

Academic Success Programme

Academic speaking:

Core skills for academic speaking

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(AMBS)

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Week 1	Individual presentations of personal objectives Examine strategies to create strong introductions that will engage your audience and learn how to present with slides and other visual aids.
Week 2	Group presentations about time-management Read extracts about different time-management techniques before presenting summaries with effective transitions between speakers and a Q&A.
Week 3	Participating in seminars at university Explore the purpose of seminars and how to take part in them effectively, before taking part in a seminar to practise turn-taking, making a point and referring to sources.
Week 4	Discussing a project Use a range of language to summarise extracts, and comment on strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats of a project to build a new stadium in Manchester. Should the project go ahead?