# Macmillan Practice Online



# General English Practice Online CEFR levels A2- C2

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# Introducing Macmillan Practice Online

#### Inspiring learners, enhancing teaching

Macmillan Practice Online is a new online practice environment for learners of English as a foreign language. Accessible anywhere with an internet connection, supplementary online practice has never been easier, more flexible or more affordable. Give your learners the MPO advantage now and watch them grow in confidence.

# Learners and teachers can benefit in many different ways. MPO:

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- Frees teachers to spend more time on productive skills in the classroom while students practise online.
- Lets students access comprehensive grammar support and the online version of the award-winning Macmillan English Dictionary.
- Is simple to purchase, with no need for investment in systems, software or staff training: with MPO you just log in and go...



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# Instant feedback for students

All students get instant marks on completing an exercise and their scores are stored in their personal markbook, providing a complete record of their work.

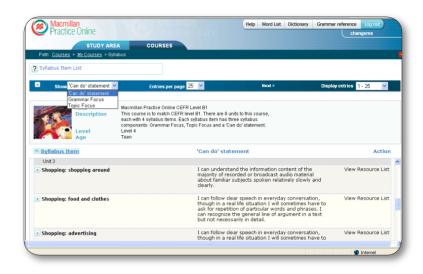


# General English Practice Online: CEFR levels A2- C2

The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages is increasingly becoming the backbone of English language teaching courses.

The progression of linguistic ability is easily identifiable in the level bands:

A Basic User
A1 Breakthrough
A2 Waystage
B Independent User
B1 Threshold
B2 Vantage
C Proficient User
C1 Effective Operational Proficiency



Each level is defined by a set of 'Can do' statements. For example, "I can develop an argument systematically, giving appropriate emphasis to significant points and presenting relevant supporting detail." (CEFR C1)

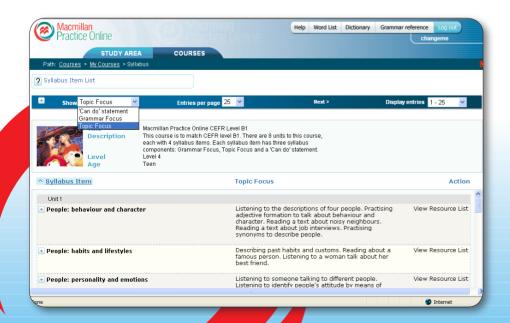
#### 'CAN DO'

C<sub>2</sub> Mastery

Macmillan Practice Online has produced five interactive courses from A2 level to C2 level (in both British and American English) that tailor the language input to build up the 'Can do' statements.

These can be clearly pinpointed on the main syllabus page and are not only a handy reference tool for the teacher but also give students an objective, a clear goal and ultimately a greater sense of achievement.

# Topic-based input



There are 8 topic-based units for each of the General English Practice Online CEFR levels that cover the core vocabulary and language input for the relevant CEF level. These unit menus are further broken down into resource lists that focus on the skills, vocabulary and language input that are needed to meet the 'Can do' statement.



# In-depth practice

Each activity has been chosen to allow students to build up the language skills, vocabulary and grammar they need to confidently fulfil the 'Can do' statements.

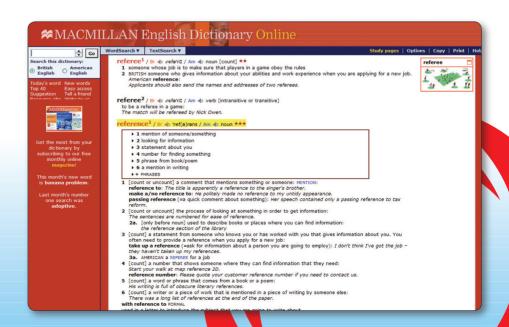


#### **Grammar support**

All MPO students have access to a comprehensive database of over 430 grammar reference units, each including a detailed explanation, learning tips and an interactive activity for reinforcement. No student need struggle with a grammar point while they are practising with MPO.

## Award-winning ELT dictionary

All MPO students have instant access to the Macmillan English Dictionary Online, helping students extend their vocabulary, improve pronunciation and become confident, independent learners. As well as highlighting over 7,500 of the most frequently used words in English, the dictionary contains pronunciation guides for all words in British and American English, grammar and vocabulary reference material and an interactive atlas. This makes Macmillan English Dictionary Online an invaluable learning tool.



# General English Practice Online - Syllabus

Level	Unit	Торіс	Areas covered
CEF A <sub>2</sub>	1	Descriptions	Pictures, Clothes and Accessories, People, Buildings and Cities
	2	My World	Me, Families, Daily Life, Social Life
	3	Food and Drink	Eating and Drinking, Eating Habits, Eating Out, Party Food
	4	Health and Body	Parts of Body, Keeping Fit, Doing Sport, Health Problems
	5	Travelling	Directions, Going Places, Other Countries, Transport
	6	Natural World	Animals, Marine Life, Geographical Features, Weather
	7	People	Relationships, Schooldays, Shopping, Having Fun
	8	The Past	Yesterday, Past Stories, Past Events, Now and Then
CEF B1	1	People	Behaviour and Character, Habits and Lifestyle, Personality and Emotions, Problems and Ambitions
	2	Spare Time	Cinema, Holidays, Sport, Music
	3	Shopping	Shopping Around, Food and Clothes, Advertising, The Shopping Business
	4	Food and Drink	Delicious Food, Cooking, Eating Out, Eating Habits
	5	The Future	Plans for The Future, What the Future Holds, Science or Science Fiction, Life in the Future
	6	Health	Health Problems, Healthy Lives, Becoming Older, Keeping Fit
	7	Natural World	Animal Kingdom, Environment, Environmental Problems, Global Warming and the Forces of Nature
	8	Education	School, Students, teachers and Learning, Work and Study
CEF B <sub>2</sub>	1	People	Famous People, Social Customs and Traditions, Celebrations and Special Occasions, Crime and Criminals
	2	Education	Computers, Higher Education, Learning Languages, Attending Courses
	3	Entertainment	Reading, The Arts, Museums, Cinema and Television
	4	Employment	Looking for a Job, Getting a Job, In the Workplace, Staff
	5	Places and Travel	Advice, Holiday Plans, Cities and Countries, Business Travel
	6	Communication	Sending a Message, Media and the News, Radio, Advertising
	7	Business	Meetings, Attending Conferences, Making Presentations, Correspondence
	8	History	Ancient Time, Architecture, Myths, Early Inventions
CEF C1	1	People	Showbiz, Motivation and Decisions, Celebrations, Feelings and Reactions
	2	Relationships	Family, Friends and Lovers, At Work, Socialising
	3	Media	Television, Newspapers and the News, Radio Programmes, Communication and Technology
	4	Spare Time	Cinema, Doing Sport, Hobbies, Shopping
	5	Culture	Literature, Music, The Arts, The World of Culture
	6	Work	Attitudes to Work, Motivation and Training, Human Resources, Leaders and Managers
	7	Travel	Travelling Around, Destinations, Holidays and Places
	8	Companies	Companies, Competition, Crisis and Negotiations, Advertising
CEF C2	1	Society	Ethics and Law, Crime, Discipline, Public Life and Social Contact
	2	Progress	Development, Technology, Computers, Communication
	3	People	Names and Big Names, Civilisation, Human Beings, Challenge and Conflict
	4	Work	People at Work, Training, Meetings, Presentations
	5	Companies	Managing Staff, Money and Finance, Buying and Selling, Negotiating
	6	Food	Food and Drink, Cooking, Restaurants, Food and Health
	7	Business	Jobs, Statistics, Correspondence, Trade
	8	Life	Different Lives, Sociology, The Mind, The Natural World



# Frequently asked questions

#### How do I order?

MPO is available via our website, www.macmillanpracticeonline.com. You can also order via your local Macmillan representative or through your local book supplier when you order your coursebooks. It's as easy as that: just quote the ISBN of the MPO course and tell your supplier how many logins you want to order. We will then supply you with logins to give to your students. Your school will receive an invoice in the usual way.

#### How long does the login last?

Each login ID will be valid for a year, from the date that it is activated.

#### Do I need a coursebook to use MPO courses?

You can use MPO as supplementary material to a coursebook either in class or for homework. You can also use MPO on its own to provide the core content of the course. How you use it will depend on your teachers' preferences and your learners' needs. For ideas on how to use MPO in class and for homework, visit our teacher support area at www.macmillanpracticeonline.com.

#### What equipment do I need?

With MPO there is no need for specialist equipment. Your students simply need to be able to access the internet, whether on a PC or Mac. There are no local hosting or software requirements. Students can practise with MPO anytime and anywhere they have access to the internet. There's nothing to download, upload or install, just log in and go...

#### Can I see a demonstration?

Your local Macmillan representative can arrange a demonstration. Alternatively, visit our website <a href="https://www.macmillanpracticeonline.com">www.macmillanpracticeonline.com</a> to see some sample exercises and an animated demonstration.

#### Can I sell on logins to my students?

Just like other course materials, logins can be included in course fees or sold separately. With MPO the choice is yours.

#### How many can I order?

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#### How much does it cost?

Each level of General English Practice Online costs £10 (excluding 15% VAT for orders in the EU). The price includes one year's access (24 hours a day, 7 days a week) to a resource containing up to 250 interactive activities, plus access to the Macmillan English Dictionary Online and the Grammar Support database of over 430 activities. MPO is incredible value for money!

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