



IMPROMPTU SPEAKING

Category: Speech

Type: Individual

Rating Sheet: <http://www.fbla-pbl.org/media/Impromptu-Speaking-FBLA-Rating-Sheet.pdf>

Overview

Business speech based on FBLA-PBL goals.

Procedure

Regional and State:

- Two (2) 4" x 6" note cards will be provided to each competitor and may be used during event preparation and performance. Information may be written on both sides of the note cards.
- The cards will be collected following the presentation.
- No other reference materials such as visual aids or electronic devices may be brought to or used during the event preparation or presentation.
- Topics may relate to one or more of the following: FBLA-PBL goals, activities, national programs; current events; and/or relevant business topics.

State (NEW)

- Preliminaries will be held on Friday; top ten (10) finalist, or an equal number from each group in the preliminary round, will advance to the Finals on Saturday.

Eligibility

- Each chapter may submit one entry. The first-and second-place regional winner will compete at the state level.
- Competitors must pay dues by March 1.

Presentation

Prep: 10 minutes

Performance: 4 minutes

Warning: 3 minutes

Penalty Over Time: 5 pts

A panel of judges will select the winners; all decisions are final. The number of awards presented will be determined by the judges. The maximum number of awards will be three (3) at the regional level and five (5) at the state level.