

S P E E C H

Original Persuasive Oratory

Name _____ State _____
 School _____ City _____
 Time _____ Title _____

FACTORS EVALUATED	COMMENTS	POINTS 4-10
MEMORIZATION: "the largely memorized oral presentation..." (see AACCS manual) (a) knowledge of material (b) hesitation or confusion (c) necessity for prompting		
SELECTION: (1) Originality: (a) positive approach (b) use of imagination (c) individualistic approach (d) human interest appeal (2) Content: (a) relates to subject (b) logical development of ideas (c) clarity of ideas (d) tasteful (e) meets time limits (f) meets category		
DICTION: (a) fluency, articulation (b) pronunciation (c) enunciation (d) voice projection (e) general pitch level (f) quality of voice		
COMMUNICATION: (a) mental rapport with audience (b) eye contact (c) ability to hold attention		
USE OF BODY: (a) posture (b) bodily movement (c) gestures (d) facial expression (e) stage presence (f) distracting mannerism		
INTERPRETATION: (a) style (b) proper emphasis (c) phrasing (d) contrast (e) expressiveness (f) creation of mood (g) sincerity of tone		
OVERALL EFFECTIVENESS: (a) proficiency of delivery (b) personal appearance (c) poise (d) organization of thought		

POINT SCALE
 9-10... Excellent, Superior
 7-8 Good, Above Average
 5-6 Fair, Average
 4 Poor

Point Rating - 70 POINTS

63 - 70 Superior
 56 - 62 Excellent
 49 - 55 3 Rating
 48 or below 4 Rating

Total (70 possible points) _____

 Judge's Signature