

Kingswood-Oxford Speaking Tournament
Interpretive Reading

Speaker: _____ Evaluator: _____

Scoring Guidelines

<u>50-59</u>	<u>60-69</u>	<u>70-79</u>	<u>80-89</u>	<u>90-100</u>
Poor	Weak	Average	Very Good	Superb

1. QUALITY AND HELPFULNESS OF INTRODUCTION 10 _____
(“hook”/trailer, reference to author, background or nature of work, why chosen)

2. POLISH AND FAMILIARITY WITH WORK 20 _____
(smooth delivery, evidence of time spent in preparation)

3. UNDERSTANDING OF SELECTION 10 _____
(understanding of emotions of characters, meaning and pronunciation of words)

4. VOICE QUALITY 10 _____
(Does the voice fit the work? Is there varying pitch, modulation, range and control?)

5. DICTION 10 _____
(enunciation. Is the speaker losing ends of words or mumbling?)

6. QUALITY OF DELIVERY 20 _____
(whole effect category. Is the reading as a composite of the parts successful?)

7. APPEAL OF SELECTION 20 _____
(audience reaction. Does the audience like it? Does the selection fit the speaker?
Is there a connection between the speaker and the audience?)

Length of Speech: _____ *Total Points* _____
(Max = 100)

TAB ROOM USE ONLY:

Minus Time Penalty (if applicable) _____ Adjusted Score: _____

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After-Dinner Speaking

Speaker's Name: _____

Speaker's Code: _____

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CATEGORY

SCORE

Thoughtful, Logical Organization of Speech _____
(Max = 10)

Quality of Information _____
(Max = 30)

Quality of Entertainment (Appeal to Audience) _____
(Max = 30)

Delivery (eye contact, voice quality, self-assurance) _____
(Max = 30)

Length of Speech: _____

Total Points(Max = 100*) _____

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Kingswood-Oxford Speaking Tournament
Persuasive Speaking

Speaker's Name: _____

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Very Good

90-100
Superb

CATEGORY

SCORE

Identification of problem and effectiveness of solution..... _____
(Max = 30)

Knowledge of topic and use of evidence..... _____
(Max = 30)

Clarity of thought and structure of speech..... _____
(Max = 20)

Delivery and persuasiveness..... _____
(Max = 20)

Length of Speech _____

Total Points _____
(Max = 100)

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Impromptu Speaking

Speaker's Name: _____ Speaker's Code: _____

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CATEGORY **SCORE**

Contents of speech: development and use of topic..... _____
(Max = 30)

Structure of speech..... _____
(Max = 20)

Agility of thought _____
(Max = 20)

Delivery and impact of speech..... _____
(Max = 30)

Length of Speech _____ *Total Points* _____
(Max = 100)

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Ethical Dilemmas

Speaker's Name: _____

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CATEGORY

SCORE

Delineation of Problem (logic, clarity, sound analysis of conflict) _____
(Max = 20)

Persuasiveness (arguments for proposed solution are clear and compelling)..... _____
(Max = 20)

Organization (structure of speech) _____
(Max = 20)

Use of Language (apt use of ethical terms, vocabulary, sentence style) _____
(Max = 20)

Delivery (eye contact, voice quality, self-assurance)..... _____
(Max = 20)

Length of Speech _____

Total Points _____
(Max = 100)

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