

## **EVALUATION - SUMMATION**

### **A QUALITY SUMMATION SHOULD DO 2 THINGS:**

- 1. It should repeat and summarise the key commendations and recommendations that the evaluator offered; and secondly,**
- 2. It should close with a general statement about the overall feel and impact of the speech.**

**Whilst the former statement is quite uniform, the latter is an opportunity for the contestant to show some creative flair.**

**You may comment on whether the speaker achieved their objective (i.e. did they succeed in persuading, entertaining or informing?) or you may discuss the positive impact their speech had on the audience. Remember, your closing statement is the last thing the judges hear, so make sure it is constructive and leaves the speaker feeling encouraged and positive about their speech development.**

**Tip: 1. Stay concise and keep it to 2 sentences**

**Tip: 2. Avoid cliché statements**

**Tip: 3. Do not add new points in the Summation**