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Introductory Level [White Badge]

Time: 10 minutes per student.

1. Present a simple show and tell talk. (Limit 2-3 minutes)

Questions and discussion with the Assessor and/or the audience may follow.
Talks must not be read, over learnt or memorised. Cue cards or notes are not acceptable.

2. Participate in a group drama or group poetry speaking. (Choose one)

Suggested time:
 Two or three students: 2 - 3 minutes total
 Four to six students: 3 - 5 minutes total

Groups may be of any size, but the overall maximum time for this section should be 5 minutes.

Learning Criteria

In order to achieve well in this level, you need to know the following:

Talk

- use audible clear speech
- establish eye contact with the audience
- use a simple structure, which will include an opening and closing statement
- hold and show the object so it can be seen by the audience

Discussion Skills

- listen carefully to the questions asked
- consider answers before responding
- make eye contact with the other person while answering

Group Drama

- create a structured scene either from imagination, a topic or centre of interest or an established story, such as a fairy story, myth, reality or script
- create characters, using movement and speech
- memorise the words *only those words to memorise.*
- use performance skills to ensure the scene is audience-focused
- use costumes, props, sound effects etc. to support the scene

Group Poetry Speaking

- memorise the words
- understand the poem and the words used in it
- share confidence and enjoyment while speaking the poem
- show a developing sensitivity to the poem's shape, message and mood
- speak clearly and audibly
- work as a group to present the poetry