# **Class Activity**

Prepare for a presentation

## objectives

- Familiarise yourself with a typical marking scheme
- Understand the different aspects which are assessed when you make a presentation
- Identify the necessary tasks which are associated with preparing a presentation

#### timings

- First 5 minutes (now) briefing
- Next ten minutes (next) preparation/discussion
- Then 5x4 minutes
- Final 5 minutes general feedback discussion
- Note this is a very quick event I will use the bell to keep you to time
  - Of course you could do it better with more time © but please do your best!

## Method and Pitch (1)

- In your groups use 10 minutes to plan a short
  (4 minutes timed) joint presentation to the rest of the class
- The pitch one of two:
  - Imagine you are presenting to a group of school or college students one or two years younger than yourself. The presentation is designed to explain things like:
    - What they can expect from the application procedure
    - What will happen when they first arrive at university
    - What its like being a student at Southampton in ECS generally
    - What sort of teaching and individual study they can expect
  - At the end (final 1 minutes)
    tell us what you would need to do to actually prepare a well researched and illustrated version of this presentation

Remember the objective is to get you some practice at presenting

## Method and Pitch (2)

- In your groups use 10 minutes to plan a short (4 minutes timed) joint presentation to the rest of the class
- The pitch two of two:
  - Make a presentation which advises students how to make and excellent presentation and how to avoid making dreadful presentations:
    - What are the aspects of a good presentation
    - What are things which can go wrong in a presentation
    - What are the challenges of a group presentation?
    - How would you make sure you scored top points against the marking scheme?
  - At the end (final 1 minutes)
    tell us what you would need to do to actually prepare a well researched and illustrated version of this presentation

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#### You choose....

#### Prospective Students

- What they can expect from the application procedure
- What will happen when they first arrive at university
- What its like being a student at Southampton in ECS generally
- What sort of teaching and individual study they can expect

#### **Presentation Guide**

- What are the aspects of a good presentation
- What are things which can go wrong in a presentation
- What are the challenges of a group presentation?
- How would you make sure you scored top points against the marking scheme?

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