

# Speech Evaluation: Vocal Variety



## Evaluation Details

Evaluation For: \_\_\_\_\_ Evaluation By: \_\_\_\_\_

Speech Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Speaker's Objectives:

- Select words that effectively communicate their message.
- Try several vocal styles and vary volume, rate, pitch, and tone for a pleasant and friendly effect.

The words should be clear, vivid, and appropriate, avoiding misleading or confusing constructions. Suggest a few basic ways to improve, but include lots of encouraging remarks. Use this form to prepare for your verbal evaluation.

## Evaluation Notes

Did the speaker use vocal variety to enhance their speech? Was their voice clear, pleasant, and friendly?

Were their word choices appropriate for the audience? Did they avoid words that could easily be misunderstood?

Did they choose words that were simple, concrete, and specific?

Were their sentences short, simple, and understandable?

Were they too fast or slow, or monotone? Were some words unclear? Provide suggestions for improvement.

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

Provide examples of words the speaker used that created mental images.

What strong points does the speaker have already? Provide two or three strengths if possible.

To end your evaluation, say: **Thank you for your speech, I look forward to hearing you speak again.**