

SUMMARY SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN
FINGAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
YEAR ENDING JUNE 2014

<p>The focus of the evaluation</p>	<p>A school self-evaluation of teaching and learning was undertaken in Fingal Community College during the academic year 2013/2014. Oral literacy was the primary focus of this process of self-evaluation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Literacy Team of Fingal Community College devised an initiative (<i>Operation Oracy</i>) designed to assist learners in developing research and presentation skills across the curriculum.
<p>Improvement targets (related to learners' achievements)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The <i>Operation Oracy</i> initiative will be expanded to incorporate all of second year. • Learners will be required to reflect critically upon their own performances. • We will set targets of 10% improvement in Audibility; 15% improvement in Pace; 10% improvement in Fluency; 5% improvement in Tone & Energy; 10% improvement in Eye Contact; 15% improvement in Body Language; 10% improvement in Appropriateness to Audience; 15% improvement in Structure & Cohesion and 15% improvement Use of Visual Aids.
<p>Required actions (related to teaching and learning that will help to achieve the targets)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pop-up workshops for the teaching of oral literacy skills provided and facilitated by members of the LT are to be introduced for the teaching staff from September 2014
<p>Timeframe for action</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 2014 to May2015
<p>Success criteria / Measurable outcomes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The score sheet used in the first round of the initiative will provide both success criteria for the learners and the raw data for analysis which comprises the measureable outcomes.

