

Annual Examinations for Middle Schools 2025: English Oral - Marking Criteria

Speaking Marking Scheme Year 7 (15 marks)		Task 1 (1 mark/criterion) 5 marks	Task 2 (2 marks/criterion) 10 marks	
	Candidates' spoken production typically demonstrates these features:	ROLE PLAY	VISUAL PROMPT	
Vocabulary (includes register)	- Vocabulary range is sufficient to communicate effectively; - Word choice is appropriate and context sensitive.	/1	/2	
Spoken Grammar	A good range of accurate grammatical structures are produced with ease.	/1	/2	
Intelligibility (pron & stress)	- Communication is clearly intelligible; - Pronunciation, stress, rhythm, and intonation do not interfere with ease of understanding.	/1	/2	
Discourse Management (structure, connectors) & Coherence	- Speech is rarely affected by repetitions, pauses and self-correction; Discourse markers and connectors are used well; - Consistently appropriate and well-structured ideas which follow a clear sequence; - Fillers, if any, are used appropriately.	/1	/2	
Task Achievement & Relevance	- Task is achieved in full; - Reply is relevant to the question.	/1	/2	
				TOTAL
		/5	/10	/15