

SoME

16 April 2025

Assessment

Total Score: 48

Qualitative Analysis - Positive

- You delivered a heartfelt and patriotic speech, which is commendable
- You effectively conveyed the importance of Independence Day and the values of democracy, justice, equality, and diversity, which shows your understanding of the occasion
- You shared valuable lessons from your experience in the Indian Army, such as putting the nation first, participating in games and sports, and learning new things, which demonstrates your ability to reflect on your experiences and share relevant insights

Qualitative Analysis - Areas of Improvement

- You repeated the phrase 'Jai Hind' multiple times at the end, which could be seen as unnecessary and may have been more effective with a single iteration
- You mentioned that you didn't want to study too much when you were younger, which may not be the best example to share with students, as it could be misinterpreted as discouraging academic effort
- You assumed that the audience would be interested in joining the armed forces, which may not be the case for everyone, and it would be more effective to encourage them to explore their own interests and passions
- You didn't provide a clear call-to-action or specific advice for the students to apply the lessons you shared, which could have made your speech more impactful
- You used a quote from John F. Kennedy, but it was not directly relevant to the Indian context, and it may have been more effective to use a quote from an Indian leader or figure

Detailed Evaluation Metrics

No.	Items to look out for	Middle Column	5 point scale / Answer
1.	Did the speaker speak with confidence? • Posture • Smile • Eye Contact • Energetic Start	Excellent as 5	Good Satisfactory Good Poor
2.	Was the content interesting and as per the guidelines provided?	Excellent as 5	The content was interesting and relevant to the occasion, effectively conveying your message to the audience.
3.	Who are you and what are your skills, expertise, and personality traits?	Excellent as 5	You effectively showcased your skills, expertise, and personality traits as a veteran of the armed forces, particularly when sharing lessons from your 33 years of experience.
4.	Why are you the best person to fit this role?	Excellent as 5	You demonstrated why you are the best person to fit this role, especially when emphasizing the importance of putting one's nation first and quoting John F. Kennedy.
5.	How are you different from others?	Excellent as 5	You highlighted how you are different from others, notably when discussing your experiences in the Indian Army and the values you learned.
6.	What value do you bring to the role?	Excellent as 5	You brought significant value to the role, particularly when encouraging the students to learn new skills and participate in games and sports.
7.	Did the speech have a structure of Opening, Body, and Conclusion?	Excellent as 5	The speech had a clear structure, starting with an opening that wished the audience a happy Independence Day, followed by a body that shared your experiences and lessons, and concluding with a heartfelt thank you and a farewell message.
8.	Did the speaker vary their tone, speed, and volume while delivering the speech/presentation?	Good as 4	You maintained a good tone and varied your speed and volume effectively, although there were moments where the delivery felt a bit rushed, and some words were pronounced quickly.



9.	How was the quality of research for the topic? Did the speech demonstrate good depth? Did they cite sources?	Good as 4	The quality of research for the topic was good, and you demonstrated a good depth of knowledge about the significance of Independence Day and the values of democracy, justice, equality, and diversity, with proper citations, such as quoting John F. Kennedy.
10.	How convinced were you with the overall speech on the topic? Was it persuasive? Will you consider them for the job/opportunity?	Excellent as 5	I was convinced by your overall speech, which was persuasive and effectively conveyed your message to the audience, and I would consider you for a role that involves inspiring and motivating others, particularly in a educational or leadership setting.