

# ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY PROFILE

**Pupil:** .....**Class:**.....**Age:** .....

The following pages help the Language Support Teacher to build a profile of a pupil's developing proficiency in English in relation to the language demands of the primary curriculum.

If a pupil in language support is not expected to **read and write** then these two skills areas may be ignored at the discretion of the teacher. It is reasonable to assume that the pupil will gain literacy with the peer group.

For all other pupils, particularly from 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> class, it is critical that all skills are fully developed to **B1 level**. At this stage the pupil has acquired both the language proficiency and the skills to engage with curriculum learning in the mainstream.





Levels of proficiency are assessed in relation to *English Language Proficiency Benchmarks for non-English speaking pupils at primary level*. Suggestions for setting up assessment tasks for observational assessment are provided on pages \* - \*.

Note: **ILIT is currently engaged in developing formal assessment tests which are being presented to teachers for discussion and feedback in the two rounds of in-service seminars during the school year 2004-5.**



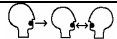



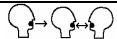



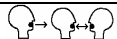



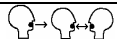



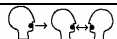



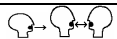

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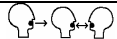



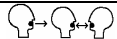



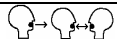



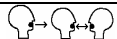



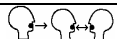



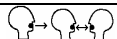

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|  | <b>Listening</b> |  | <b>Speaking</b> |
|  | <b>Reading</b>   |  | <b>Writing</b>  |



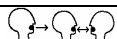

## Example of a developing pupil profile.

Units of Work	Skills	A1			Dates 2004- 2005	A2			Dates 2004- 2005	B1			Dates
		1.1	1.2	1.3		2.1	2.2	2.3		1.1	1.2	1.3	
Myself					30/9 20/12			20/5					
					30/9 20/12 20/5								
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**It should be noted that many pupils will develop their English language skills at different rates and it is not unusual for one particular skill to progress ahead of another.**



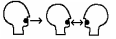

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		1.1	1.2	1.3		2.1	2.2	2.3		1.1	1.2	1.3	
<b>Myself</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Our school</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Food and clothes</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Colours, shapes and opposites</b>													
													
													
													
<b>People who help us</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Weather</b>													
													
													
													

Units of Work	Skills	A1			Dates	A2			Dates	B1			Dates
		1.1	1.2	1.3		2.1	2.2	2.3		1.1	1.2	1.3	
<b>Transport and travel</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Seasons, holidays and festivals</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Local and wider community</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Time</b>													
													
													
													
<b>People and places in other areas</b>													
													
													
													
<b>Animals and plants</b>													
													
													
													

Units of Work	Skills	A1			Dates	A2			Dates	B1			Dates
		1.1	1.2	1.3		2.1	2.2	2.3		1.1	1.2	1.3	
Caring for my locality													
													
													
													

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**Overview of pupil's proficiency in Listening, Reading\*,  
Speaking and Writing\* (\* if appropriate)**

Skills	A1			A2			B1		
	1.1	1.2	1.3	2.1	2.2	2.3	1.1	1.2	1.3
 Enter date:									
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**This information may also be entered in the pupil's  
*European Language Portfolio* on pages 5-6**