

Video Critique Evaluation Form

Be sure to answer the questions completely and thoroughly. Your critique should be written in paragraph format. In other words, **DO NOT NUMBER YOUR QUESTIONS, THEN ANSWER THEM ACCORDINGLY.** Instead, respond in complete sentences. **Your critique should NOT exceed ½ typed page.**

Your Name: _____ Perry Wilder _____

Observational Video Chapter Number: _____ 2 _____

Name of the Video Presenter (if given): _____ Ziol _____

Title of the Speech: _____

Type of Speech: _____ Persuasive _____

Discussion items to include in your critique:

1. How effective was the speaker's introduction? (at least 2 sentences) The introduction was good he got the audiences attention right away. One of the audience members wanted to talk after class about his resources
2. Did the speaker provide a clear thesis? No he it wasn't he was unclear.
3. What was the speaker's thesis? First he argued against valid reasons then he gave reasons why they are good
4. Did the speaker appear confident? Why or why not? Not at all he is thinking about the audience to much
5. Did the speaker provide a thorough support of the topic? Explain Yes but he kept changing his mind
6. Did the speaker appear to be credible? Why? In what way? No he is going back and forth between thoughts
7. Did the speaker maintain good eye contact? Yes in the beginning but near the end he became unconfident
8. Did the speaker use appropriate language and diction? Explain No at the end he started to say "um"
9. Did the speaker appear confident? No
10. Did the speaker seem knowledgeable of the topic? No he was stumbling back and forth
11. Did the speaker have an effective conclusion? No he just gave up
12. What could the speaker have done to be better? Not let the audience faces get in his head

Observational Video Chapter Number: _____ 5 _____

Name of the Video Presenter (if given): _____

Title of the Speech: _____

Type of Speech: _____ Informative _____

Discussion items to include in your critique:

1. How effective was the speaker's introduction? (at least 2 sentences) She started off with a statistic. She gave information on her topic
2. Did the speaker provide a clear thesis? Yes
3. What was the speaker's thesis? Suicide in teens and probability of people planning Summerville
4. Did the speaker appear confident? Why or why not? Yes
5. Did the speaker provide a thorough support of the topic? Explain Yes she backed up with information regarding her topic
6. Did the speaker appear to be credible? Why? In what way? Yes she gave credible statistics and information from knowledgeable resources
7. Did the speaker maintain good eye contact? Yes she did
8. Did the speaker use appropriate language and diction? Explain Yes she used words that pertained to her topic
9. Did the speaker appear confident? Yes she confident with her topic
10. Did the speaker seem knowledgeable of the topic? Yes she used statistics regarding the topic
11. Did the speaker have an effective conclusion? Yes she did
12. What could the speaker have done to be better? She was looking down a little too much

Observational Video Chapter Number: _____ 9 _____

Name of the Video Presenter (if given): _____ Sierra _____

Title of the Speech: The Role of Sports in Society _____

Type of Speech: _____ Informative _____

Discussion items to include in your critique:

1. How effective was the speaker's introduction? (at least 2 sentences) She used personal feeling that people get watching sports.
2. Did the speaker provide a clear thesis? Yes
3. What was the speaker's thesis? She stayed on topic by saying how sports affect peoples lives
4. Did the speaker appear confident? Why or why not? Yes she seem comfortable with the topic
5. Did the speaker provide a thorough support of the topic? Explain Yes she gave many examples on the topic
6. Did the speaker appear to be credible? Why? In what way? She didn't use many resources
7. Did the speaker maintain good eye contact? Yes
8. Did the speaker use appropriate language and diction? Explain Yes, she used correct words to describe sports
9. Did the speaker appear confident? Yes
10. Did the speaker seem knowledgeable of the topic? Yes, she gave many different types of sports to backup her topic
11. Did the speaker have an effective conclusion? Yes
12. What could the speaker have done to be better? Looked down a little bit

Observational Video Chapter Number: _____ 3 _____

Name of the Video Presenter (if given): _____ Chris _____

Title of the Speech: _____ Impressionistic Painting

Type of Speech: _____ Informative

Discussion items to include in your critique:

1. How effective was the speaker's introduction? (at least 2 sentences) He grabs the attention by stating a quote from a painter
2. Did the speaker provide a clear thesis? Yes he stays on topic
3. What was the speaker's thesis? Impressionistic painting and how it been looked at throughout the years
4. Did the speaker appear confident? Why or why not? Not really

5. Did the speaker provide a thorough support of the topic? Explain Yes gives different aspects of the topic
6. Did the speaker appear to be credible? Why? In what way? Yes he gives different aspects on the topic
7. Did the speaker maintain good eye contact? No
8. Did the speaker use appropriate language and diction? Explain Yes he used words that pertained to the topic
9. Did the speaker appear confident? Not
10. Did the speaker seem knowledgeable of the topic? Yes he knows what the topic is about and gives details on the topic
11. Did the speaker have an effective conclusion? Yes he ended with reinforcing the topic
12. What could the speaker have done to be better? More clear

Observational Video Chapter Number: _____ 6 _____

Name of the Video Presenter (if given): _____

Title of the Speech: _____ ALS _____

Type of Speech: _____ Informative _____

Discussion items to include in your critique:

1. How effective was the speaker's introduction? (at least 2 sentences) Brings attention on the topic and how her mother died from it
2. Did the speaker provide a clear thesis? Yes
3. What was the speaker's thesis? How the disease effects the body
4. Did the speaker appear confident? Why or why not? Yes she knows what she is talking about
5. Did the speaker provide a thorough support of the topic? Explain Yes she gave information and statistics
6. Did the speaker appear to be credible? Why? In what way? Yes she gave credible resources on the topic
7. Did the speaker maintain good eye contact? Yes she did
8. Did the speaker use appropriate language and diction? Explain Yes she talked about the symptoms and medications
9. Did the speaker appear confident? Yes she feels comfortable
10. Did the speaker seem knowledgeable of the topic? Yes
11. Did the speaker have an effective conclusion? Yes she restates her topic and reinforces the information

12. What could the speaker have done to be better? More tone