



# Demonstration Speech

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## 1. Purpose -

- The speech will be a demonstration, showing how to do something

## 2. Standards -

- Speaking and Listening
- Peer Evaluations, Your Speech, Visuals
- Writing
- Outline

## 3. Length -

- Your speech should be between 7 to 15 minutes long.
- You must meet this length; you will not have a chance to go again. This does not assure if you go over 7 minutes, that you will do better than a D. You must practice, practice, practice!

## 4. Preparation -

- Computer lab research will be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Classroom work time will be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Speeches will begin on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Outline
- Visual—PowerPoint, Prezi, or Poster

## 5. Speech -

- You will use an outline for this speech.
- You must use the proper outline formatting and levels
- Use a creative attention getter
- Consistently use eye contact with the audience.
- You must have a visual for this speech
- The visual must take the audience through your process.
- Big, easy-to-read words and pictures make it appealing; however, the audience needs to be able to easily read those items.
- Make sure you tell stories and do not let awkward pauses/silences dominate your speech.

## 6. Hints -

- Add details to the facts you share and use descriptive words
- 100% eye contact in intro and conclusion
- Glance at the outline during the body (key words should trigger your thoughts)
- Smile, show enthusiasm
- Be positive
- Remember you are the expert on this topic, show us why
- Project your voice and use diction
- Practice! (It will make you sound more confident as well as less nervous)
- Not all items on the sample outline need to be used



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Your Name  
Demonstration Speech

## I. Introduction

- A. Attention Getter
- B. Transition/thesis—this is where you introduce your demonstration

## II. Body

- A. Ingredients/Supplies necessary
  - 1. Mention everything needed
- B. Precautions/Safety
- C. Steps to accomplish your demonstration
  - 1. List each step and supplies needed
    - i. This is a great time to give tips/tricks about your demo topic
  - 2. Once you have made it through your steps, show off your final product
    - i. Your final product can serve as a transition into your conclusion

## III. Conclusion

- A. Transition
- B. Tie back to attention getter/intro

Remember to have a visual of each step

This is especially important if you are baking.

You need to be able to show the final product

You should be actually participating in the activity/doing the demonstration while you are talking. We do not need you to just tell us about it. You need to show it.