

Progression in Oracy at the Federation of St. Edmund's and St. Patrick's

Oracy Strands	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
PHYSICAL	 Speak clearly 	Speak clearly	Speak clearly	Deliberately	Deliberately	Deliberately	Speak fluently in
	with	and confidently	and confidently	selects gestures	select	varies tone of	front of an
	appropriate	in a range of	with	that support the	movement and	voice in order to	audience.
	volume to be	contexts eg in	appropriate	delivery of ideas	gesture when	convey meaning	• Be mindful of the
Voice:	understood	assembly, mass,	volume and	e.g. gesturing	addressing an	e.g. speaking	style needed to
Pace of speech	• Look at who is	reading aloud &	pace in a	towards	audience	with pathos	deliver a type of
Tonal variation	talking and	answering	range of	someone if	• To use pauses	when telling a	talk
Clarity of	who you are	questions in	contexts	referencing their	for effect in	sad part of a	 Have a stage
pronunciation	talking to	class	• Gestures start to become	ideas	presentational	story	presence
	 Begin to use 	• Use	increasingly	 Deliberately 	talk e.g. when	 Project their 	 Consciously
Body Language:	gestures to	appropriate	natural to	varies tone of	telling an	voice to a large	adapt, tone, pace
Gesture and	support	tone of voice in	support speech	voice in order to	anecdote or joke	audience and	and volume of
posture	meaning e.g.	the right	e.g. gesturing	convey	• Use the	consider	voice
Facial	pointing at	context <i>e.g. to</i>	towards	meaning e.g.	appropriate	movement	
expression	parts of a plant	project their	someone if	speaking	tone of voice in	when	
Eye contact	they are	voice to a large	referencing	authoritatively	the right context	addressing an	
	discussing	audience.	their idea or counting off	during an expert	e.g. speaking	audience	
		 Continue to 	ideas on their fingers as	talk	calmly when	 Gestures 	
		use gesture to	they same them – firstly,	 Consider 	resolving an	become	
		support	next	position	issue in the	increasingly	
		meaning	• Use body	and posture	playground	natural	
			language to	when addressing		 Consciously 	
			show active	an audience		adapt tone,	
			listening and			pace and	
			support			volume of voice	
			meaning when				
			speaking e.g.				
			nodding along,				
			facial expressions				

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Linguistic	• Use talk in play	 Speak in 	 Speak in sentences using 	 Be able to use 	Carefully	• Consider the	 Use and innovate
	to practice new	sentences using	conjunctions to add more	specialist	consider the	words and	an increasingly
	vocabulary e.g.	joining phrases	detail	language to	words and	phrases used	sophisticated range
	lighter, heavier	to link ideas	 Adapt how to speak in 	describe their	phrasing they	to express their	of sentence stems
	 Begin to 	 Using 	different situations	own and others'	use to express	ideas and how	with fluency and
Vocabulary	speak in	vocabulary	according to the audience	talk	their ideas and	this supports	accuracy
Appropriate	sentences	appropriately	e.g. interviewing a visitor	 Use specialist 	how this	the purpose of	 Vary sentence
choice	joining phrases	specific to the	 Use sentence stems to 	vocabulary e.g.	supports the	talk	structures and
	with words such	topic in hand	signal when they are	speak like an	purpose of the	 Use an 	length for effect
Language	as 'if, because,	e <i>.g.</i>	building or challenging	archaeologist	talk e. <i>g. to</i>	increasingly	when speaking
Register	so, could, but'	lighter/heavier	others' ideas in group'	 Make precise 	persuade or to	sophisticated	 Be comfortable
Grammar		rather than	 To begin to use precise 	language	entertain	range of	using idioms and
		bigger and	language choices to	choices e.g.		sentence stems	expressions
Rhetorical		smaller	describe what they see,	instead of		with fluency	
techniques		• Take	hear and feel	describing a		and accuracy	
Metaphor,		opportunities to		cake as 'nice'		to cite	
humour, irony,		try out new		use 'delectable'		evidence and	
mimicry		language, even		 Begin to vary 		ask probing	
,		if it is not always		language		questions eg.	
		correctly used		depending on		I'm inclined to	
		• Use sentence		formality		think, Having	
		stems to link to				listened to	
		other's ideas in				what you have	
		group				said	
		discussion e.g. 'I					
		agree with					
		because'					
		'linking to'					
		• Use					
		conjunctions to					
		organise and					
		sequence ideas					
		e.g. firstly,					
		secondly, finally					

 Use 'because' to develop their ideas Make relevant contributions and ask questions to find out more information Describe events that have happened to them in full 	 Offer reasons for their opinions Recognise when they haven't understood something and ask a question Disagree with someone else's opinion politely 	 Ask questions to find out more about a subject Build on others' ideas in discussions Make connections between what has been said and their own and others' experiences Recognise when they haven't understood something and ask an 	 Offer opinions that aren't their own <i>e.g. taking</i> on the role of Begin to reflect on discussions and their own oracy skills and identify areas of strength and 	 Give supporting evidence e.g. citing a text (using sentence stems) a previous example or a historical event Ask probing 	knowledge of the world to support their own point of view and explore different perspectives	 Construct a detailed argument or complex narrative Spontaneously respond to and offer increasingly complex questions citing evidence
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have happened	opinion politely	0	strength and		 To be able to 	where appropriate
• •	• • •	appropriato questions to	Strengthand	questions	give supporting	 Reflect on their
to them in full		appropriate questions to	areas to improve	 Reflect on 	evidence	own and others'
	 Explain ideas 	help clarify	through the	their own oracy	 Identify when 	oracy skills and
sentences	and events in		introduction of	skills and	a discussion is	identify how to
	chronological		Talk Detectives	identify areas of	going off topic	improve
	order		 Reach shared 	strength and	and be able to	
	 To ask 		agreement in	areas to	bring it back on	
	questions to find		discussion	improve and	track with	
	out more about		• Be able to	begin to set own	support and	
	a subject <i>eg.</i>		summarise a	targets	use of sentence	
	who, what,		discussion	 Speculate and 	stems e.g. That	
	when, where,		 Recognise 	hypothesise	might be true,	
	why, which		when they	when exploring	however what	
			haven't	ideas	do you think	
			understood		about?	
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SOCIAL &	 Look at 	 Listen and 	 Start to develop an 	 Speak with 	• Use more	Listen for	• Use humour
EMOTIONAL	someone who is	respond	awareness of audience e.g.	confidence in	natural and	extended	effectively
	speaking to	appropriately	what might interest a	front of an	subtle prompts	periods of time	 Begin to be able
<u>Guided</u>	them	to others	certain group	audience	for turn taking	including	to read a room or a
interactions:	 Wait for a 	 Be willing to 	 Start to show awareness 	 Begin to 	 Start to 	notetaking,	group and take
Turn taking	turn. Taking	change their	of others who have not	recognise	develop	drawing visuals	action accordingly
Listening and	turns to speak,	mind based on	spoken and invite them	different roles	empathy with	• Be a	e.g. if everyone
responding	when working	what they have	into the discussion <i>e.g.</i>	within group	an audience	supportive	looks disengaged,
	in a group	heard	saying their name, asking	talk <i>e.g.</i>	 Consider the 	listener	moving on or
<u>Confidence in</u>	 Play with one 	 Begin to 	them a question, turning to	chairperson •	impact of their	 Adapt the 	changing topic, or if
speaking:	or more other	organise group	them • Recite/deliver short	Adapt the	words on others	content of their	people look
Self assurance	children,	discussions	preprepared material to an	content of their	when giving	speech for a	confused stopping
Liveliness and	extending and	independently	audience	speech for a	feedback	specific	to take questions
flare	elaborating play	of an adult <i>eg.</i>		specific		audience e.g.	
	ideas	trio discussions		audience		use humour	
<u>Audience</u>				 Listen to 		effectively	
awareness:				others and be		 Speak with 	
Taking account				willing to change		flair and passion	
of level of				their mind based			
understanding				on what they			
of the audience				have heard			