

**Staple**

**Video Self-Critique**

**Points:** 15

**Length:** Persuasive Essay, 1-2 pages

**3 line heading, single spaced**

**1 inch margins all around**

**Purpose:** to analyze the organization, content and delivery of the Speech of Personal Success by indicating strengths, weaknesses, and intended means of improvement

**Instructions:** After viewing your tape several times answer the following questions in essay format. This means you will have a distinct introduction, body, and conclusion for your paper. Be sure to provide evidence to support the claims you make about your speech. For example, if you state that your transition sentences were strong, then provide specifics such as, “‘My second point is about the steps I took that led me to my goal.’ This was effective because it overtly let the audience know I was moving into another point.”

1. Discuss the strengths of your presentation in the areas of organization, content, and delivery.
2. Discuss the weaknesses of your presentation in the areas of organization, content, and delivery.
3. How might you solve for these weaknesses in your next speech? Be specific. For example, if you saw your speech was hard to follow, then indicate you will be sure and include all the transition sentences needed in your next speech. Or, if your transition sentences were too wordy, indicate what you could say that would be more concise and overt.
4. What specific goals do you have for this term? Please do not write that you want to learn to be persuasive or how to speak in public (which are rather general and complex goals); rather, refer to specific behaviors you want to implement or knowledge you want to acquire.

**Body: 10 pt. font, double spaced**

**Be sure to follow the guidelines for written work in the syllabus. Failure to do so will result in loss of significant points. This assignment sheet follows the required format if you need an example.**