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|  | **Level 3** | **Level 2** | **Level 1** |
| **ACADEMIC LANGUAGE** | * I had no problem using vocabulary in this subject area or formulas/symbols, and higher level general vocabulary * I used multiple, linked, and complete sentences | * I tried to use some subject vocabulary terms and higher level vocabulary, but not always correctly * I sometimes used complete sentences | * I used some slang, informal, and/or inappropriate language * I responded with single word or phrases |
| **Level 0**  ⠶ Only uses slang, informal, and/or inappropriate language ⠶ Only uses single word or phrases | | | |

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| …Try one… |
| “May I just add…”  “I’d like to comment on…”  “I think I can clarify what \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ said…”  “I have to respectfully disagree with…”  “I’d like to refer back to something that was said before…”  “I’d like to switch gears in this conversation…”  “I agree and I can also add…”  “To put this another way…”  “This is a good/interesting point and it makes me think of…”  “I see this a bit differently…” |