Illinois 4-H Public Speaking

ILLUSTRATED SPEECH - BEGINNER

Illinois Extension
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN

Name _____ County _____ Rating _____

Time allowed: 2-4 Minutes

The **ILLUSTRATED SPEECH** is a speech presented to inform, persuade, entertain, and stimulate action or further interest in a topic of community concern. The presentation must be the product of the member. Visuals such as charts, pictures, models, posters, slides, etc. are used to achieve a more vivid impression or stimulate greater interest in the audience. Members may use notes or speak from memory. The purpose of the **ILLUSTRATED SPEECH** is to guide members in research, organization and development of a sense of literary style.

Criteria	Comments	Points Available	Points Awarded
Clarity of Purpose *Is the purpose and intent of the speaker easy to identify?*		**20**	
Command of Subject Matter *Does the speaker understand the topic and the related concepts? Do the points made make sense?*		**25**	
Physical presence | eye contact | use of gestures & space		**15**	
Originality *Does the speaker address the topic in a unique, inventive way? Are the supporting examples new and interesting?*		**10**	
Relatability to the audience| Inclusive rhetoric *Can the audience relate to the topic? Is the delivery personable? Does the speaker establish how others are impacted by their topic? Is the rhetoric of the speech inclusive?*		**15**	
Use of Visual aids		**15**	
Deductions	1 point deduction for every 30 seconds over/under time		
TOTAL POINTS		**100**	
Overall Comments:			

Use back of page for additional comments if necessary

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