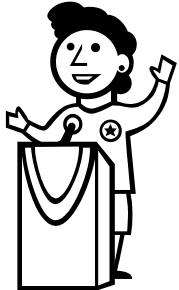




Speak-Up Alabama

Informative Public Speaking
& Persuasive Public Speaking



Tuesday, March 20
6:00 p.m.

Four Age Divisions

Juniors (9 -11) Intermediate (12-13)
Senior I (14-15) Senior II (16-19)

Speak-Up Alabama lets you:

- Be a better speaker.
- Express yourself.
- Be aware of good and bad things going on in the world.

Persuasive Public Speaking means trying to change people's minds. Your speech should inspire and motivate your audience. It is an emotional appeal based on feelings, not facts.

Informative Public Speaking is about the facts, not emotions or opinions. This speech is used to educate your audience. Your speech should teach them something you know a lot about.

What You Will Learn:

- How to choose a subject.
- How to learn about your subject.
- How to write a speech.
- How to give a speech.



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The Rules

- Your speech must be new. Don't copy it from anything that someone else has written. Don't use a speech you already gave.
- No props or costumes.
- Junior/Intermediate speeches must be between 3 and 5 minutes. Senior speeches must be between 4 and 6 minutes.
- You may use notes, but do not read your speech.
- Your speech must be about what is going on with American youth, families, and society.
- Bring a written copy of your speech.

Judging Criteria

- Is the topic interesting to today's youth?
- How the information presented in the speech relates to your topic
- The organization of the speech, which should include an introduction, body, and conclusion.
- The correct use of grammar and the level of vocabulary that is used in your speech.
- Your preparation, confidence and speech delivery.

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