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TED Talk

Grade _____

Content - 35%

- Thoroughly developed
- Flows sensibly and uses transitions artfully
- Soundly reasoned
- Credible claims with clear evidence
- Inventive, engaging logos
- Enlightening, new information and/or perspective
- Relevant to audience

Very Good	Good	Average	Poor	Unsatisfactory
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Style – 20%

- Precise, clear, purposeful, carefully considered language
- Mature tone; expresses investment in topic
- Appropriate approach to content
- Appropriate appearance

Very Good	Good	Average	Poor	Unsatisfactory
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Delivery – 30%

- Natural, comfortable use of space and body
- Confidence; clear sense of ownership of information
- Eye contact
- Well-prepared; few fillers, strong sense of knowing topic
- Engage with audience – gesticulation, tone, questions

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Visual Aids – 15%

- Doesn't over-rely on visuals; light use of text
- Illustrative, enlightening, supportive
- Not redundant or unnecessary
- Smoothly integrated into presentation

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Time (minutes)	4:00	4:01-5:00	5:01 – 5:30
Grade penalty	Requirement	Grace period	- 5 points