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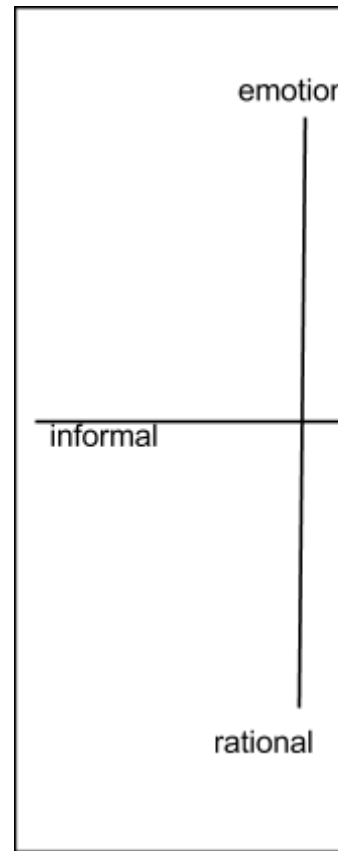
1= weak 2= developing 3= adequate 4= above average 5=strong

QUALITY

- Arguments clearly **support the position** in the debate _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Arguments appear to be **well thought** and **backed up** by facts _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speaker presents himself as **credible** _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speaker connects **emotionally** with the audience _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Points presented with **clarity** and **appropriate elaboration** _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speech has **pleasant flow** with **minimal reliance** on notes _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Points are specific to opposing arguments and expressed with **clarity** _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Points show good **listening skills** _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Points **make sense** and are **logical** (is this not too similar to point 2?) _____ 1 2 3 4 5

STANDARDS

- Speaker **addresses** the opposing team and makes appropriate **eye contact** _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speaker's **tone** is **in sync** with the speech _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speaker's **effective** **implementation & build of emotions** in the argument _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speaker **effectively** summarizes salient points _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Speaker **follows the rules** of debate, maintained professional conduct _____ 1 2 3 4 5
- Team **work** and **collective effort** was effective _____ 1 2 3 4 5



Total: _____

Argument in the

elements: