

NDHSAA STORYTELLING BALLOT

Name		School Code	
Name & Author of Story		Genre	

Judge's Signature		RM		RD		RANK	
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CRITERION: List a “+” for strong and “-“ for weak in the appropriate column. Please write a complete critique, especially detailing the weaknesses and ways to improve, but at the same time keeping the ballot as positive as possible. RANK THE BEST SPEAKER AS 1ST, SECOND BEST AS 2ND, ETC. THROUGH 4TH, THEN RANK ALL OTHERS AS 5’S.

OVERTIME: The maximum speaking time is 7 minutes, but when the STOP card comes up a contestant is allowed to finish a **SHORT** sentence without being docked for OVERTIME. The penalty for OVERTIME is dropping the speaker 1 rank.

CRITERIA	+ / -	COMMENTS
Clarity and Effectiveness of Organization		
Appropriateness of Vocal Responsiveness		
Characterization		
Appropriateness of Facial Gestures and Body Movement		
Communication of Mood, Emotion, Thought		
General Effect/Areas to be Improved		

General Comments: