

ENGLISH STARTER

A2.1

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I CAN



THE FLUENCY TREE

Vocabulary

Popular sports

Esportes populares



Soccer (US)
Football (UK)
Futebol



Basketball
Basquete



Volleyball
Volei



Baseball
Beisebol



Swimming
Natação



Boxing
Boxe



Cycling
Ciclismo



Golf
Golfe



Judo
Judô



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Caratê



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Tênis



01

I CAN

Abilities



1. SEEDS

Nesta etapa você irá aprender

1. Can or Can't
2. Popular sports
3. Abilities



TEACHING

Grammar

Can or Can't

Posso/consigo ou não posso/não consigo

We use can to talk about abilities you have. Can't to talk about abilities you don't have. Cannot is more formal. For example, I can swim well, but he can't.

CAN

I can swim

You can speak French, can't you?

David can speak three languages.

She can do it fast.

The dog can bark loudly.

Maybe we can go together.

They can wait 5 more minutes.

CAN'T or CANNOT

I can't ride a bike.

I cannot play the piano.

We can't go to the movies tonight.

She cannot speak French very well.

He can't drive a car.

They can't play tennis.

Jazz cannot sing beautifully.





3. TRUNK

Nesta etapa você irá aprender

1. Can or Can't
2. Popular sports
3. Abilities



SPEAKING

1. Are you good at climbing trees? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
2. Are you good at singing? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
3. Are you good at speaking English? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
4. Are you good at computer games? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
5. Are you good at playing the piano? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
6. Are you good at playing dodgeball? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
7. Are you good at playing basketball? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
8. Are you good at playing volleyball? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
9. Are you good at Tetris? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
10. Are you good at cooking noodles? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
11. Are you good at math? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
12. Are you good at telling jokes? () **Yes, I am** () **No, I'm not**
13. How often do you practice sports? () **once a week** () **twice a week** () **almost every day** () **Almost never** () **rarely** () **Never**
14. Can you play soccer? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
15. Can you play basketball? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
16. Can you play volleyball? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
17. Can you play golf? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
18. Can you play tennis? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
19. Can you swim? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
20. Can you play baseball? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
21. Can you do karate? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
22. Can you do judo? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
23. Can you go biking? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
24. Can you do yoga? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
25. Can you play pool? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
26. Can you go snowboarding? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
27. Do you watch sports on TV? How often? Tell us more about it.

**3. TRUNK**

Nesta etapa você irá aprender

1. Treinar a pronúncia das palavras aprendidas na lição
2. Utilizar Am, Am not, Do, Don't, Can, Can't
3. Memorizar o vocabulário aprendido

**TALKING**

Keep a conversation with your classmates using the following sentences:

1. Can you play soccer?
2. Are you a good soccer player?
3. Do you like playing soccer?
4. Where do you usually play soccer?
5. Who do you usually play soccer with?
6. When do you usually play soccer?
7. What are the names of the best soccer teams in your country?
8. What are the names of the best soccer players from your country?
9. Who is the best soccer player in your opinion?
10. How often do you watch soccer matches?
11. Can you play volleyball?
12. Are you a good volleyball player?
13. Do you like playing volleyball?
14. Where do you usually play volleyball?
15. Who do you usually play volleyball with?
16. When do you usually play volleyball?
17. What are the names of the best volleyball teams in your country?
18. What are the names of the best volleyball players from your country?
19. Who is the best volleyball player in your opinion?
20. How often do you watch volleyball matches?
21. Can you play basketball?
22. Are you a good basketball player?
23. Do you like playing basketball?
24. Where do you usually play basketball?
25. Who do you usually play basketball with?
26. When do you usually play basketball?
27. What are the names of the best basketball teams in your country?
28. Who are the best basketball players from your country?
29. Who is the best basketball player in your opinion?
30. How often do you watch basketball matches?

01

I CAN

Abilities



7. FRUIT



REVIEWING

Nesta aula você aprendeu:

1. Can or Can't
2. Popular sports
3. Abilities
4. Treinar a pronúncia das palavras aprendidas na lição
5. Utilizar Am, Am not, Do, Don't, Can, Can't
6. Memorizar o vocabulário aprendido
7. Aprender a interpretar o que se ouve e o que se vê
8. Pronunciation of Can and Can't
9. The uses of Can't or Cannot



PRESENTING

Let's talk about your abilities in sports. Choose one sport and answer the following questions:

1. Can you play _____?
2. Are you a good _____ player?
3. Do you like playing _____?
4. Where do you usually play _____?
5. Who do you usually play _____ with?
6. When do you usually play _____?
7. What are the names of the best _____ teams in your country?
8. Who are the best _____ players from your country?
9. Who is the best _____ player in your opinion?
10. How often do you watch _____ matches or leagues?

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THE FLUENCY TREE

Vocabulary

Tastes

Sabores



Sweet
Doce



Salty
Com muito
sal



Sour
Azedo/Ácido



Bitter
Amargo



Savory
Salgado
(Oposto de
doce)



Spicy/Hot
Picante



Astringent
Adstringente



Smoky
Defumado



Buttery
Amanteigado



Caramelized
Caramelizado



Refreshing
Refrescante



Cool
Fresco, frio





1. SEEDS

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1. Tastes
2. Cooking vocabulary
3. Many, Much, Few, Little



TEACHING

Grammar

A large quantity of something

Uma grande quantidade de algo

A LOT OF

We prefer **a lot of** instead of **much/many** in affirmative sentences.

A lot of = lots of.

A lot of / lots of are not common in negative sentences or questions.

A lot of / lots of can be used with uncountable nouns and countable nouns.

A LOT OF
+ UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS

We have a lot of time.

I have a lot of money.

A LOT OF
+ COUNTABLE NOUNS

Haven't they sold a lot of tickets?

I have a lot of books.





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SPEAKING

Seu professor irá lhe ajudar a treinar estas frases. Preste atenção aos sons e repita em seguida. Sempre que passar para a frase seguinte, repita as anteriores.

1. Is sweet a taste that you enjoy? () **Yes, It is** () **No, It's not**
2. Are spicy foods popular in your country? () **Yes, they are** () **No, they aren't**
3. Is sour a taste that you find appealing?
4. Are bitter flavors commonly used in traditional Brazilian cuisine?
5. Is salty a taste that you prefer in your snacks?
6. Are umami flavors familiar to you?
7. Is sweet the taste you crave most often?
8. Are spicy dishes something you like to experiment with?
9. Is sourness a characteristic you look for in certain fruits?
10. Are you sensitive to bitter tastes?
11. Do you enjoy eating desserts? () **Yes, I do** () **No, I don't**
12. Can you handle spicy food well? () **Yes, I can** () **No, I can't**
13. Do you find sour candies refreshing?
14. Can you tolerate bitter flavors in coffee?
15. Do you add salt to your meals?
16. Can you identify the umami taste in certain dishes?
17. Do you have a sweet tooth?
18. Can you handle spicy sauces or condiments?
19. Do you like sourdough bread?
20. Can you appreciate the bitterness of dark chocolate?
21. How many different sweet treats do you enjoy? **I enjoy** _____.
22. How much spice do you like in your food?
23. How many sour fruits have you tried?
24. How much salt do you add to your dishes?
25. How many umami-rich foods do you regularly eat?
26. How much sweetness do you prefer in your beverages?
27. How many different taste sensations can you identify?
28. How much variety is there in your taste preferences?

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**TALKING**

Discuss the following sentences with your classmates.

1. How many different tastes can you identify in your favorite recipes?

2. How much sugar do you typically add to your desserts?

3. How few or how many ingredients do you need for a quick and simple recipe?

4. How little or how much salt do you use in your savory dishes?

5. How many traditional recipes in Brazil incorporate a variety of tastes?

6. How many spices or herbs do you typically use to enhance the flavors in your recipes?

**7. FRUIT****REVIEWING**

Nesta aula você aprendeu:

1. Kitchen appliances
2. Cooking vocabulary
3. Many, Much, Few, Little
4. How many and How much
5. Aprender a visualizar o cenário
6. Aprender a identificar a informação através dos gestos
7. Aprender a interpretar o que se ouve e o que se vê
8. Simple Present
9. Yes/No and WH questions

**PRESENTING**

Give a presentation about the following topics:

- Share how many healthy cooking techniques you incorporate into your recipes.
- Discuss how much importance you place on using fresh ingredients.
- Explain how many traditional Brazilian recipes can be adapted to be healthier.

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TRAVELED



THE FLUENCY TREE

Vocabulary

Tasks at work

Tarefas no trabalho



Replied emails
Respondi e-mails

Participated meetings
Participei de reuniões

Had many tasks
Tive muitas tarefas

Had an auditing
Tive uma auditoria

Updated KPIs
Atualizei indicadores

Received positive feedback
Recebi um retorno positivo



Received an award
Recebi um prêmio

Had a conflict
Tive um conflito

Talked to my boss
Conversei com meu chefe





1. SEEDS

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1. Simple past of irregular verbs
2. Tasks at work
3. Simple Past tenses



TEACHING

Grammar

Past Simple: Irregular

Passado Simples: Irregular

Affirmative

Subject	Verb (past)	Object
I	came	home.
You	came	home.
He / She / It	came	home.
We	came	home.
They	came	home.

Negative

Subject	Auxiliary	Verb (base)	Object
I	didn't	come	home.
You	didn't	come	home.
He / She / It	didn't	come	home.
We	didn't	come	home.
They	didn't	come	home.

Questions

Auxiliary	Subject	Verb (base)	Object
Did	I	come	home.
Did	you	come	home.
Did	he / she / it	come	home.
Did	we	come	home.
Did	they	come	home.

Short answers

Positive	Negative
Yes, I did .	No, I didn't .
Yes, you did .	No, you didn't .
Yes, he/she/it did .	No, he/she/it didn't .
Yes, we did .	No, we didn't .
Yes, they did .	No, they didn't .





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1. Did you start work at the same time yesterday? () Yes, I did. I **started at** _____. () No, I **didn't**
2. What tasks did you finish at work last week? I **finished** _____.
3. Who did you talk to during your break yesterday? I **talked to** _____.
4. Did you receive any emails from clients yesterday? () Yes, I did. I **received emails about** _____. () No, I **didn't**
5. How did you solve a problem at work previously? I **solved it** _____.
6. Did you meet with your supervisor earlier today? () Yes, I did () No, I **didn't**
7. What projects did you complete last month? I **completed** _____.
8. Did you use the computer a lot yesterday? () Yes, I did () No, I **didn't**
9. When did your lunch break end today? It **ended at about** _____.
10. How did you communicate with your coworkers yesterday? I **sent** _____.
11. Who did you help with a task at work recently? I **helped** _____.
12. Did you attend any meetings last week? () Yes, I did. () No, I **didn't**
13. What important decisions did you make yesterday? I **made** _____.
14. When did your workday finish last Friday? It **finished** _____.
15. How did you organize your workspace yesterday? I **organized** _____.
16. Did you use any specific tools or equipment at work yesterday? () Yes, I did () No, I **didn't**
17. Who did you collaborate with on a project last month? I **collaborated with** _____.
18. What did you learn at work recently? I **learned** _____.
19. Did you have any challenges at work yesterday? () Yes, I did. I **woke up at** _____. () No, I **didn't**
20. How did you celebrate a coworker's accomplishment last week? We **celebrated** _____.

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**TALKING**

Discuss the following sentences with your classmates.

1. What did you do at your job yesterday?

2. Did you participate in any meetings?

3. Did you send any emails? Did you attach any files?

4. Have you received any awards recently?

5. Have you had any feedback sessions with your boss recently?

6. Have you prepared any KPIs report lately?

7. When was the last time you went on a business trip? How was it?

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7. Simple Present x Simple Past
8. Yes/No and WH questions

**PRESENTING**

Give a presentation on the following topic:

Talk about your school experiences, friends, and teachers, using time expressions like "when I was in school," "a few years ago," and "during my childhood." Share your favorite school memory.

