ESSENTIALS OF EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

- Clear pronunciation
- Brevity
- Precision
- Conviction
- Logical sequence
- Appropriate word choice
- Avoid hackneyed phrases & clichés
- Natural voice
- Finding the right register

DISADVANTAGES:

- Relying only on oral communication may not be sufficient as business communication is formal and very organized.
- Oral communication is less authentic than written communication as they are informal and not as organized as written communication.
- ▶ Oral communication is time-saving as far as daily interactions are concerned, but in case of meetings, long speeches consume lot of time and are unproductive at times.
- Oral communications are not easy to maintain and thus they are unsteady.
- ► There may be misunderstandings as the information is not complete and may lack essentials.
- ▶ It requires attentiveness and great receptivity on part of the receivers/audience.

ORAL COMMUNICATION

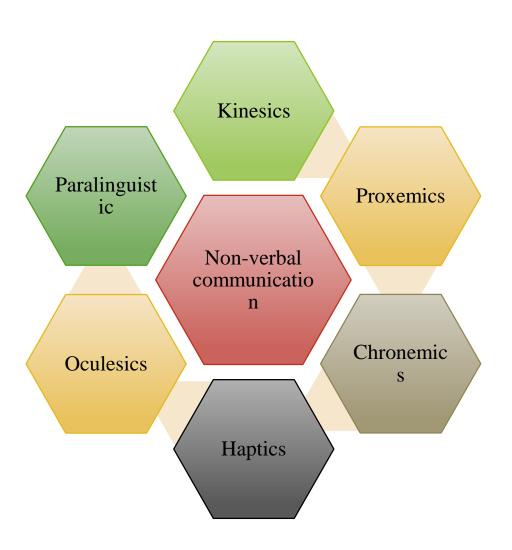
INTRODUCTION TO ORAL COMMUNICATION:

- The word communication is derived from a Latin word meaning "to share".
- Communication can be defined as "purposefully and actively exchanging information between two or more people to convey or receive the intended meanings through a shared of signs and (symbols)"
- Oral communication is communication by speaking rather than in some other way.
- Learn more about the types and benefits of oral communication, and find out how you can improve your own oral communication abilities.

ADVANTAGES

- There is high level of understanding and transparency in oral communication as it is interpersonal.
- ▶ There is no element of rigidity in oral communication.
- ▶ There is flexibility for allowing changes in the decisions previously taken.
- The feedback is spontaneous in case of oral communication. Thus, decisions can be made quickly without any delay.
- Oral communication is not only time saving, but it also saves upon money and efforts.
- Oral communication is best in case of problem resolution.
- Oral communication is an essential for teamwork and group energy.

COMPONENTS OF NON-VERBAL COMMUNICATION



TYPES OF ORAL COMMUNICATION

- Face to face
- Video conferencing
- Telephone
- Active-passive communication
- Interviews
- Group discussion
- Presentations
- Grapevine

PARALINGUISTIC FEATURES

INTRODUCTION

- Component of non verbal communication.
- ► Includes intentional and unintentional non verbal messages.
- ► It may be complementary, unconscious and learned.
- ► They are the aspects of spoken communication that do not involve words.
- ▶ Study of the non verbal cues and signals of the voice.