Conversation Assessment Rubric

	Excellent (4)	Very good (3)	Acceptable (2)	I'm trying (1)	Oops!
How well do I understand?	I can understand everything I am asked.	I can understand most of what I am asked.	I can understand some of what I am asked.	I can occasionally understand what I am asked.	I don't understand what I'm being asked.
How well do I answer?	I can always answer with appropriate content.	I can usually answer with appropriate content.	I can sometimes answer with appropriate content.	Now and then I can answer with appropriate content.	I can answer, but my answers don't fit the questions.
How well do I use what I've learned?	I can use the structures and vocabulary I've learned very well.	I can use what I've learned fairly well.	I can use some of what I've learned.	I can use a few things that I've learned.	I didn't use what I've learned in this module.
Do I make mistakes?	I don't make any major mistakes. I may make a few little ones.	I make a few mistakes, but not very many. They don't get in the way of what I'm saying.	I make some mistakes. You can usually still tell what I'm saying.	I make a lot of mistakes. It's often hard to understand what I'm saying.	I might get it right if I guess.
How well can people understand me?	People can understand me easily.	People can usually understand me.	People can understand me some of the time.	People can understand me if they know what I'm trying to say.	People can't understand me.
How good is my pronunciation?	I sound almost like a native speaker.	I can pronounce most words very well, but a few sounds still give me trouble.	I can pronounce words well enough to be understood most of the time.	I can sometimes pronounce words well enough to be understood.	You mean Spanish and English aren't pronounced the same?
How natural do I sound?	I can speak quickly and naturally.	Sometimes I need to pause to think, but I speak fairly naturally. OR I'm trying for the Guinness Book of World Records on how fast I can speak!	I speak slowly, word by word. Usually I can still answer spontaneously.	I often need to look through my resources before I can answer.	I can answer if I find the question in my notes. I can read answers, but I can't make new ones.