Why public speaking should be taught in schools

- 1. What are the 4 competences for success in the 21th century? How do they relate to the speaking skill?
- 2. Briefly present Katie's situation and how the speaker managed it.
- 3. Why do you think Katie's story was a total success?
- 4. Which is the key to a good speech?
- 5. What point was Katie trying to make with her speech?
- 6. How did Katie benefit from speaking on that occasion?
- 7. What did the study mentioned find about the amount of spoken contributions students have during each lesson?
- 8. How do many people see public speaking at school?
- 9. Which are the 3 R's the speaker mentions and which is the 4th he considers necessary?
- 10. How is the practice of public speaking skills going to help one in life?
- 11. Why do you think the speaker stresses the idea that the ability to speak effectively is a SKILL not a GIFT?