

Checklist of speech acts at work 1						
Speech acts and opportunities	Can I do	speaking	listening	writing	reading	
Describing and understanding		-			-	
workflows	can I do easily					
e.g. in my everyday life: What do I do						
during the day? What do I start with? What	can I do with help					
do I do next? With what do I finish my day?	can r do with help					
Describing and understanding rules						
e.g. of a game: What is the goal of a	can I do easily					
game? What do the players have to do?						
When is the game over? Or, for instance,						
the rules of a field of activity that I know.	can I do with help				1.].	
Describing and understanding	can I do easily	ĘĪ.		-		
procedures						
e.g. ironing a shirt, changing an electric	can I do with help					
bulb, another activity that I know						
Understanding media information						
Answer phone	can I do easily					
	can I do with help					
Job advertisement	can I do easily					
	can I do with help					
Brochure for further education	can I do easily					
	can I do with help					
Brochures, information sheets	can I do easily					
	can I do with help					
Newspaper articles	can I do easily					
	can I do with help					
Posters, announcements	can I do easily					
	can I do with help					
Leading conversations during breaks,	can I do easily					
talking about the weather, talking about the family	can I do with help					

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Reading and understanding job advertisements e.g. comparing job advertisements with my skills and qualifications,	can I do easily		
evaluating if I am qualified for the job	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Asking e.g. when I do not understand what is said by someone	can I do easily		
	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Expressing needs e.g. when I need something and thus have to ask someone to help me	can I do easily		
	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Taking up a stance e.g. when I disagree with one of my colleagues or my boss on a certain	can I do easily		
subject	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Clarifying further procedures e.g. when I do something together with a colleague, like writing a text or	can I do easily		
cooking a meal	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Arranging a date e.g. a doctor's appointment	can I do easily		
	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Instructing someone  E.g. am I able to explain a certain activity so that he/she is able to do it	can I do easily		
afterwards?	can I do with help or with many mistakes		
Phoning			
Inquiring information	can I do easily can I do with help		
Circulating information	can I do easily can I do with help		
Reporting sickness	can I do easily can I do with help		
Leaving a message on an answering machine	can I do easily can I do with help		

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