

VOCAL SKILLS	EXAMPLES	POSSIBLE EFFECTS
Volume	1 Speaks loudly/shouts	
	2 Speaks softly/whispers	
	3 Voice suddenly gets louder or softer	
Pitch	1 Uses higher vocal register	
	2 Uses lower vocal register	
	3 Changes pitch – such as suddenly going up or down at the end of a line	
	4 Changes pitch to imitate another character	
Timing/pace	1 Speaks slowly	
	2 Speaks quickly	
	3 Pauses at a particular moment	
	4 Speaks at a different or the same tempo as another character	
Intonation	1 Speaks warmly or tenderly	
	2 Speaks sharply or aggressively	
	3 Emphasises certain words	
Phrasing	1 Hesitates at the beginning of a line or mid-line	
	2 Emphasises the verse of a line	
	3 Makes the poetry of a line clear and attractive	
	4 Speaks informally/casually ‘throwing lines away’	
Emotional range	1 Voice breaks/sobs	
	2 Giggles or laughs while speaking	
	3 Speaks with control (such as attempting to control anger or sorrow)	
	4 Speaks romantically	
	5 Screams	