



Motivational Speaking

Speaker _____

Round _____ Section _____ Room _____

Judge Name _____ Date _____

Speech Topic _____ Speech length (max. 10 min.) _____

Circle a number to indicate your rating: 1 weak; 3 average; 5 superior. Criteria for making your decision are listed in each category. *Please provide comments under each category to enable the competitor to improve communication skills.* Your independent opinion is important, so please do not discuss this ballot with anyone.

CONTENT	PRESENTATION
<p>Introduction 1 2 3 4 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grabs audience attention Presents clear thesis and previews main points Justifies the significance of chosen topic <p>COMMENTS:</p>	<p>Vocal 1 2 3 4 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utilizes variety of pitch, rate, volume, rhythm, inflection Has clear enunciation and accurate pronunciation Presents memorized speech naturally and sincerely <p>COMMENTS:</p>
<p>Body 1 2 3 4 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organizes information logically and is easy to follow Speech motivates or inspires the listener Presents new and interesting information Cites all quotes within the speech Uses smooth transitions between thoughts <p>COMMENTS:</p>	<p>Physical 1 2 3 4 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uses appropriate eye contact and facial expressions Exhibits effective gestures, energy and passion Effectively employs props, if used, to enhance the information being presented Demonstrates proficiency of delivery with poise <p>COMMENTS:</p>
<p>Analysis and Conclusion 1 2 3 4 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shows a thorough understanding of the topic Reviews main points and relevance of topic Presents memorable ending; provides closure <p>COMMENTS:</p>	<p>Overall 1 2 3 4 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintains logical flow of supported ideas Message uplifts the audience Reflects creativity, originality and emotional intent Captures and engages the audience's attention <p>COMMENTS:</p>

△ Total points from above; indicate any violations.
TOTAL POINTS: _____/30 VIOLATIONS: Use of script _____ + Overtime _____ = _____ Total violations
[1 rank] [1 rank]

▽ First use Judge Worksheet to indicate final ranking after violations are accounted for; then circle this speaker's final rank.
FINAL RANK: 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th & below

Judge Signature: _____ THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND EFFORT!!



Academically-focused

Christ-centered

Family-oriented

