

Features of Speech Writing

When writing speeches, people often use certain language techniques to make the audience listen, take note of what they're saying and do something about it!

TASK: Your task today is to be feature detectives and find as many examples as you can of these features in Winston Churchill's speech. I have done two for you but there are more!
You will need to re-read the speeches again to help you to this.

LANGUAGE FEATURE	EXAMPLE (From Winston Churchill's speech)
Alliteration or adjectives	<i>'Wage war'</i>
Facts	'I'
Rhetorical question or repetition of words	
Three (a list of 3 adjectives together)	

Glossary:

Alliteration – repetition of the same letter or sound at the start of a word.

Adjective – a describing word

Fact – Something that is true

Rhetorical question – a question that is asked but does not need an answer. To make the reader think.

Repetition – the same words used more than once