



SPEECH Secondary

Original Persuasive Oratory 349 449

Name: _____ Grade: _____ School # _____

Selection _____

FACTORS EVALUATED	COMMENTS	POINTS (4-10)
MEMORIZATION: “the largely memorized oral presentation...” (see AACCS manual) 1. Knowledge of material 2. Hesitation or confusion 3. 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 category		
DICTION: 1. Fluency/Articulation 2. Pronunciation 3. Enunciation 4. Voice projection 5. General pitch 6. Quality of voice		
COMMUNICATION: 1. Mental rapport with audience 2. Eye contact 3. Ability to hold attention		
USE OF BODY: 1. Posture 2. Bodily movement 3. Gestures 4. Facial expressions 5. Stage presence 6. Distracting mannerism		
INTERPRETATION: 1. Style 2. Proper emphasis 3. Phrasing 4. Contrast 5. Expressiveness 6. Creation of mood 7. Sincerity of tone		
OVERALL EFFECTIVENESS: 1. Proficiency of delivery 2. Personal appearance 3. Poise 4. Organization of thought		

POINT SCALE

9-10 Superior	63-70 Superior
8 Excellent	56-62 Excellent
7 Good	49-55 Good
6 Fair	42-48 Fair
5 Poor	0-41 Poor

Total (70 possible points) _____

Judge’s Signature