

## Introductory Speech Outline Critique Form

Outline Preparation – check if applicable. Some instructors may not require a full sentence outline for the introductory speech.

- ☒ Yes ☐ No 1. Is there a *General Purpose*?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 2. Is there a *Specific Purpose* Statement?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 3. Is the *Specific Purpose* Statement audience-focused and does it direct the topic of this speech?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 4. Is there a *Thesis Statement* and is it a single declarative statement that is the central idea of the speech?

### Introduction

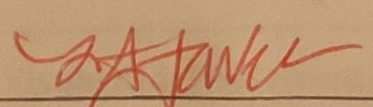
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 1. Are all the parts of the introduction labeled?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 2. Does the speech start with an *Open with Impact* statement that catches the audience's attention and draws them in to the topic?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 3. Is there a *Connect to the Audience* statement that motivates the audience to listen?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 4. Is there a statement that establishes credibility and is it labeled *Credibility Statement*?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 5. Is the thesis in the introduction the same statement written above?
- ☐ Yes ☐ No 6. Is there a *Preview Statement* that encompasses the main points of the speech?

### Body

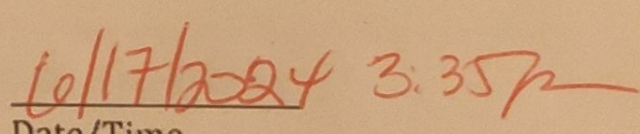
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 1. Is the outline written in standard outlining format?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 2. Are the main points written as complete sentences?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 3. Is each main point supported by 2-4 subpoints?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 4. Are there transitions linking the main points?

### Conclusion

- ☒ Yes ☐ No 1. Is there a transition from the body of the speech into the conclusion?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 2. Are all the parts of the conclusion labeled?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 3. Are the thesis and main points of the speech restated?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No 4. Does the speech have a close with impact statement and is it as strong as the *open with impact* statement?

  
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