Common European Framework of Reference for Languages: Learning, Teaching, Assessment (CEFR)  

- The Framework is published in English by Cambridge University Press and in French by Didier
- Interactive version
- 39 language versions of the CEFR

**PUBLICATIONS RELATED TO THE CEFR AND SUPPORTING MATERIAL**

(Published by the Council of Europe or produced by authors involved in Council of Europe work on the CEFR)

- **Putting the Common European Framework of Reference to good use.** *Language Teaching, 47, 02: 228 – 249, April 2014. DOI: 10.1017/S0261444811000206, Published online: 19 April 2011**
  
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- **The CEFR in Practice - English Profile Studies, 2014**
  
  www.englishprofile.org and www.cambridge.org/elt

  Brian North @ Cambridge University Press

  (Series editors: Michael Milanovic, Nick Saville)

- **The CEFR: a research agenda, 2011**

  David Little (Lang. Teaching, 44.3, 381–393 – CUP Press)

- **European language policy: assessment, learning and the CEFR, 2009**


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  - **The CEFR Common Reference Levels: validated reference points and local strategies**
    
    Brian North

  - **Impact of the CEFR and the Council of Europe’s work on the new European educational area**
    
    Francis Goullier

  - **Contextualising uses of the CEFR**
    
    Daniel Coste

  - **CEFR in relation to the policy aim of the Council of Europe**
    
    John L. M. Trim

- **Council of Europe tools for language teaching: Common European Framework of Reference and Portfolios, 2007**

  Francis Goullier

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- **Executive summary of results of a survey on the use of the CEFR at national level in the Council of Europe Member States, 2006**

  Waldemar Martyniuk & José Noyons

- **The CEFR: Contents, purpose, origin, reception and impact, 2006**

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  Charles Alderson (ed)

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  Peter Brown & Frank Heyworth (EAQUALS)
ILLUSTRATIONS OF LEVELS OF LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY:
Available in English, French, German, Italian and Spanish:
- calibrated samples of spoken performance
- calibrated samples of written performance
- pilot samples of reading and listening items and tasks

IN THE FIELD OF ASSESSMENT:

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European Language Portfolio in use: nine examples, 2002 David Little

European Language Portfolio: Guide for Developers, 2001 Günther Schneider & Peter Lenz

European Language Portfolio: Guide for Teachers and Teacher Trainers, 2001 (also available in following language versions : Georgian ; Moldovan ; Portuguese ; Serbian (lekovian version) ; Slovak and Czech) David Little & Radka Perclová

REFERENCE LEVEL DESCRIPTIONS FOR NATIONAL OR REGIONAL LANGUAGES AND "THRESHOLD LEVELS":
- Guide for the Development of Reference Level Descriptions (RLD), Jean-Claude Beacco
  ➔ Threshold Level series (list on LPU website)
  ➔ Reference Level Descriptions for national and regional languages
    - Croatian: B1
    - Czech : A1 – A2, B2
    - German : A1 – A2, B1 – B2, C1 – C2
    - English: The English Profile programme is a collaborative research programme using corpus data and other tools to produce detailed RLDs for English (from A1 to C2).
    - French : A1, A1.1, A2, B1 - B2
    - Greek : A1
    - Norwegian : A1 – A2, B1 – B2, C1 – C2
    - Portuguese : A1 – A2
    - Spanish : A1 – A2, B1 – B2, C1 – C2

FURTHER CEFR DEVELOPMENTS:
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From linguistic diversity to plurilingual education: Guide for the development of language education policies in Europe, 2007 - Main Version & Executive version Jean-Claude Beacco & Michael Byram