

DEMONSTRATION SPEECH

Name: _____

Date: _____

Objective: To demonstrate the step-by-step process of how something is done through the use of an extemporaneous outline and visual aids.

Directions: You are going to prepare a **5-7 minute speech** demonstrating a topic of your choice. When writing your speech and preparing your materials, include and remember the following:

- **SHOW** the audience how it is done
- Make sure to provide a purpose, thesis, forecast, and outline
 - **Purpose:** Why are you demonstrating this topic?
 - **Thesis:** Explain your point of view on the topic.
 - **Forecast:** A statement that predicts the major points in your speech.
 - **Outline:** (Extemporaneous format) What are your key words and phrases?
- The body of your speech should have important supportive materials.
 - Description, explanation, definition, illustration, and visual aids
- Make sure details are in order, step-by-step
- Gather materials needed and inform audience of their purpose
- Maintain good eye contact, gestures, vocal variety, and time management

Evaluation (10pts each):

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| 1. Eye contact | 6. Energy/Enthusiasm |
| 2. Movement/Physical Gestures | 7. Focus/Concentration |
| 3. Vocal variety (emphasis, pitch, diction, etc.) | 8. Organization (Intro, body/detailed steps, conclusion) |
| 4. Projection | 9. Visual Aids/Materials |
| 5. Fluent Delivery (No long pauses) | 10. Time 5-7 minutes |

Following the outline, or extemporaneous, format will better help you organize your steps.

Outline:

- I. Introduction
 - A. Introduce/Describe your topic (Purpose)
 - B. Thesis/forecast statement
- II. Body
 - A. Step #1
 - Purpose
 - Explanation/Visual
 - B. Step #2
 - Purpose
 - Explanation/Visual
 - C. Step #3
 - Purpose
 - Explanation/Visual
- III. Conclusion
 - A. Review steps (Refer back to the Intro/body)
 - B. Concluding sentence

Speech is worth 100 points and is **DUE**_____.

Demonstration Speech topics:

- Tie a tie
- Create a Halloween mask
- Play piano
- Organize a surprise party
- Print a digital photo
- Register for voting
- Read music notes
- Learn playing guitar
- Plant a flower or vegetable
- Build a good web site
- Make salad or other type of non-bake food/dessert
- Make a new candle of old ones
- First Aid Procedures
- Prevent injury
- Develop the best serve in a tennis game
- A sport technique (ex. Basketball passes)
- Write a business-like letter or resume
- Dance in a particular style

Demonstration Speech Sample

I. Introduction

A. Today I am going to walk through with you the steps on how to create a sock bun. This new up-do style was made popular in the Hollywood scene and although we are not celebrities, ladies, you too can create this style in a few simple steps.

B. Sometimes a regular bun can become messy, especially if you've been outside all day and the wind is blowing; however, with a sock bun, it will be secure all day and you won't have to worry about it. Throughout my presentation, I will walk you through the steps on how to tease, roll, and pin in your sock bun using the "donut," a few pins, and some hairspray.

II. Body

A. Gather all materials

1. Hair tie and "Donut"
2. Hairspray and bobby pins
3. Comb and mirror

B. Hair in a ponytail

1. Security and high or low
2. Create pony tail with hairspray and comb

C. Apply "donut" to ponytail

1. Helps create bun look
2. Place "donut" on top of ponytail

D. Teasing hair

1. Full coverage of "donut"
2. Hold straight and tease downward

E. Rolling hair with "donut"

1. Pull "donut" to end of ponytail
2. Fold hair over and roll down

F. Style and pin

1. Use mirrors and apply hairspray
2. Add bobby pins and go

III. Conclusion

A. Now you have created a "Hollywood style" sock bun using the simple steps in styling a ponytail, rolling the "donut" through your hair, and pinning and spraying for security.

B. This is a hair style that you can dress up or down, which I really like. So by following these easy steps, you can create a sock bun that best fits your personal style and preference. Thank you.