

## **Junior Public Speaking**

- 1 Stand up, speak up and shut up (C. H. Spurgeon's advice). This stops you rambling.
- 2 Know and rehearse your material
- 3 Time your speech and know how long you have.
- 4 Know the purpose of your speech (to entertain, amuse, thrill, frighten or arouse your audience's emotions)
- 5 Have at least three emotional hooks in your speech to bring the audience with you, happiness, sadness, love, hate, jealousy etc)
- 6 Pace your speech, giving the audience time to take in what you are saying
- 7 Pick a topic that is relevant to the audience and one they can relate to.
- 8 Use a variety of tone, pitch and pace as you deliver the speech
- 9 Do not read your speech if you can avoid it. Use highlighted notes to help you remember
- 10 Be confident, everyone wants you to succeed.

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