Standard English

Formal and informal language

Task:

- Your job today is to write a short speech.
- Write two versions: one should be **formal** (as if you were going to present it to someone important and/or an influential audience), the other should be **informal** (chatty and colloquial as if you are going to deliver the speech to a friend)
- Choose one of the scenarios below, or choose your own (something you are passionate about).

School based	Current world issues
Your opinion on the use of mobile phones in schools	The Black Lives Matter protests
Extension of playtimes	Should children be returning to school
Should/shouldn't you be made to wear uniform	Single use plastic