

2007 ISLO Assessment

Oral Communication (72 students from 6 classes evaluated by faculty using oral rubric after norming w/ rubric):

	4	3	2	1		Notes:
Clearly, purposefully and concisely communicates verbally	28	37	7	0	72	90% adequate or above
Uses paraverbal (i.e., tone, cadence, volume, rate) and non-verbal (body language) communication accompanying verbal communication	28	34	10	0	72	86% adequate or above
Constructs logical and coherent arguments	37	28	5	0	70	93% adequate or above
Asks effective questions and answers questions effectively	26	17	1	1	45	96% adequate or above
Manages public speaking anxiety	39	23	9	1	72	86% adequate or above
Avoids use of vocal segregates (um, ah, err, like...)	24	27	17	3	71	72% adequate or above

(note: several comments from submitting faculty about the difficulty of applying rubric objectively to their own students' presentations, as compared to assessing anonymous students' oral capabilities- may account for such high scores)