Year 10 English Group Speeches

Strand: Speaking, Writing and Presenting.

Key Competencies

Thinking.

Participating and Contributing.

Using language, symbols and text.

Enterprising Attributes

Effective communication.

Risk taking.

Creative and lateral thinking.

Grasping opportunities.

Decision making.

Content

Constructing persuasive presentations through the deliberate choice of ideas and language.

Using a range of oral and visual techniques to persuade a particular audience.

The Learning Context

Group presentation to a 'Dragon's Den' type scenario where students pitch a product or concept.

- In groups students brainstorm ideas about potential products or concepts that they could develop. Then make a decision on a particular product or concept to put forward.
- Groups to work with other curriculum areas to take the product/concept to a stage that can be used to present a pitch. This could include the development of logos and marketing materials.
- Groups to develop a pricing plan, a marketing plan and distribution plan for their particular product/concept. Other curriculum area could be engaged to support the development of these plans.
- Groups to develop a sales pitch for the Dragon's Den. This should cover all of the plans outlined above. The pitch should meet the criteria for a persuasive presentation. All members of the team will play a significant part in the pitch.
- The Dragon's Den panel could consist of local business people, school leadership or local government people.

Assessment Ideas

- Group reflection.
- Individual reflection.
- Presentation skills.
- Filming presentation.
- Student stories.