

CONGRATULATING SOMEONE

A2-B1 | Functional language for sharing good news warmly

1 Useful phrase patterns

Use these phrases to congratulate someone on good news or success.

Congratulations!

Congratulations! Well done.

Well done!

Well done! You worked hard.

That is great news!

That is great news!

I am so happy for you.

I am so happy for you.

You did it!

You did it! Fantastic.

Good job!

Good job on the project.

That is wonderful.

That is wonderful news.

I knew you could do it.

I knew you could do it.

2 Respond to the situations

Write one natural congratulation for each situation. Try to use a range of phrases.

1. Your friend passes an important exam.

2. A classmate wins a competition.

3. Your colleague gets a new job.

4. A friend moves into a new home.

5. Someone finishes a difficult project.

6. A friend completes a long race.

7. A classmate receives a scholarship.

8. Your friend passes their driving test.

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Possible answers

These are examples only. Other accurate and suitable responses are also correct.

Encourage students to use a range of phrase patterns from page 1.

1. Congratulations on passing your exam!

2. Well done! You deserved to win.

3. That is great news about your new job.

4. I'm so happy for you! Congratulations on your new home.

5. You did it! Congratulations on finishing the project.

6. Good job! That was a difficult race.

7. That is wonderful. Congratulations on the scholarship.

8. I knew you could do it. Well done on passing your test.
