

Speakout Starter 2**Unit 9****can / can't****1 Put the words in the correct order.**

- 1 Spanish can speak I _____
- 2 you CD a can burn ? _____
- 3 can I yes _____
- 4 she but can can't dance she sing _____
- 5 swim they can 100 metres ? _____
- 6 they no can't _____

2a Read about Sara. Tick [✓] what she can do and cross [X] what she can't do.

Hi! I'm Sara. What can I do?
 I can read music and I can
 play the piano, but I can't play
 the guitar. I can't sing but I
 can dance. I can't swim or
 ride a horse.

	Sara	You
dance		
play the guitar		
play the piano		
read music	✓	
ride a horse		
sing		
swim		

2b Now tick [✓] what you can do and cross [X] what you can't do.**3 Write sentences about what you can or can't do.**

e.g. *I can play the piano, but I can't play the guitar.*

4 Complete these sentences with can or can't.

- KIERAN Hi Carl! What's that?
 CARL It's my guitar.
 KIERAN (1) _____ you play the guitar?
 CARL Yes, I (2) _____
 KIERAN Wow!
 CARL (3) _____ you play a musical instrument?
 KIERAN No, I (4) _____, but I (5) _____ sing.
 CARL Oh! I (6) _____
 KIERAN (7) _____ you play the piano?
 CARL No, I (8) _____, I (9) _____ only play the guitar.