (your parents / sing? – no)

3. (you / play the piano? – yes)

4. (your brother / swim? – no)

5. (I / dance? – no)

6. (your grandma / cook? – yes)

2 points for each correct answer.

Total 10 points / 10

2. Write statements with *can* or *can't*. Use the degrees of ability below.

✓✓ very well

✓ well

X not very well

XX not at all

1. (I / sing / X)

I can't sing very well.

2. (Tony / play the guitar / ✓✓)

3. (My grandparents / speak English / XX)

4. (You / swim / ✓)

5. (We / play basketball / X)

6. (Our teacher / draw / ✓)

2 points for each correct answer.

Total 10 points / 10