GCSE Speaking Endorsement 2021. Questions for teachers/ managers

What are the requirements?	Ofqual documentation **Ofqual source**	Notes
What are the criteria?	Joint exam board speaking endorsement criteria [show] Joint exam board range grid [show]	Be clear about definitions / how to award / minimum required incl. essential to have interaction
Where is there any additional guidance?	AQA guidance Edexcel guidance ALL ideas	
What is the timescale?	Hand in grades May 7th. (Avoid need for appeal ..) Definitely 2 school weeks of lock down after half term Maximum 7 weeks of face to face	
What activities could we do?	See ALL sharing Webinar 2 Menu	**2 sections:** (1) With interaction (2) Without
What opportunities are there for judging level in lockdown? (What is realistic)	• Synchronous: Online lessons, breakout rooms, language assistant, T/P, P/P, telephone • Asynchronous: Various platforms (Teams, OneNote, Sanako, Flipgrid)	**Constraints:** Pupils not attending . refusing to attend Home quality may be poor / Sharing computers Pupils numbers - teacher / pupil ratio Teacher availability
What realistic opportunities are there for judging level in school?	All of above+ • Whole class participation • Observing pair work • T/P individual or group	**Constraints:** Depends on school policy IT access
How to establish departmental approach?	• Decide approach - common 'script' • 'Tick with integrity'	**Constraints**: Potential for teacher concern about fairness
How will you share process and criteria with pupils? (essential to avoid appeals - no surprises -good formative practice)	• Student copy shared - ongoing ticks - students can't edit • Formative? Student copy to self-assess …. to show teacher • Common script in the department	
How will you track progress in department?	Location of records electronic / paper Central record on spreadsheet? Central folder for pupil records (e.g. word doc)	
Approach to parents	• Decide best approach sensitively, based on potential receipt of info	**Constraint:** Parents and students very anxious at the moment esp. about testing / fairness