| **Student:** Zak |
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| That schools should judge subjects like art and music based on hard work and effort instead of natural talent. |
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**My Teacher’s Observations and Feedback**

| **What was the BEST thing about my speech?** | * Nice work on explaining that students who are smart might not actually think they are smart - so they won’t take the feedback properly. * Good illustration of how schools would not be fair when they judge good art work as bad. * Nice work on explaining that students will hate schools when they don’t receive honest feedback from school. * Good attempt to try to rebuttal by saying when people are talented they want to work hard. * Nice explanation in saying that it is hard to clarify the difference between natural talent and hard work as a large part of this is invisible. * 5:35 | |
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| **What part of my speech NEEDS IMPROVEMENT?** | * Minimize the overuse of examples. Offer a lot of reasons and analysis but illustrate one or two. * You need to make your transitions smoother. When you are moving from one point to another - try to clarify what you would do. * You want to explain how you can still be fair to hardworking students. Explain your alternatives about how you can support them some other way. * You want to minimize some repetitions in your speech. | |