

## Defining the Criteria for Your Impromptu, Speech, Interview Question, Quote and Your Chapter Presentation

<b>Introduction (hook)</b>	Is it interesting/creative? Do not use questions!
<b>Content</b>	Does it include 2 or 3 major or key points?
<b>Conclusion</b>	Is it strong and does it summarize your points?
<b>Projection</b>	Is your voice loud and does it fill the room?
<b>Energy (passion)</b>	Energy comes from voice projection. You need to speak with excitement and enthusiasm.
<b>Word/phrase/emphasis (wpe)</b>	Are you applying your voice/energy to emphasize key words or phrases? In other words to highlight, to play up, to stress or to accentuate key words.
<b>Pace</b>	Are you speaking too quickly without pauses?
<b>Pronunciation</b>	Are you pronouncing each word clearly?
<b>Flow of text</b>	Is the delivery of your text even or is it choppy?
<b>Eye contact</b>	Are you scanning the audience and making eye contact with the entire audience?
<b>Body Language</b>	Are you holding your position while avoiding constant movement or weaving? Are you using your hands and body effectively?
<b>Fillers (news)</b>	Are you avoiding <b>ALL</b> fillers?

*Thinking about the above criteria will not lead to success. You need to practice and practice some more to incorporate the above into your vocabulary and assignments.*