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Oral Presentation Rubric

	4—Excellent	3—Good	2—Fair	1—Needs Improvement
Delivery	 Holds attention of entire audience with the use of direct eye contact, seldom looking at notes Speaks with fluctuation in volume and inflection to maintain audience interest and emphasize key points 	 Consistent use of direct eye contact with audience, but still returns to notes Speaks with satisfactory variation of volume and inflection 	 Displays minimal eye contact with audience, while reading mostly from the notes Speaks in uneven volume with little or no inflection 	 Holds no eye contact with audience, as entire report is read from notes Speaks in low volume and/or monotonous tone, which causes audience to disengage
Content/ Organization	 Demonstrates full knowledge by answering all class questions with explanations and elaboration Provides clear purpose and subject; pertinent examples, facts, and/or statistics; supports conclusions/ideas with evidence 	 Is at ease with expected answers to all questions, without elaboration Has somewhat clear purpose and subject; some examples, facts, and/or statistics that support the subject; includes some data or evidence that supports conclusions 	 Is uncomfortable with information and is able to answer only rudimentary questions Attempts to define purpose and subject; provides weak examples, facts, and/or statistics, which do not adequately support the subject; includes very thin data or evidence 	 Does not have grasp of information and cannot answer questions about subject Does not clearly define subject and purpose; provides weak or no support of subject; gives insufficient support for ideas or conclusions
Enthusiasm/ Audience Awareness	 Demonstrates strong enthusiasm about topic during entire presentation Significantly increases audience understanding and knowledge of topic; convinces an audience to recognize the validity and importance of the subject 	 Shows some enthusiastic feelings about topic Raises audience understanding and awareness of most points 	 Shows little or mixed feelings about the topic being presented Raises audience understanding and knowledge of some points 	 Fails to increase audience understanding of knowledge of topic Shows no interest in topic presented