

Bible Preaching

(Circle one of the three categories)

School # _____

Category 1. Expository

Category 2. Evangelistic

Category 3. Topical

Name _____ School _____

Subject of Lesson _____ Title _____

FACTORS EVALUATED	SCORE	COMMENTS
CONTENT AND ORGANIZATION		
– introduction (leads appropriately into theme, gains attention from audience)	(10)	
– theme (clear Scriptural theme established, sermon properly narrowed down)	(10)	
– explanation/interpretation (appropriate, accurate explanation of Scripture and principles presented)	(10)	
– application/illustration (forceful exhortation, application, and illustration of Scriptural truth presented)	(10)	
– Development (supporting points clearly and logically develop theme, conclusion consistent with theme and development, written outline in proper format)	(10)	
PRESENTATION		
– vitality (“life” in face, body, and voice)	(10)	
– eye contact, empathy, naturalness (direct visual and mental contact with audience; natural speech, without affectation or artificial mannerisms)	(10)	
– poise/authority (sense of composure, assurance, and authority)	(10)	
– voice/diction/grammar (clearly audible, words understandable, acceptable grammar)	(10)	
– emphasis/variety (stress on key ideas through appropriate use of volume, pitch, rate, and climax)	(10)	

Total:

Time _____ : _____

Judge’s Signature

POINT SCALE

POINT TOTALS

SUPERIOR	ABOVE AVERAGE	AVERAGE	POOR	1 RATING	2 RATING	3 RATING	4 RATING
20-19/10-9	18-16/8-7	15-12/6-5	11-0/4-0	100 - 86	85 - 71	70 - 56	55 - 0