

Introduction to English Oracy

English oracy is the ability to express oneself effectively through spoken language. It is a crucial skill for success in both academic and professional settings.

By the end of this worksheet, students will be able to understand the importance of English oracy and develop their skills in articulating their thoughts and opinions.

Understanding Oracy

Oracy refers to the ability to express oneself effectively through spoken language.

Oracy is essential for effective communication, academic success, and personal development.

1. What is oracy, and why is it important?

2. Can you think of a situation where oracy skills are essential?

Types of Oracy

Formal and Informal Communication: Explain the difference between formal and informal communication.

Persuasive Speech: Discuss the importance of persuasive speech in oracy.

Narrative Storytelling: Introduce the concept of narrative storytelling in oracy.

1. What is the difference between formal and informal communication?

2. Can you think of a situation where persuasive speech is used?

Oracy in Real-Life Scenarios

Job Interviews: Discuss the importance of oracy skills in job interviews.

Public Speaking: Explain the role of oracy in public speaking.

Social Media Interactions: Introduce the concept of oracy in social media interactions.

1. How do oracy skills help in job interviews?

2. Can you think of a situation where public speaking is essential?

Developing Oracy Skills

Role-Play: Introduce the concept of role-play in developing oracy skills.

Debates: Discuss the importance of debates in developing oracy skills.

Storytelling: Explain the role of storytelling in developing oracy skills.

1. How does role-play help in developing oracy skills?

2. Can you think of a situation where debates are used?

Active Listening

Define active listening and its importance in oracy.

Provide tips for active listening, such as maintaining eye contact and paraphrasing.

1. What is active listening, and why is it important?

2. Can you think of a situation where active listening is essential?

Group Discussion

Provide instructions for a group discussion on a given topic.

1. What are the benefits of group discussions?

2. Can you think of a situation where group discussions are used?

Presentation Skills

Provide tips for effective presentations, such as using visual aids and practicing beforehand.

1. What are the key elements of an effective presentation?

2. Can you think of a situation where presentations are used?

Reflective Journal

Provide instructions for maintaining a reflective journal to track progress in oracy skills.

1. What is the importance of reflecting on one's oracy skills?

2. Can you think of a situation where reflective journaling is helpful?

Conclusion

Summarize the importance of English oracy skills.

Encourage students to continue practicing and developing their oracy skills.

1. What did you learn about English oracy skills from this worksheet?

2. How do you plan to continue developing your oracy skills?