



EDWARD WILSON
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Year 6 - Autumn 2

Talk homework

If the first 6 things you touched turned to solid gold which things would you touch and why? Think about the story of King Midas.

Your task is to make notes (using bullet points) for your speaking presentation in class. You will be speaking to the class for a minimum of 2 minutes, answering the question above; so you will need to be prepared.

You may want to think about the following:

- ✓ Why you are choosing these particular things
- ✓ What the consequences of your touch would be
- ✓ Would you be happier? Yes/No. Why?
- ✓ Research the story of King Midas.



Activity	Tips	Notes:
Beginning	• Keep it short • Brief, capture the attention of the audience and state purpose of the speech. • Make it unique	
Middle	• Include interesting facts • Add examples • Try to have a powerful statement to lead into each new point	
Ending	• Short statement relating back to the topic • Sum up the subject and purpose of the speech. • Make it brief, but memorable. • CHALLENGE: Memorise your conclusion, so your last couple of sentences can be delivered with confidence and with full eye contact with the audience.	
Practice	• By yourself, take time to read your speech aloud • Practise using your notes (or you may want to write them on cards), first by yourself, then either in front of family	