

**ASSIGNMENT**

**Individual presentation:** You are going to give a presentation about three individuals or organizations that are making an important difference in a cause you believe in.

## Student presentation script (example)

Useful expressions appear in *blue*.

OUTLINE	SCRIPT
Greet and introduce the topic	<p>Hello everyone, thank you for your attention today. I'm here to talk to you about a cause I am passionate about: fighting food insecurity. If you haven't heard about this before, food insecurity means you don't have enough food to eat every day, and you don't know where you will get your next meal. This is a problem that affects people in every country. In this presentation, I'd like to share with you three organizations that can show us how to take action to fight this problem.</p>
Describe the actions and impact of individual/organisation 1	<p>First, I'd like to talk about an organisation that targets hunger in schools. We all know that children can't learn well if they are hungry. For over 20 years, an NGO called Akshaya Patra has been fighting this by providing fresh and nutritious meals to schools around India. Starting with just five local schools, the program has now expanded to feed over two million children every day! This has had an amazing impact on their nutrition levels, school attendance and academic performance.</p>
Describe the actions and impact of individual/organisation 2	<p>Akshaya Patra has over 60 kitchens preparing meals to feed hungry people. But now I want to tell you about an organization with just one kitchen, in Sydney, Australia. The organization is called "RecipeTin Meals", and it was created by a cookbook author called Nagi Maehashi. Using some of the profits from her work, she started a special kitchen that prepares free meals for local people in need. It has made a real difference in the local community, producing over 2000 meals per week. People say that these meals make them feel special because of their high quality.</p>
Describe the actions and impact of individual/organisation 3	<p>Finally, I want to highlight the work done by a group called Feeding America, who run food banks in the USA. They collect food donations and unused food from businesses and farmers. Then they take this food to local places where families can pick it up, or to soup kitchens, shelters, or meal programs. Their impact has been significant in many ways. In the middle of the pandemic, they helped over 51 million people in just one year. In 2022 they rescued 4 billion pounds of food that would have been wasted. They also help provide food after a natural disasters, and they conduct research into food insecurity in local communities. They do an amazing job!</p>

**Conclude**

I hope these three organizations have inspired you to think about how you could help with the problem of food insecurity in your community. Could you donate food to a food bank? Or could you volunteer your time to help in a kitchen near you? Think about it! **That brings me to the end of my presentation today. Thank you for listening.**

OUTLINE	NOTES
Greet and introduce the topic	
Describe the actions and impact of individual/organisation 1	
Describe the actions and impact of individual/organisation 2	
Describe the actions and impact of individual/organisation 3	
Conclude	

## Useful expressions

PURPOSE	EXPRESSIONS
<b>Greet</b>	<p><i>Hello everyone.</i></p> <p><i>Thank you for your attention today.</i></p> <p><i>Thank you for coming to our presentation today.</i></p>
<b>Introduce the topic</b>	<p><i>I'm here to talk to you about ...</i></p> <p><i>If you haven't heard about this before, [...] means ...</i></p> <p><i>In this presentation, I'd like to share with you ...</i></p>
<b>Describe sequence</b>	<p><i>First, I'd like to talk about ...</i></p> <p><i>Now I want to tell you about ...</i></p> <p><i>Finally, I want to highlight ...</i></p>
<b>Describe individuals or organisations</b>	<p><i>This organization targets ...</i></p> <p><i>The organization is called ...</i></p> <p><i>It was created by ...</i></p> <p><i>One person/organization working to make a difference is ...</i></p>
<b>Describe actions and impact</b>	<p><i>Starting with just ... , the program has now expanded to ...</i></p> <p><i>This has had an amazing impact on ...</i></p> <p><i>It has made a real difference in ...</i></p> <p><i>Their/The impact has been significant.</i></p> <p><i>They/He/She helped/rescued/provided ...</i></p>
<b>Conclude</b>	<p><i>I hope [...] has/have inspired you to ...</i></p> <p><i>I hope that you found it interesting to hear about ...</i></p> <p><i>That brings me to the end of my presentation today.</i></p> <p><i>Thank you for listening.</i></p>