

COMMON EUROPEAN FRAMEWORK OF REFERENCE FOR LANGUAGES

The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages ([CEFR](#)) has six broad descriptive levels A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2, each expressed a series of capability statements (e.g. “a student at this level can...”).

Our University-wide Language Programme maps onto these levels as follows:

UWLP course	Level students attain compared to CEFR
Beginners	A1/ A2
Post-Beginners	A2 / B1
Intermediate	B1+ / B2
Follow-on	B1+ / B2
Advanced	B2 / C1

For Japanese and Chinese, the units are benchmarked against the Japanese-Language Proficiency Test ([JPLT](#)) and the Chinese Proficiency Test ([HSK](#)):

UWLP course	JPLT	HSK
Beginners	Elements of N5	1
Pre-intermediate	N5	2 & 3
Intermediate	N4	4