

## Grading Sheet: Persuasive Speech

Speaker \_\_\_\_\_

**STRUCTURE/ORGANIZATION** \_\_\_\_\_/30

### *INTRODUCTION*

Solid attention-getter  
Properly established ethos  
Provided clear preview or thesis  
Preview main points

### *BODY*

Clear Background on the Problem  
Established the Need for Action  
Provided a Clear, Specific Solution  
Illustrated the Benefits of the Solution

### *CONCLUSION*

Reviewed major points  
Give a Clear, Specific Call to Audience Action  
Appropriate concluding impact

**CONTENT** \_\_\_\_\_/25

Followed assignment directions  
Used ample supporting evidence  
Clear, concise, inclusive language  
Effectively balanced facts with analysis  
Provided context for important information  
Clear distinctions/transitions between major points

**DELIVERY** \_\_\_\_\_/25

Appropriate volume  
Varied pitch & vocal inflection  
Consistent rate  
Adequate eye contact  
Purposeful gestures and movement  
Limited vocal fillers

**VISUAL AIDS** \_\_\_\_\_/20

Utilized a PowerPoint or Prezi  
Communicated ideas effectively  
Professionally constructed  
Visually reinforced/complemented the speech

**TIME** YES NO

15 second "grace" period over/under  
2 points off for each additional 15 seconds over/under

**Total:** \_\_\_\_\_/100