

My Favourite Animal Speech

Age Group: 6-10 Years | Skill Focus: Confidence & Public Speaking

My name: Date:

How to use this worksheet

You will choose your favourite animal, put your ideas in order and give a short, clear speech about it. Do each step in order. Ask a grown-up to help you read or write if you need to!

1 Choose Your Animal

Tick ONE animal, or write your own below:

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| ☐ A dog or puppy | ☐ A cat or kitten |
| ☐ An elephant | ☐ A lion or tiger |
| ☐ A dolphin or whale | ☐ A bird |

My favourite animal is:

2 Animal Fact File

Write a few words or short sentences. Don't worry about perfect spelling!

Draw your animal here!

It lives in:

It eats:

It looks like (colour, size, body parts):

It can (its special skills):

A cool fact I know:

3 Organise Your Ideas

Good speakers put their ideas in order. Choose your 3 best ideas and write them in the order you will say them.

1. First, I will tell you about:

2. Next, I will tell you about:

3. Finally, I will tell you:.....

I love this animal because...

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4 Build Your Speech

Every speech has 3 parts, just like a sandwich: top bread, yummy filling, bottom bread!

BEGINNING Say hello and name your animal

Try: "Hello everyone! My favourite animal is the ____."

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MIDDLE Share your ideas in order

Try: "First, ____ . Next, ____ . Finally, ____ . I love it because ____."

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ENDING Finish with a strong closing line

Try: "That is why the ____ is my favourite animal. Thank you for listening!"

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Sentence Starters to Help You Speak

My favourite animal is... It lives in... It eats... It can... A cool fact is... Thank you for listening!

Read your speech out loud once. Check it!

- ☐ I named my animal ☐ I shared 3 ideas in order ☐ I said thank you

Tip: You don't have to read your words. Use them as your guide and speak from your heart!

5 Practise Speaking

Your speech should take about 30 to 60 seconds. Tick each Superstar Tip you remember!

Superstar Speaker Tips

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| ☐ Speak slowly and clearly | ☐ Use a loud, happy voice |
| ☐ Look at your audience | ☐ Smile while you speak |
| ☐ Use your hands or animal moves | ☐ Take small pauses |

Practise 3 times. Colour a star after each one!

Practice 1: to a mirror



Practice 2: to a toy or pet



Practice 3: to family or friends



How did it feel? Tick your choice!



Very confident!

- ☐ Tick here



A little confident

- ☐ Tick here



Still practising

- ☐ Tick here

I am proud of myself because.....
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Parent / Teacher Feedback

What the child did well:

One thing to try next time:

Speaking stars: ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

Signed:

Well done! You gave a wonderful animal speech!