

LEEMING SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
ENGLISH YEAR 11/12 WACE COURSES

GUIDELINES FOR ORAL PRESENTATION

Prepare a formal speech with a considered response to the focus question. Deliver the speech to your class, using the appropriate conventions and techniques to engage the audience:

- Use processes and strategies to show understanding of the way oral language works.
- Interpret the focus question to demonstrate critical awareness.
- Use language effectively.
- Use palm cards correctly to prompt your delivery.
- Use voice, eye contact, stance and body language to communicate to the audience.
- Draw upon your personal experiences and express your views with personal pronouns.
- Use a variety of methods to convey your views –personal anecdotes, humour, devil’s advocacy, rhetorical questions, text quotes, statistics, and other evidence of research.

Note: The above criteria define the kind of speech that will be likely to attract an A grade. If the speech is partly read, the mark level will fall into a B grade. If the speech is entirely read without demonstrating a substantial range of the criteria, it will achieve no more than a C grade.