

## Oral presentation of a document

<p><b>Nature of the document</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This is a passage from / an <b>extract</b> from...</li> <li>• It was directed by... / it was made by...</li> <li>• It is <b>entitled</b> "...",</li> <li>• and was shot in (+ date) / it was <b>released</b> in (+ date)</li> <li>• This <b>performance</b> was played in (+ date), by (name of actors).</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Description :</b> <b>where / when / who / what / why</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The scene takes place in...</li> <li>• We can see... / We can <b>notice</b>...</li> <li>• There is... / there are...</li> <li>• on the right/left.</li> <li>• at the top/<b>bottom</b></li> <li>• in the <b>background</b> / <b>foreground</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The picture <b>presents</b> / <b>features</b> / shows...</li> <li>• <b>Several elements</b> can be seen, <b>namely</b>...</li> <li>• We can <b>distinguish</b>... / We can <b>notice</b>... / We can make out...</li> <li>• ... can be <b>distinguished</b>.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Drama terms</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To <b>rehearse</b> / rehearsal / <b>dress rehearsal</b></li> <li>• To <b>perform</b> / to act / to play</li> <li>• To <b>direct</b> / to stage (mettre en scène)</li> <li>• To <b>overplay</b></li> <li>• <b>Scenery</b> / the <b>setting</b> : <b>furniture</b> (uncountable) ; props ; <b>backdrop</b></li> <li>• <b>Lighting</b> : <b>spotlight</b> / <b>limelight</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The house / the stage</li> <li>• <b>Backstage</b> / left wing (coulisse côté cour) / right wing (coulisse côté jardin) / <b>dressing room</b></li> <li>• The stalls / <b>ground</b>floor boxes / boxes / <b>dress circle</b> / <b>upper circle</b> / the gods</li> </ul>
<p><b>Interpretation :</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This <b>object</b> can <b>symbolise</b>...</li> <li>• This <b>character</b> could <b>symbolise</b>...</li> <li>• to <b>symbolise</b> ; to <b>represent</b> ; to stand for</li> <li>• It makes me think of...</li> <li>• It can be <b>related</b> to... / It can be linked with... / It can be <b>associated</b> with...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• to <b>epitomise</b> (être l'exemple même de...) ; to <b>embody</b> (incarner)</li> <li>• ... is <b>characteristic</b> of... / ... is <b>symptomatic</b> of... / ... is <b>typical</b> of...</li> <li>• It can be <b>related</b> to... / It can be analysed as a form of... / It can be <b>interpreted</b> as...</li> </ul>