Friday 19th June 2020

Evaluating My Speech

What worked well

When reading my speech, I made sure that I was maintaining eye contact with the camera whenever possible. I had rehearsed my speech several times to make sure that I didn’t stumble as I read it. I had practised it so I knew that it was relatively short and concise.

What I found challenging

I found it quite difficult knowing when to alter the tone of my voice as I read aloud. I realised that when asking the audience a question it would be better to pause to allow time for them to think- I needed to record a second attempt to allow time for this reflection. I also found it quite hard trying to memorise the entire speech- I had to keep looking down at what I had written.

What I would do differently next time

If I were to do this again, I would try to learn more of the speech so that I could maintain eye contact with my audience for longer. I would also possibly add some more detail to the final paragraph as I feel this was a little short.