For your oral presentation you will need to write a report about one of your interests and you will present your report to the class.

or

For your oral presentation you will need to choose a ‘current affairs’ topic that you can research and present to the class.

You can choose a topic from something that you have read in the newspaper or something that you have seen on the news or BTN. This is not a “retell” activity. You will need to do some research to provide some background information and interesting details about the topic that you have chosen.

After you have chosen your topic you will need to see me and discuss what you intend to do. Some topics are very difficult and do not lend themselves to this activity. I will be able to guide you with some questions so that you are able to prepare your talk.

When you have finished preparing, spend some time reading your presentation and practising appropriate voice projection. Make sure that you have used your own words and be familiar with your work so that you can interact with the audience.

Summary of what you need to do:
1. Choose a topic
2. See Mrs Rodder to check that you are on the right track
3. Research background information
4. Take some notes from your reference material or brainstorm some ideas
5. Write a report
6. Don’t forget to include an introduction, two, three or more paragraphs with details, and a conclusion
7. Make sure you use your own words and do not copy great slabs of information from the Internet.
8. Practise your presentation so that you are familiar with the content.

Enjoy doing the research and finding out more information about topics in which you are interested.

** Remember that this is NOT just a retell activity