Year 7 Speech Example – Guide for students

Your response

Hi my name is … I have come here from … Primary School. I choose BHS because … As you will all be my classmates for a long time to come let me introduce myself to you.

There are 4 people in my family. My mum, dad and big brother. My dad is from Melbourne and my mum was born in Spain.

I have 2 cats called Fuzz and Momo, 5 gold fish and 3 chickens. The chickens are my favourite pet because they give us eggs but of course the cats are the most friendly.

As I am still a kid, I don’t have a long history but it might be good if people knew that I was born on my grandmother’s birthday or valentine’s day. Can you guess what day that is?

It would take all day for me to tell you about all of the things that I love but some of my favourite things would be going to the beach, listening to music, being with friends and having free time to do whatever I want.

It is a little embarrassing to admit it but I am impatient and I dislike waiting for things. I am not good at keeping things tidy all the time and sometimes I am a little lazy. I am not very good at sport and sometimes I find it difficult knowing what to talk about when I meet new people.

I have a lot of hobbies. Most of them are a little old fashioned such as sewing, knitting, cooking and gardening so I keep them a secret because they are the type of things ‘old people’ like to do.

I also like drawing, walking, making things and watching movies.

I have learnt to play the flute so I quite like classical music but I also enjoy world music and many songs in the popular charts. Usually I like to like things that are a little strange or unusual because I don’t like to be the same as everyone else.

I haven’t won any awards recently. I have won a few swimming races and am quite good at backstroke. I probably should have won an award for making poor jokes – but no one has given me one yet!

When I was a little girl it was my plan to become the next queen of Scotland but as there is no such position to be appointed to I have taken up other career interests.

I occasionally go swimming and I used to play tennis. I have intentions to do sport but I never get myself organised enough to do it.

I love school. There are many reasons why I love school and as you might imagine the main one is not about the school work. School is a great place to go to meet friends and do new things.

There are some subjects that I really enjoy doing such as Art and Cooking and so far I have had kind teachers.

I understand that school is important because there is a lot to learn about the world we live in and education is important because without an education it is hard to get a good job. Sometimes getting to school is a drag but usually it’s fun.

I have a few personal goals this year. As you might guess one is to be more organised and the other is to play more sport – or to go swimming more often. I would like to do my best at my school work and feel proud of my efforts by the end of the year. I am also looking forward to getting to know all of the new students in my class.

There are many things that are important to me but I would like to think I can be kind to others, learn from difficult situations and to enjoy being me.

However I do care about issues like global warming, poverty and justice.

In the future I hope to keep learning about the world I live in. I hope one day I will be a good teacher that is able to encourage all of my students to work hard and do their best and to love learning.

It has been a pleasure to tell you all about myself and I look forward to getting to know you all a bit better as the year unfolds.

Thankyou