



Can you speak Chinese?

SPEAKING
Things you can do
GRAMMAR
Can and can't
LISTENING
Things people can do
READING
People's abilities

VOCABULARY

WARM UP
What do you do well?

1 Match the words with the pictures. Then listen and check your answers.

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| a. code | c. drive | e. swim | g. sing |
| b. speak Chinese | d. play the violin | f. cook | h. draw |



2 PAIR WORK Practice the conversation.

A I drive every day.

B Really? I only drive on the weekend.

3 PAIR WORK Practice the conversation again. Use the ideas below. Add your own ideas.

1	2
play the piano swim	twice a week once a week

CONVERSATION



- 1** Complete the video conversation. Then watch and check your answers. Practice the conversation with a partner.

a. cook b. Portuguese c. video games

Diana Adam? Please take a seat. Hi, I'm Diana Jones. I'm the summer camp manager.
 Adam Nice to meet you, Ms. Jones. I'm Adam Smith.
 Diana Nice to meet you, too. So, please tell me about yourself.
 Adam Well, uh, I...
 Diana So, what can you do? Can you speak **1** ?
 Adam No, I can't. I can only speak English.
 Diana I see. Well, can you **2** ?
 Adam No, not very well.
 Diana Well, what can you do, then?
 Adam I can play **3** very well!
 Diana OK. Well, thank you. Next!

- 2 OVER TO YOU** Practice the conversation again. Use the ideas below. Add your own ideas. Then make a video of your conversation.

1	2	3
Spanish	drive	golf
French	swim	the drums

CONVERSATION TIP

GIVING DETAILS

When you say no, try to give extra information.

Can you speak Thai?

No, I can't. I can only speak Japanese.

LANGUAGE PRACTICE 1

Statements with *can* and *can't*

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I can sing.	Ability		
I can't swim.	I can sing very well.	★★★★★	😊
He can draw.	I can sing well.	★★★★☆	😊
She can't play the trumpet.	I can sing.	★★★☆☆	😊
They can code.	I can't sing very well.	★☆☆☆☆	😞
They can't cook.	I can't sing at all.	X	😡



1 Look at the pictures. Complete the sentences. Then listen and check your answers.

1. Jill can code.2. They speak Korean.3. Marian and James cook.4. Nora play the violin
.5. Tony swim .6. He ride a bike .

2 PAIR WORK Can you do the things in Activity 1? Share with your partner.

I can code very well.
How about you?

No, I can't code at all.

LANGUAGE PRACTICE 2

Questions with *can*

Grammar Reference page 101

What can you do?	I can code.
Can you play the drums?	Yes, I can ./No, I can't .
Can he cook?	Yes, he can .
Can she play video games?	No, she can't , but her brother can .
Can they drive?	No, they can't .

1 Complete the conversations with *can* or *can't*.

- A Can they do yoga?

B Yes, they can. They do yoga every weekend.
- A Can she play an instrument?

B No, she can't. Actually, she doesn't like music.
- A What can you do? Can you speak a foreign language?

B I can speak Japanese and Korean.
- A Can you drive?

B No, I can't drive. But, I can ride a bike.

2 PAIR WORK Look at the picture. Ask and answer questions with *can*.

Can Dayoon cook?

Yes, he can cook very well.



PRONUNCIATION Can versus can't

1 Listen. Notice the difference between *can* and *can't*.

- He **can't** swim. He /kænt/ swim.
- She **can** drive. She /kən/ drive.
- I **can't** code. I /kænt/ code.
- She **can** play the drums. She /kən/ play the drums.



2 Listen again and repeat.

LISTENING

1 BEFORE YOU LISTEN Where do you like to hang out with your friends? Check the pictures.



1. at the beach



2. in a park



3. at a café



4. in the neighborhood

2 Listen to the conversations. Number the pictures below.



A



B



C



D

3 Listen again and choose the correct statement.

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| 1. a. Lucas can't swim at all. | b. Lucas can swim very well. |
| 2. a. Sally can't draw at all. | b. Sally can draw very well. |
| 3. a. June can't cook very well. | b. June can cook well. |
| 4. a. Kane can't sing. | b. Kane can't play the guitar. |

4 LISTENING PLUS Listen to more of Barbara and Lucas's conversation. Choose (✓) *True* or *False*.

- Barbara can't play soccer very well.
- Barbara can play the drums.
- Lucas can't play tennis.

True False

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