

Bishop Ramsey

English Department



GCSE English Language: A Parent's Guide

Year 10: Summer Term **Spoken Language Endorsement**

What is it?

- As part of GCSE English Language all students are required to give a presentation to an audience.
- This will be 3-5 minutes long and can be on any topic.
- Students will have the opportunity to respond to questions from the audience.
- These will be performed in English lessons and will be filmed.
- Giving a presentation to an audience is a mandatory part of the course. ALL students are required to complete this unit.

How is it assessed?

Students receive a Spoken Language Endorsement graded Pass, merit, Distinction.

Students will be assessed on:

- Ideas and structure
- Vocabulary
- Engaging audience
- Using Standard English
- Responding to questions

Students can prepare their spoken presentation in advance. They cannot read directly from a script or PPT, but can prepare prompt cards

How can students prepare at home?

Practise performing at home and time your presentation.

Prepare cue cards and learn sections by heart.

Discuss ideas with family and let them ask you questions.

More information?

If your child will need support to complete this, please contact their class teacher.

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