

Connor Downs Primary Academy Oracy Progression Map

Skill	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Physical	Speak clearly with appropriate volume Look at who is talking and who you are talking to Begin to use gestures to support delivery meaning e.g. pointing at parts of a plant they are discussing	Speak clearly and confidently in a range of contexts Use appropriate tone of voice in the right context e.g. To project their voice to a large audience. Continue to use gesture to support delivery e.g. pointing at parts of a plant they are discussing	Speak clearly and confidently with appropriate volume and pace in a range of contexts Gestures start to become increasingly natural to support speech e.g. gesturing towards someone if referencing their idea Use body language to show active listening and support meaning when speaking e.g. nodding along, facial expressions	Deliberately selects gestures that support the delivery of ideas e.g. gesturing towards someone if referencing their ideas Deliberately varies tone of voice in order to convey meaning e.g. speaking authoritatively during an expert talk Consider position and posture when addressing an audience	Deliberately select movement and gesture when addressing an audience To use pauses for effect in presentational talk e.g. when telling an anecdote or joke Use the appropriate tone of voice in the right context e.g. speaking calmly when resolving an issue in the playground	Deliberately varies tone of voice in order to convey meaning e.g. speaking authoritatively during an expert talk, or speaking with pathos when telling a sad part of a story Project their voice to a large audience Gestures become increasingly natural Consciously adapt tone, pace and volume of voice within a single context	Speak fluently in front of an audience. Have a stage presence Consciously adapt, tone, pace and volume of voice

Linguistic	. • Use talk in play	• Speak in	Speaking in	• Be able to	Carefully	• Use an	• Use and
Linguistic	to practice new	sentences using	sentences using	use specialist	consider the	increasingly	innovate an
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	vocabulary e.g.	joining phrases	joining phrases	language to	words and	sophisticated	increasingly
	lighter, heavier	to link ideas	to create longer	describe their	phrasing they	range of	sophisticated
	Begin to speak	• Using	sentences	own and	use to express	sentence stems	range of
	in sentences	vocabulary	 Adapt how to 	others' talk	their ideas and	with fluency	sentence stems
	joining phrases	appropriately	speak in	 Use specialist 	how this	and accuracy	with fluency
	with words such	specific to the	different	vocabulary	supports the	to cite	and accuracy
	as 'if, because,	topic in hand	situations	e.g. speak like	purpose of the	evidence and	Vary
	so, could, but'	e.g.	according to the	an	talk e.g. to	ask probing	sentence
		lighter/heavier	audience e.g.	archaeologist •	persuade or to	questions	structures and
		rather than	asking questions	Make precise	entertain	 Consider the 	length for
		bigger and	of a museum	language		words and	effect when
		smaller	curator or	choices e.g.		phrases used to	speaking
		• Take	having a	instead of		express their	• Be
		opportunities to	conversation	describing a		ideas and how	comfortable
		try out new	with a visitor to	cake as 'ice'		this supports	using idioms
		language, even	the classroom	using		the purpose of	and expressions
		if it is not always	• Use sentence	'delectable'		talk	, , , ,
		correctly used •	stems to signal	0.0.00.0.0.0			
		Use sentence	when they are				
		stems to link to	building or				
		other's ideas in	challenging				
		group discussion	others' ideas in				
			group'				
		e.g. 'I agree	group				
		with					
		because'					
		'linking to'					
		• Use					
		conjunctions to					
		organise and					
		sequence ideas					
		e.g. firstly,					
		secondly, finally					

Cognitive	• Use 'because'	 Offer reasons 	 Ask questions 	Offer opinions	●Give	•Draw upon	●Construct a
	to develop their	for their opinions	to find out more	that aren't their	supporting	knowledge of	detailed
	ideas	 Recognise 	about a subject	own e.g. taking	evidence e.g.	the world to	argument or
CO	 Make relevant 	when they	 Build on 	on the role of	citing a text	support their	complex
	contributions that	haven't	others' ideas in		(using	own point of	narrative
	match what has	understood	discussions	Begin to	sentence	view and	 Spontaneously
	been asked	something and	Make	reflect on	stems) a	explore	respond to and
	 Ask simple 	ask a question	connections	discussions and	previous	different	offer
	questions	 Disagree with 	between what	their own oracy	example or a	perspectives	increasingly
	 Describe events 	someone else's	has been said	skills and	historical event	 To be able to 	complex
	that have	opinion politely	and their own	identify areas	Ask probing	give supporting	questions,
	happened to	Explain ideas	and others'	of strength and	questions	evidence e.g.	citing evidence
	them in detail	and events in	experiences	areas to	 Reflect on 	citing a text, a	where
		chronological		improve	their own oracy	previous	appropriate
		order		through the	skills and	example or a	 Reflect on
				introduction of	identify areas	historical event	their own and
				Talk Detectives	of strength and	 Identify when 	others' oracy
				• Reach	areas to	a discussion is	skills and
				shared	improve and	going off topic	identify how to
				agreement in	begin to set	and be able to	improve
				discussions	own targets	bring it back on	
						track with	
						support and	
						use of	
						sentence stems	
						e.g. That might	
						be true,	
						however what	
						do you think	
						about?	

Social and Emotional	Look at someone who is speaking to them Wait for a turn. Taking turns to speak, when working in a group	Listen and respond appropriately to others Be willing to change their mind based on what they have heard Begin to organise group discussions independently of an adult	. • Start to develop an awareness of audience e.g. what might interest a certain group • Start to show awareness of others who have not spoken and invite them into the discussion e.g. saying their name, asking them a question, turning to them • Recite/deliver short preprepared material to an audience	Speak with confidence in front of an audience Begin to recognise different roles within group talk e.g. chairperson Adapt the content of their speech for a specific audience	Use more natural and subtle prompts for turn taking Start to develop empathy with an audience Consider the impact of their words on others when giving feedback	Listen for extended periods of time including note taking, drawing visual Adapt the content of their speech for a specific audience e.g. use of humour Speak with flair and passion	Use humour effectively Begin to be able to read a room or a group and take action accordingly e.g. if everyone looks disengaged, moving on or changing topic, or if people look confused stopping to take questions
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Question Stems	Sentence Stems			
Who is it that?	I think because			
Can you tell why?	The main idea is			
Can you give an example of?	The most important details are			
What do you think will happen next if?	The author wrote that			
How would you use?	I learned			
How is this similar to?	I believe that			
How is this different than?	My partner pointed out			
What is the relationship between?	My partner mentioned that			
What would happen if?	He/She noted that			
How can I develop a plan to?	We agreed/disagreed that			
What is a better solution to?	We decided that			
What is the most important?	We still want to know			