

IMPROMPTU

On the speaker's turn, he/she will select three topics from an envelope (or other such container), choosing one of them to perform. After the choice is made, the judge begins to time the event. The contestant has a total of 6 minutes to prepare and deliver his/her presentation. The time may be divided up as the contestant chooses. (Ex: 2 minutes prep, 4 minutes speaking). No outside materials, notes, props or costumes shall be used during presentation. A student has the option of using up to one 3"x5" index card of notes created during the preparation period. Impromptu topics may include proverbs, words, events, quotations or famous people.

Time: No minimum time, but the contestant must cover the subject adequately, 6 min. max., 30 second grace period

| PLEASE CHECK ONE BOX IN EACH ROW | Excellent | Very Good | Good | Fair | Developing |
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| Clarity and unity of structure, cohesion of presentation | | | | | |
| Facial expression, gestures, movement | | | | | |
| Adequate coverage of subject, effective examples | | | | | |
| Eye contact, engagement of audience | | | | | |
| Poise, confidence | | | | | |

WRITE COMMENTS & SUGGESTIONS BELOW AND ON THE OTHER SIDE:

Please be sure to include BOTH praise and constructive suggestions.

Topic: _____

Speaker Code: _____

Round (circle): 1 2 3 semi final

Time Elapsed: _____

Time Violation? Yes

Rank (1 is best): _____

Speaker Points: (80-85 – Fair | 86-90 – Good | 91-95 – Excellent | 96-100 – Superior)

Points: _____

Judge School: _____

Judge Signature: _____

Judge Code: _____