10 Exceptional Presentation Principles for Every Speaker

- 1. Deliver your message with credibility and sincerity.
- 2. Speak in a way that is easy to understand.
- 3. Clearly explain the benefits of the presentation.
- 4. Adapt your own personal style to meet the needs of the audience.
- 5. Honor the time limits.
- 6. Know how to use technology skillfully.
- 7. Have a back-up plan in case things go wrong.
- 8. Prepare thoroughly (without memorizing everything).
- 9. Engage the audience and avoid lecturing them.
- 10. Move purposefully.

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