

Evaluating evaluation

Why play this game?

Facilitates immediate and powerful learning about the process of evaluating a speech.

How does it work?

1. A speaker delivers their speech as normal.
2. The speaker then sits opposite their evaluator with all other participants in a circle around them.
3. The evaluator delivers their evaluation but anyone can stop the evaluator at any time by raising their hand and suggesting alternatives (what advice being given, how it is being given, time spent on a topic, words used etc).
4. Everyone in the circle congratulates the speaker and evaluator for their contributions.

What do we need?

Usual materials required for speaking and evaluating.

Let's mix it up!

Everyone evaluates the speaker. Follow the same process as described above but instead of offering advice to the single evaluator, other people "tag in" to the role of evaluator.