

Persuasive Speech Critique Form

Speaker: Anita Fox

Topic: adopting

Notes

M= Missing; I= Ineffective; S = Satisfactory; G= Good; E= Excellent

Competencies		M	I	S	G	E
1. Topic & Connection with Audience	Chooses and narrows a focus appropriate for audience, occasion, assignment			X		
2. Thesis/ Specific Purpose	Communicates PERSUASIVE thesis/specific purpose in a manner appropriate for the audience and occasion				X	
3a. Support	Provides adequate supporting material appropriate for topic and audience					X
	Provides current information from a variety of types of sources				X	
	Effectively cites number of sources (4 required)				X	
	C1. C2. C3. C4.					
3b. Presentation Aids	Designed effective PowerPoint to enhance (not repeat) speech. (blank slides; animation effects; image-based; 6x6 rule for text use)					X
	Used PowerPoint effectively throughout speech.				X	
4a. Introduction	Effective attention-getting strategy (Attention)					X
	Relates topic to audience (relevance)					X
	Relates topic to self (credibility)				X	
	Clear and overt preview (thesis) statement				X	
4b. Organization: Body	Uses organizational pattern appropriate for speech (Monroe's Motivated Sequence) Need: Satisfaction; Visualization				X	
	Uses effective arguments and emotional appeals; avoids fallacies			X		
	Uses effective transitions and signposts				XX	
4c. Conclusion	Effective conclusion & call to action (ACTION) Persuasive & memorable final statement					X
5. Language	Uses language appropriate to the audience, occasion & purpose. Minimizes filler words.				X	
	Uses persuasive language.					XX
6. Vocal Variety	Uses vocal variety in volume, rate, pitch & intensity to express enthusiasm/sincerity and to maintain audience interest.			X		
7. Vocal Accuracy	Uses pronunciation, grammar, & articulation appropriate to the designated audience.				X	
8. Physical Behaviors	Uses effective eye contact.				X	
	Uses appropriate facial expression					X
	Uses natural gesture, posture, movement				X	
	Uses notes appropriately				X	
	Dresses appropriately				X	

Time OVER 8 Min

Reviewer Federico Tafur

Must include 5 comments for full credit; note both strengths and areas of improvement

1. I found your topic and speech really helpful because for quite a while now I've been wanting to adopt a dog, the information was really beneficial, thank you!
2. I believe the attire worn could be better, it can help you increase your professionalism
3. I really liked your word choice, and the format of your speech, looked like if you were prepared and practiced beforehand
4. I think time should be taken into consideration, I believe you went a little over the time limit
5. Consider adding hand gestures and face expressions