

Year 8 Speaking Assessment

Level 4

Use a range of oral and written language features appropriately, showing an increasing understanding of their effects.

We are learning to

- develop our understanding of how to use your voice to sustain audience attention (tone, pace, volume)
- develop our understanding of how to use presentation techniques to sustain audience attention (such as body language, gesture, and eye contact)

Deliver a speech on a topic of your choice (approved by teacher) OR on a topic studied in another learning area. (i.e. Migration)

You will be presenting your speech in a small group (selected by you) the group will all deliver their speeches in the same session.

Use of voice	You have projected your voice to the audience. You may have started to use a natural, varied tone	You have projected your voice to the audience and used a natural, varied tone.	Your voice is clear and you are starting to use tone and pace for effect / emphasis some of the time.	You are using tone and pace for effect/ emphasis most of the time.
Presentation Techniques	You have attempted to use one or more presentation techniques [such as body language, gesture, and eye contact].	You have used one or more presentation techniques [such as body language, gesture, and eye contact] with some success	You have successfully selected a range of presentation techniques [such as body language, gesture, and eye contact] most of the time.	You have successfully selected a range of presentation techniques [such as body language, gesture, and eye contact]

Overall	Working Towards expected Curriculum level	Working At expected Curriculum level	Working Above expected Curriculum level	Working Beyond expected Curriculum level
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