

## Individual researched presentation

NARRATOR This is Ash. She is here to talk about her passion for space, in the hope of impressing our experts.

But, so far, her prepared presentation is not proving popular with the professionals.

ASH The thing is, though right, this thing... is just up there. Do you know what I mean? Just floating in outer space. I don't even know how that works. I mean, it's not like it's a balloon, is it? Or is it? I can't remember.

PINK TIE MAN Stop! Please... please stop. Remind me, if it's something you can remember, what is it you're supposed to be talking about?

ASH The International Space Station.

PINK TIE MAN Complicated, isn't it? Bearing that in mind, do you now think that perhaps you should have researched your subject a little better? And, perhaps, even at the very least, thought about how you might keep my colleague awake during your presentation?

TONY I'm out. I'm in. What have I missed?

PINK TIE MAN Nothing. We're just about to start all over again, aren't we?

TONY Excellent! Well, I, for one, can't wait. Are there any biscuits?

ASH "Orbits at 200 miles." Wow.

Science fiction.

I love going to the cinema. My favourite films are science fiction. But the International Space Station, 200 miles above us in perpetual orbit... is science fact.

NARRATOR Ash has done it. She grabbed their attention with a bold, yet simple, opening line, then varied her sentence structure in order to move the talk forward, while also showing clear evidence of research. Well done, Ash. Have a biscuit.