## Communication



## LEVEL 1 • DEVELOPING

## STANDARDS AND COMPETENCIES

- 1. INTERPERSONAL Communicate on very familiar topics using a variety of words and phrases that have been practiced and memorized.
  - a. Engage in greetings and introductions.
  - b. Ask and answer a variety of simple questions.
  - c. Communicate basic information about myself and people I know.
  - d. Communicate basic information about everyday life.
  - e. Exchange information using texts, graphs, or pictures.
- 2. PRESENTATIONAL SPEAKING Present information orally about myself and some other very familiar topics using a variety of words, phrases, and memorized expressions.
  - a. Present information about myself and others.
  - b. Express likes, dislikes, and preferences.
  - c. Present information about daily activities and familiar items.
  - d. Present simple information based upon research.
- 3. PRESENTATIONAL WRITING Write short messages and notes on familiar topics related to everyday life.
  - a. Fill out simple forms with basic information.
  - b. Write about myself and others I know.
  - c. Write lists of daily activities.
  - d. Write about something I researched.
- 4. INTERPRETIVE LISTENING Understand spoken words, phrases, and simple sentences related to everyday life and recognize pieces of information and the main topic of what is being said.
  - a. Understand simple courtesy phrases.
  - b. Recognize basic information in words and phrases.
  - c. Understand simple questions or statements.
  - d. Understand simple information presented in pictures and graphs.
- 5. INTERPRETIVE READING Understand familiar words, phrases, and sentences within short and simple texts related to everyday life and understand the main idea of what is being read.
  - a. Recognize words, phrases, and characters when associated with already known material.
  - b. Understand short, simple messages on familiar topics.
  - c. Understand the main idea of published materials.
  - d. Understand simple everyday notices in public places on familiar topics.

