## World Language Curriculum “I Can” Statements – Advanced Level

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<td>I can understand some extended speech on unfamiliar topics delivered through a variety of media.</td>
<td>I can understand most spoken language and some technical discussions. I can understand some accents and dialects.</td>
<td>I can clearly understand extended speech and short lectures, even when somewhat complicated. I can understand most forms of media with little effort.</td>
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### Advanced Low
- I can understand main ideas and most details on unfamiliar topics that are presented through media.
  - I can interpret main ideas and detailed information from public announcements.
  - I can understand main ideas and most details in entertainment and sports reports.
  - I can identify the plot and most details of a feature-length movie, play or documentary on unfamiliar topics.
  - I can follow the main points and most details of a new television program, such as a sitcom or a soap opera.

### Advanced Mid
- I can understand most presentations even when idiomatic, technical, or slang expressions are used.
  - I can understand main points and most details of discussions on scientific, legal, medical, technological or financial topics.
  - I can understand most songs, even those with many idiomatic and slang expressions.

### Advanced High
- I can understand the speaker’s perspective, tone, and style expressed through a variety of media.
  - I can understand ideas and emotions expressed in a dramatic dialogue or monologue.
  - I can understand tone and style in parody and satire.
  - I can understand varying viewpoints heard in news broadcasts.

### I can follow presentations on some unfamiliar topics.
- I can take notes while listening to an academic lecture.
- I can interpret the main points and most details of a debate.
- I can summarize the main points and most details of two people expressing different views.

### I can understand the underlying meaning of culturally authentic expressions.
- I can interpret the meaning of idiomatic expressions heard in movies, television, and other forms of media.
- I can follow banter heard in talk shows and interviews.

### I can understand viewpoints heard in a variety of situations.
- I can interpret the positions of multiple speakers in political roundtable discussions.
- I can recap the commentator’s perspective.
- I can understand the speaker’s intent even when high degrees of subtlety and nuance are used.
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