Oxford Word Skills Intermediate Test – Unit 2

A: Listen and fill the gaps.

Felipe	Well, I understand	English, but my vocab	ulary needs to	
	so that I can understand a wide		of subjects, and	
	express more ideas.			
Teacher	Mm. And how about speakir	ng – is that getting better?		
Felipe	I'd like to be more when I'm speaking, and be able to talk about things			
	in more And I need to get better at using appropriate language when I speak.			
Teacher	Yes, I know what you mean	s, I know what you mean. And your reading – is that going well?		
Felipe	Well, I can understand general things, but I want to read texts that are			
	to my work, and some of these quite specialized language.			
B: Fill i	n the spaces with the w	vords below.		
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When I started learning English, I was very and motivated, but I found the pronunciation			
difficult and people couldn't always understand me.			
After a my pronunciation improved and I was able to basic ideas quite			
effectively. It was that I was getting better, and that was very			
But at intermediate level, I made slower There were so many new words and phrases, but			
also words that I understood but couldn't use I think I was more of my			
mistakes, which was good - but also frustrating.			