

McKenzie County Right to Life Speech Contest Score Sheet

Pro-Life Persuasive Original Speech

Participant Name:	Speech topic:
Title of Speech:	

Speech must be within 5-8 minutes. Please use time cards 3 min, 2 min, 1 min, 30 sec, 15 sec, and 0 (stop).

Evaluation Criteria	Poor	Fair	Good	Great	Excellent	Score	Comments
A: Introduction							
1. Did introduction create interest in subject? Was catchy title used?	1	2	3	4	5		
2. Was the purpose clearly stated?	1	2	3	4	5		
3. Is the importance of subject established?	1	2	3	4	5		
B: Organization							
4. Was one theme clear throughout the presentation?	1	2	3	4	5		
5. Was the speech neatly arranged and well organized?	1	2	3	4	5		
6. Were key points stressed?	1	2	3	4	5		
7. Was supportive evidence given for key points?	1	2	3	4	5		
C. Content and Accuracy:							
8. Were facts and information accurate?	1	2	3	4	5		
9. Were facts current?	1	2	3	4	5		
10. Was there enough information?	1	2	3	4	5		
11. Was correct use of grammar used?	1	2	3	4	5		
D. Stage Presence:							
12. Was speaker neat and appropriately dressed for the demonstration?	1	2	3	4	5		
13. Was poise and stance well maintained?	1	2	3	4	5		
14. Did the speaker look and speak directly at the audience?	1	2	3	4	5		
E. Delivery:							
15. Did speaker have good voice control? Was the speaker too fast or too slow?	1	2	3	4	5		
16. Were all words pronounced correctly, clearly, and understood well?	1	2	3	4	5		
17. Was the presentation naturally spoken? Were the notes used without detracting from the presentation?	1	2	3	4	5		
18. Were gestures used naturally and purposefully, or nervously?	1	2	3	4	5		
F. Summary:							
19. Was the summary short and interesting? Were the key points briefly reviewed? Did the summary properly wrap up the presentation?	1	2	3	4	5		
H. Purpose:							
20. Did the speaker achieve his/her	1	2	3	4	5		
I: Time:							Deduction for OT / UT
Time OK Over time Under time (please circle one)							Total Score (100 points possible)