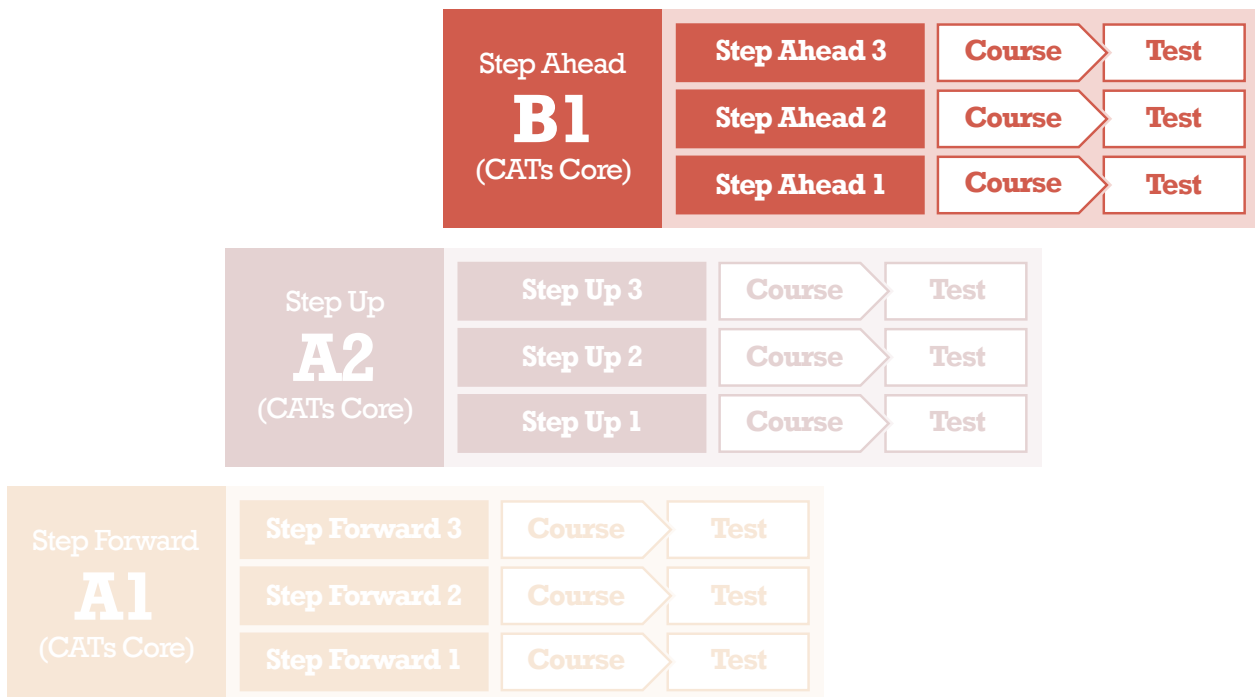




B1: CATs Step Ahead (Core)

CATs Step Ahead covers the final three sub-levels of the CATs Core programme. It corresponds to level B1 of the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR) for languages.

CATs Step Ahead divides B1 into three smaller, more achievable levels. Learners progress through CATs Step Ahead levels 1, 2 and 3 to improve their English skills. At the end of each level, the achievement of each learner is recognised.



CATs Step Ahead is suitable for learners who have already completed CATs Step Forward and Step Up, or those who already have basic English skills. As they progress through CATs Step Ahead, learners will expand their vocabulary, use a wide range of grammar and understand short texts.

CATs Step Ahead continues to develop English skills in communicating with others. It encourages learners to communicate on a wide range of topics and enables them to have meaningful exchanges in their work, study and personal life.

What can learners do at CATs Step Ahead B1?

By the time they have completed all three CATs Step Ahead levels, learners will have the language skills to:

Give opinions on a wide range of topics, such as work, hobbies and travel.



Talk about and describe people, things, experiences and events.

Read a short article or story and understand the main points.



Talk and write in English, without making too many mistakes.

Write simple emails, articles or stories about things they have done or people they know.

