Talk The Talk

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Core 2-hour CPD workshop - Developing a Culture of Oracy

This is a practical teacher CPD workshop focused on developing staff confidence and capability in using oracy as a core teaching tool. During the session, teachers explore the full toolkit of what makes an effective speaker and actively take part in structured speaking and listening activities. Staff learn how to plan, model and embed purposeful talk across the curriculum, equipping them with practical strategies to improve student engagement, deepen classroom discussion and assess learning in real time—approaches that can be applied immediately in any subject area.

Workshop Outline

0.00– 1.00

- Introduction & Talk About Charity
- Aims and Objectives
- What is Oracy and Why Is It Important?
- Talk About Teaching Habits
- Talk About What Oracy Includes
- Types of Talk
- Foundations for Oracy
- Talk About Nerves

1.00– 2.00

- Talk About 3 V's & 5 S's
- Oracy Assessment Sheets
- Talk Structures
- Think Pair Share
- PEEEP + Teacher Presentations
- How To Get More Talking
- Questioning
- How To Get Better Talking
- Suggestion for further departmental oracy planning
- Personal and team take-aways