

		Proficient 9 – 7 points	Developing 6 – 4 points	Needs Attention 3 – 0 points
		Delivery	Engagement	<p>Speaker displays:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • strong, competent, relaxed presence in front of an audience • a clearly well-rehearsed talk • consistent eye contact • infectious interest/enthusiasm in the subject • attention focused on the audience, not the slides • Appropriate amount of body language and gestures • Movement is used to help illustrate important concepts
Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language is appropriate for the audience • Scientific terms and acronyms are explained • Unnecessary jargon is avoided • Delivery is smooth • Pacing is appropriate • Pitch and volume are appropriate 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language is mostly tailored to the audience • Some technical language or acronyms are not fully explained • Pacing is occasionally too slow or fast • Delivery is mostly smooth, with some stuttering, disfluencies, or difficult-to-hear language 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language is occasionally beyond the reach of the audience • Technical language or acronyms are not fully explained • Jargon is used on occasion • Pacing is choppy with occasional awkward pauses