

Year 5 Oracy Skills

Spoken Language 	• Use Standard English when speaking! • Use ambitious vocabulary and sentence structures. • Vary sentence lengths appropriately. • Justify for a wide range of contexts.
Use of Voice 	• Develop intonation and pace appropriately. • Enunciate words from beginning to end! • Emphasise particular words/phrases for effect. • Project the voice at varying volumes.
Body Language 	• Establish natural eye contact with everyone involved. • How can your posture show confidence? • Use a good variety of facial expressions. • Use a good variety of hand gestures.
Organisation 	• Avoid gap fillers e.g. 'erm' or 'like'! • Use a range of connecting phrases to make links. • Use contrasting phrases when appropriate. • Use a concise summary to end a point.
Listening and Responding 	• Listen out for how you could refer to points. • Use different question types when probing. • Respond to questions with connecting phrases. • Challenge respectfully! Offer alternatives.