



Welsh for adults

Self-reflection questions to support Welsh for adults providers in improving learners' speaking skills

How well do you support learners to improve their speaking skills?

- How do you ensure that learners, particularly at the lower levels, increase their use of the target language with you and their fellow learners, rather than reverting to English?
- What strategies do you use to ensure that learners extend their oral answers during class and group/pair work?
- How do you ensure that learners are increasingly accurate and natural in their use of language, in a supportive manner that adds to their confidence to use the language?
- What strategies do you employ to ensure correct pronunciation?
- How do you encourage and monitor learners' use of the Welsh language outside of formal sessions so that they become active Welsh speakers who integrate effectively with Welsh-speaking networks/communities?
- In lessons, do you provide learners with sufficient thinking time to respond to oral prompts?
- What professional learning opportunities are you providing to help staff develop their skills in supporting learners' speaking skills?