

## Transition Year Unit.



**SAINT VINCENT'S**  
CASTLENOCK COLLEGE

**Subject:** Public Speaking

**Number of Periods per week:** 1

**Class Teacher:** C.L.

### **Aims and objective:**

Students will learn how to research, select and evaluate material.

Students will acquire the skills of speech writing.

Students will gain confidence to address their peers with clarity and conviction.

Students will learn to work both independently and as part of a team to produce a piece of work which must be presented to their peers.

### **Course content:**

The Public Speaking Module invites students to explore and debate some of the biggest questions facing our world today such as; global warming, poverty, conflict, the role of women.

Students will have the opportunity to review and evaluate speeches that have made an impact on our world today.

### **Method of assessment:**

30% Group presentation/debate assignment

70% Individual speech assignment

### **Digital Learning Skills :**

Students will develop their research and digital learning skills. Students will be required to research through various websites and online platforms to gather, evaluate and select information suitable for their chosen topics.

