The American Legion Department of Washington

2012 Criteria for Certification

Legion Post_____ or District _____ Date _____
Student _____School _____

Instructions: Please rate 1-5. 5=best and 1= areas needing the most improvement.
1) Student can complete required speeches without notes, podium, or sound amplification.

1 2 3 4 5 Comment:

2) Student completed speech within the required time limit.

5 = YES
4 = NO: is within 30 seconds
3= NO: is within one minute
2 = NO: is within one minute & 30 seconds
1 = NO: Comment:

3) Student displays knowledge of the United States Constitution.

1 2 3 4 5 Comment:

4) Student is able to support knowledge with references, quotes, facts, and logical inferences.

1 2 3 4 5 Comment:

5) Student displayed good speaking skills.
Voice and diction:

1 2 3 4 5 Comment:

6) Eye contact and poise:

1 2 3 4 5 Comment:

Overall Performance:
Add scores in each section to tally Total Score _____

20 - 30 recommend for certification 1-19 recommend trying again for certification Please review scores with student and provide feedback to improve performance.

The Certification Criteria Score Sheet and Certification Form **MUST** be forwarded to:
Certification Officer: Carol Reed; 13017 SE 171st PL; Renton, WA 98058