



### **OFFICIAL TIMER'S INFORMATION AND WORKSHEET**

A person at each competition will be designated TIMEKEEPER. The Timekeeper can be a Lion, Lioness or Leo. The responsibilities of the Timekeeper are:

- To record the length of time it takes each speaker to complete their speech.
- To warn each speaker when they reach the nine (9) minute mark.

Each speech should last no less than five (5) minutes and no longer than ten (10) minutes. A penalty of two (2) points will be deducted from each Judge's score for each full minute for not complying with the time limitations. The Tellers will impose this penalty.

The Timekeeper will record the length of time each contestant speaks using the Timekeeper's worksheet supplied by the person in charge.

The Timekeeper will sit in the audience in full view of the speakers. The person in charge will introduce the Timekeeper to all the speakers prior to the start of the competition.

The Timekeeper will give a warning to each speaker at the nine (9) minute mark by raising an arm. The speakers will be made aware of this gesture prior to the start of the competition.

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### **OFFICIAL SCRIPT READER'S INFORMATION AND WORKSHEET**

One person at each competition above the club or school level will be designated SCRIPT READER. The Script Reader may be a Lion, Lioness or Leo. The responsibilities of the Script Reader are:

- To determine how closely each speaker follows their manuscript by recording the number of missed sentences.
- To impose penalties for missed sentences.

The Script Reader will record the number of missed sentences of each speaker using a Script Reader's worksheet that will be supplied by the person in charge.

The Tellers will deduct the penalties from the Judges' scores.



OFFICIAL YOUTH SPEECH COMPETITION TIMER'S WORKSHEET

SPEAKER

<b>CRITERIA: RECORD MINUTES AND SECONDS</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>START TIME</b>								
<b>END TIME</b>								
<b>ELAPSED TIME</b>								

If a stop watch is used, record the elapsed time. If a regular watch is used, record the start and end times, then calculate the elapsed time. The Tellers will calculate and assess penalties.

TIMER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIMER'S CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_



OFFICIAL YOUTH SPEECH COMPETITION SCRIPT READER'S WORKSHEET

SPEAKER

<b>CRITERIA</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>MISSED SENTENCES</b>								
<b>PENALTY POINT DEDUCTIONS</b>								

<b>MISSED SENTENCES</b>	<b>POINT(s) DEDUCTED</b>
<b>1 THRU 2</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>3 THRU 5</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>6 THRU 7</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>8 OR MORE</b>	<b>5</b>

SCRIPT READER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

SCRIPT READER'S CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_