

SCREENCAST GUIDE

Oral Communication Classroom-Based Assessment

The screencast to support the Oral Communication CBA can be viewed as a subject department or by individual teachers.

If you are viewing the screencast as a subject department, it would be advisable to have photocopies of Handout 1 and Handout 2 available for all members of the department who will be in attendance.

The screencasts run for 20 minutes in total and there will be opportunities to pause the screencasts to engage in different activities throughout. The suggested timeframe for each of the activities can be viewed below. If you are planning on engaging in the full workshop, inclusive of all activities, it should take approximately 1.5 hours.

If you have any questions in relation to this or any of the materials available on our website, please contact info@jct.ie

Activity	Resources Required	Suggested Length of Activity
Activity 1: Familiarisation with Learning Outcomes for the Oral Communication CBA	Learning Outcomes Handout or The English Subject Specification	15 minutes
Activity 2: Familiarisation with the Formats	Information on screen and/ or <i>The Junior Cycle English Guidelines for the Classroom-Based Assessments and Assessment Task</i> available at www.curriculumonline.ie	5 minutes
Activity 3: Sharing practice and strategies to support oral language	Access to www.jct.ie	10 minutes
Activity 4: Familiarisation with topics	Information on slide	3- 5 minutes

<p>Activity 5: Discussion on decisions re the CBA (Format, Group or Individual, Recording)</p>	<p>Access to <i>The Junior Cycle English Guidelines for the Classroom-Based Assessments and Assessment Task</i> available on www.curriculumonline.ie</p>	<p>15 minutes</p>
<p>Activity 6: Read and discuss the Features of Quality</p>	<p>Features of Quality Handout Or <i>The Junior Cycle English Guidelines for the Classroom-Based Assessments and Assessment Task</i></p>	<p>5 minutes</p>
<p>Activity 7: Applying the Features of Quality to the NCCA Examples of student work</p>	<p>Access to the examples of the Oral Communication CBA available on www.curriculumonline.ie</p> <p>You will need your Teaching Council Registration number to register to view the samples.</p>	<p>20 minutes (depending on the number of samples you choose to view)</p>