

Assessment

Spoken Language Task

Stage 1 – preparation

This topic is based around the planning of a talent show. The responsibility for planning and organising the event is delegated to students. In a group, ask students to talk about what makes a good talent show.

The aims of the meeting are:

- to gather ideas and suggestions for the show
- to agree on the best ideas
- to decide on actions to follow the meeting.

Stage 2 – delivery

Explain your ideas for the school talent show to your teacher.

Answer questions that seek additional information and/or clarification.

[12 marks] AO7 AO8 AO9

Teacher annotation on Spoken Language Task

Please fill in the box below with your comments on the Spoken Language Task. Teacher annotation should comment on performance, justifying the mark awarded, as well as describing the context of the activity and any support provided.

Comments and notes on contextualisation

Mark awarded

## Reading Task 1

Look at this poster.

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THE STARS OF TOMORROW**

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X  
FACTOR  
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<b>FRI 20 FEBRUARY</b> <b>MANCHESTER ARENA</b>	<b>THU 05 MARCH</b> <b>SHEFFIELD</b> <b>MOTORPOINT ARENA</b>	<b>THU 12 MARCH</b> <b>LONDON THE SSE</b> <b>ARENA WEMBLEY</b>
<b>SUN 22 FEBRUARY</b> <b>NOTTINGHAM</b> <b>CAPITAL FM ARENA</b>	<b>SAT 07 MARCH</b> <b>LEEDS</b> <b>FIRST DIRECT ARENA</b>	<b>SAT 14 MARCH</b> <b>BIRMINGHAM LG ARENA</b>
<b>THU 26 FEBRUARY</b> <b>NEWCASTLE</b> <b>METRO RADIO ARENA</b>	<b>SUN 08 MARCH</b> <b>LIVERPOOL</b> <b>ECHO ARENA</b>	<b>EXTRA DATE</b> <b>MON 16 &amp; TUE 17 MARCH</b> <b>BRIGHTON CENTRE</b>
<b>FRI 27 FEBRUARY</b> <b>GLASGOW</b> <b>THE SSE HYDRO</b>		<b>EXTRA DATE - MATINEE SHOW</b> <b>FRI 20 &amp; SAT 21 MARCH</b> <b>LONDON THE O2</b>

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- 1 Fill in the table below. The first and last rows have been done for you.

[7 marks] AO1

<b>Tour Date</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Venue</b>
Sat 07 March	Leeds	First Direct Arena
	Birmingham	LG Arena
Fri 27 February		The SSE Hydro
Sun 22 February	Nottingham	
Thu 26 February		Metro Radio Arena
	Aberdeen	GE Arena (AECC)
Sun 08 March	Liverpool	
Fri 20 and Sat 21 March		The O2
Fri 20 February	Manchester	Manchester Arena



## Reading Task 2

Look at this page from a book about will.i.am.

1

# Family and Personal Life

2

'Not even my family call me William'.

3

Will.i.am was raised by his mother, Debra Cain, and his uncle Donny, and never met his father, William Adams. As well as two brothers and a sister, will.i.am has two adopted sisters and two adopted brothers. Debra gives credit to the people in their neighbourhood for helping to keep an eye on her young son. 'Boyle Heights was an ideal community at the time because he was sheltered by a lot of the neighbours who made sure he didn't get into different things,' she once explained.

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5

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- 1 Match the numbers on the book page to the descriptions in the table below.  
One has been done for you.

[4 marks] AO1

Description	Number
Title for the page	
Page number	
What will.i.am says	2
Information about will.i.am	
Picture	

- 2 What helped will.i.am to become a star?

Fill in the table below. One has been done for you.

[4 marks] AO1

Point	Reason
will.i.am became interested in music at the age of eight	He started from an early age.

- 3** Explain why the book has used these phrases to describe will.i.am's childhood?  
One has been done for you.

**[2 marks] AO2**

Word or phrase	Explain
will.i.am was raised by his mother . . .	This makes it sound like his mother was really important in his life.
Boyle Heights was an ideal community . . .	
...will.i.am has two adopted sisters and two adopted brothers.	

- 4** Would you have liked to have grown up in will.i.am's family?

Give reasons based on what you have read in the book.

Think about:

- his mum
- his brothers and sisters
- his neighbours
- the place he grew up.

**[5 marks] AO4**

Would you have liked to have grown up in will.i.am's family? Tick **one** box.

Yes ☐

No ☐

Not sure ☐

Give **four** reasons here:

1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_



Reading Task 3

Look at this interview question from a pop magazine and the singer's answer.

How did it feel to be in the last two of the singing contest?



It was scary. It's surprising how many people turned up to watch. People were holding up signs with my name on them. Some were real dudes too. When I started singing I just went for it. After the show my hero rang me in the dressing room. He said "Man, you were so good I broke my speakers with your beat." How amazing is that?

- 1 Explain why the singer uses these words in his answer. One has been done for you.

[2 marks] AO2

Word	Explain
surprising	The word shows that the singer was shocked.
dudes	
broke	



## Writing Task










Your teacher has asked your class for ideas for a talent show.

Use this form below to tell your teacher your ideas and why they are the best.

Remember to:

- write in sentences
- check your spelling
- use full stops and capital letters
- write neatly.

[24 marks] AO5 AO6

Date and time of the show 	
Place 	
What students will pay? 	
Who will come? 	
What will happen?  Judges   Host   Singing   Acting   Dancing 	You should write in sentences in this part of the plan:  <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>




**END OF QUESTIONS**