

Storytelling Comment Sheet



Contestant Name _____ Code _____

Round _____ Section _____ Speaker Time _____

Selection Title _____

Judge Name _____ Judge Affiliation _____

Directions: Using the prompts below, please provide constructive feedback to the competitor. Your comments should highlight areas of strength as well as provide areas for growth. Be as specific as possible in your feedback. Use the space to expand your thoughts on any of these areas or to comment on specific moments or lines that stood out to you. Please do not comment on participants' attire or appearance; this should not play a role in your decision.

Tone

Does the performer's voice align with the type of story they've chosen to tell? Is it clear this story would be suitable for children to hear?

Expressiveness

Does the presenter bring the words to life using effective techniques to convey appropriate emotion? Do the presenter's facial expressions aid the overall delivery of the presentation? Does the presenter seem engaged in the literature?

Relatability

Is the presenter delivering the story in a manner that would engage young children? Does the presenter effectively establish a connection to the audience? Is eye contact used to engage the audience?

Reason for Decision: *(Why did this performance earn the rank that you assigned?)*

Contestant Rank _____ / _____

Speaker Points _____ (out of 100)

Judge Signature _____