

Evaluation A6 – Vocabulary and Word Pictures

Use a wide range of vocabulary and paint vivid word pictures to enhance and illustrate the content of the speech. Give examples of strengths and weaknesses and suggestions for improvement as appropriate.

Speaker

Date

Title.....

Stated time.....

Evaluator.....

Actual Time.....

Points to note(See also General points about previous/future skills_overleaf)

Was the vocabulary

Expressive?

Descriptive?

Not excessive?

In context?

Appropriate to the audience?

Did the speaker demonstrate

Good range of vocabulary?

Use of normally passive vocabulary?

Correct usage/ grammar?

Good pronunciation?

Use of metaphor, simile, oxymoron?

Did the vocabulary

Add or detract from fluency?

Did the speaker create

Vivid and helpful images?

Did the Speaker use

Clichés?/Hackneyed phrases?

Localised phrases which hindered communication?

Recommendation: Proceed to next exercise _____

Or: Try this exercise again _____

Please return completed form to the Speaker

Evaluator's Signature.....

Date.....

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Include here strong points of this speech on which the speaker should aim to build in future assignments. Did the speaker maintain an adequate standard in the following previously practised skills?

Making a Start

Manner and poise.

Air of confidence.

Interesting content.

Mannerisms.

Speech Construction

Arresting opening and memorable conclusion

Logical development

Content quality and clarity of thought

Mean What You Say

Choice of subject.

Appropriateness.

Sincerity/conviction.

Persuasiveness.

Appeal to logic or emotion.

Using Gestures and Body Language

Hands/Head/Whole Body.

Eye contact.

Visible: natural or exaggerated.

Using Your Voice Effectively

Effective variation of pitch, pace and volume

Other Skills: Did the speaker demonstrate any of the following? Would advice be helpful?

Using Notes and Microphone

If a microphone was used, was it used effectively?

Did the notes help or hinder the effectiveness of the speech?

Using Humour

Appropriate and relevant; well delivered, successful.

In good taste; timing; pauses; natural.

Rapport

Was an affinity with the audience established?

Additional Comments:(points worthy of praise or requiring advice)