Intermediate Low	Student Self-Reflection, Goal-Setting or Teacher Feedback*
Presentational	Evaluation of speaking and writing in IPAs, exams and pre/post-assessments

Intermediate Low – 3	Intermediate Low – 2	Intermediate Low – 1	Novice
Full evidence for this level and some evidence for next level	Full evidence for this level	Partial evidence for this level	High
What are my strengths?	What can I do?	What are my goals?	Novice High
Comprehensibility: Was I understood?			
	 I use vocabulary from familiar topics and topics of interest. I'm mostly accurate when I use present 		
	time and practiced structures.		
	 I begin to use past or future time. (Speaking) My pronunciation is mostly accurate, with native sounds. 		
	 (Speaking) I speak at a consistent rate and self-correct if needed. 		
Quality of	of Communication: How well did I comm	nunicate?	
	 I meet the communication goal. I use details, descriptions or authentic resource(s) to support my speech. 		
	 I organize my language using sentences and transitions. 		
	 I keep my audience interested with technology, visuals, writing style, creativity, content, voice or emotions. 		
Inter	culturality: Did I show intercultural under	standing?	
	 I compare and describe cultural products (geography, health), practices (shopping, daily routines), or perspectives (attitudes toward family, appropriate dress) in my own and other cultures. I use culturally appropriate language, 		
	register, content, gestures or behavior.	February, 2018	

* Used in conjunction with the Intermediate Low Full Rubric.

* Expectations may be higher for prepared written or oral speech.

* For students who do not meet Intermediate Low criteria, refer to Novice High rubric.

* Adapted from the ACTFL Proficiency Guidelines and Performance Descriptors and the NCSSFL-ACTFL Can-Do Statements.

Ohio Department of Education Intermediate Low

Presentational Speaking and Writing

Full rubric for IPAs, exams and pre/post-assessments

Intermediate Low – 3	Full evidence for this level and some evidence for next level	
Comprehensibility	 Is easily understood by a sympathetic speaker. Uses practiced vocabulary from a range of familiar themes and everyday topics of interest. Shows control of practiced structures and present time frame Shows emerging control of past or future time frames. (Speaking) Uses comprehensible pronunciation and native sounds. (Speaking) Speaks at a consistent rate, with some hesitations or self-corrections. 	
Quality of communication	 Conveys and extends the message. Exceeds the communication goal. Extends response with details, description or explanation. References authentic resource(s) as needed. Organizes language using simple, compound and some connected sentences, with transitions. Maintains high audience interest via technology, visuals, writing style, content, creativity or voice. 	
Interculturality	 Demonstrates emerging Intermediate intercultural competence Compares and describes some products (geography, health), practices (daily routines, shopping) or perspectives (attitudes toward family, appropriate dress) in their own and other cultures. Shows intercultural knowledge through language, register, content, gestures or behavior. 	
Intermediate Low – 2	Full evidence for this level	
Comprehensibility	 Is understood by a sympathetic speaker. Uses practiced vocabulary from familiar themes and everyday topics of interest. Shows some control of practiced structures and present time frame. Begins to use past or future time frames in practiced situations. (Speaking) Uses mostly comprehensible pronunciation and native-like sounds. (Speaking) Speaks slowly but at a consistent rate, with some hesitations or self-corrections. 	
Quality of Communication	 Conveys the message. Meets communication goal by expressing opinions, narrating or presenting on familiar and everyday topics. Supports response with some details, description or explanation. References authentic resource(s) as needed. Organizes language using simple and compound sentences, with transitions. Maintains audience interest via technology, visuals, writing style, content, creativity or voice. Demonstrates emerging Intermediate intercultural competence 	
Interculturality	 Compares and describes some products (geography, health), practices (daily routines, shopping) or perspectives (attitudes toward family, appropriate dress) in their own and other cultures. Shows intercultural knowledge through language, register, content, gestures or behavior. 	
Intermediate Low – 1	Partial evidence for this level	
Comprehensibility	 Is generally understood by a sympathetic speaker. Uses some practiced vocabulary from some familiar themes and everyday topics of interest. Shows emerging control of practiced structures and present time frame. (Speaking) Uses mostly comprehensible pronunciation and some native-like sounds. (Speaking) Speaks slowly with some hesitations and stumbling over new words or structures. 	
Quality of Communication	 Partially conveys the message Partially meets the communication goal. Supports response with some details or description. References authentic resource(s) as needed. Organizes language using simple and compound sentences. Maintains some audience interest via technology, visuals, writing style, content, creativity or voice. Demonstrates emerging Intermediate intercultural competence 	
Interculturality	 Identifies and compares products (geography, health), practices (daily routines, shopping) or perspectives (attitudes toward family, appropriate dress) in their own and other cultures. Shows intercultural knowledge through language, content, gestures or behavior. 	
Novice High	Refer to Novice High rubric to determine current level	