

ORAL COMMUNICATION SCORING GUIDE

| | Content | Organization | Delivery |
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| 4 – GOOD!  | <input type="checkbox"/> Main idea is stated clearly <input type="checkbox"/> Support is well chosen <input type="checkbox"/> Language use is vivid and sophisticated | <input type="checkbox"/> Substantial preparation is evident <input type="checkbox"/> Topic is logically developed to suit purpose <input type="checkbox"/> Effective use of transitions | <input type="checkbox"/> Voice is used consciously and successfully to enhance the message <input type="checkbox"/> Audio/visuals are carefully chosen to enhance the presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Engages or entertains audience |
| 3 – A PASS  | <input type="checkbox"/> Main idea is stated <input type="checkbox"/> Support is adequate <input type="checkbox"/> Language is appropriate but not varied | <input type="checkbox"/> Some preparation is evident <input type="checkbox"/> Topic is clearly developed to suit purpose <input type="checkbox"/> Transitions are used but may not be obvious | <input type="checkbox"/> Voice is appropriate and correct but may not enhance the message <input type="checkbox"/> Audio/visuals are used with some effect to enhance the presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Maintains audience interest |
| 2 – ALMOST  | <input type="checkbox"/> Main idea is present but not clearly stated <input type="checkbox"/> Support is weak or illogical <input type="checkbox"/> Language is correct but not varied | <input type="checkbox"/> Little preparation is evident <input type="checkbox"/> Loose structure is present but difficult to follow <input type="checkbox"/> Transitions are not used appropriately | <input type="checkbox"/> In some places, voice problems interfere with message delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Audio/visuals are used ineffectively <input type="checkbox"/> Audience may struggle to understand or follow the presentation |
| 1 – NOT YET  | <input type="checkbox"/> Main idea is not stated <input type="checkbox"/> Support is under-developed or not evident <input type="checkbox"/> Incorrect word usage; little variety in word choice | <input type="checkbox"/> Preparation is not evident <input type="checkbox"/> May be repetitive or off topic <input type="checkbox"/> Transitions are not used | <input type="checkbox"/> Voice problems interfere with message delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Audio/visuals are not used <input type="checkbox"/> Audience is unable to understand or follow the presentation |
| 0 – NOT AT ALL  | <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation is too brief to evaluate or not attempted at all. | | |