### Florida 4-H Score Sheet
#### Public Speaking

**Name:** ____________________________  **Age Division:**  JR _____ INT _____ SR _____

**County:** ____________________________  **Category:** ____________________________

**Title:** ____________________________

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**Time Limits** – (General) Juniors & Intermediates 3-7 minutes | Seniors 5-7 minutes  
(Horse) Juniors & Intermediates 3-7 minutes | Seniors 8-10 minutes  
*Deduct 5 points if speech does not fall into allotted time*

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<td>Choice of Material: Topic appropriate for age/skill of youth.</td>
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<td>Related to 4-H: Entire speech does not need to feature 4-H, but each contestant must, at some point, mention 4-H &amp; its relationship to the material being presented.</td>
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<td>Comprehension &amp; Accuracy: Knowledge &amp; understanding of topic; reliable sources cited.</td>
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<td>Organization of Material: Introduction gets attention; main points organized; transitions used correctly; main points restated in conclusion.</td>
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<td>Use of Language: Good grammar; Topic understandable as described.</td>
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**Section II. PRESENTATION (45 points)**

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<td>20</td>
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<td>Projection to Audience &amp; Voice Control: Delivery relaxed, smooth &amp; flowing; spoke clearly. Effective regulation of volume &amp; rate of words.</td>
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<td>Eye Contact &amp; Poise: Eye contact with their audience. Effective use of notes, if used; displays confidence &amp; composure.</td>
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<td>Appearance: Neat, well groomed, good posture, nice blouse/skirt or slacks for girls; collared shirt/slacks for boys. Tie and/or 4-H clover optional.</td>
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**NOTE:** No questions are permitted by judges or the audience at the conclusion of speeches**

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Judge Initials: __________