



Effective Oral Presentations

Today's Standard

8.SL.4 - Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with relevant evidence, sound valid reasoning, and well-chosen details; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.

Cues	Notes
What are effective oral presentation skills?	Effective oral presentation skills include clear pronunciation, adequate volume, and coherent structure.
Why is eye contact important?	Eye contact helps to engage the audience and makes the speaker appear more confident.
How can you ensure clarity in speech?	Ensuring clarity involves speaking at a moderate volume and enunciating words clearly.
What is the role of evidence in a presentation?	Evidence supports claims and makes the argument more convincing.
How do you engage an audience?	Engaging an audience involves using eye contact, varying tone, and including relevant details.

Summary

Effective oral presentations require clear speech, eye contact, and the use of relevant evidence to support claims. Engaging the audience and maintaining a coherent structure are also crucial.