

NEW JERSEY FORENSIC LEAGUE

PROSE READING



Code: _____ Name: _____

Title: _____

Round Number: _____ (1,2,3,SF,F) Room Number: _____

Judge Name: _____ Affiliation: _____

Please **Print** Name and Affiliation

Definition & General Rules: The contestant shall take not less than 5 nor more than 10 minutes, to read from a manuscript a prose selection from a published source. The selection may be dramatic or humorous. The contestant should attempt to create the mood and intention of the author.

**Judging Considerations
Content:**

1. Suitability of the selection for the speaker.
2. Correct interpretation and effective communication of the speaker's mood and meaning.

Delivery:

1. Effective use of vocal qualities such as force, rate, enunciation, and pronunciation.
2. Effective use of gesture and facial expression
3. General poise
4. Actual reference to text.

Time Limits:

5 to 10 minutes (with a 30 second grace period).

Please record time here:

Comments: Please make comments constructive (including areas of praise and areas needing improvement). Please justify rank accordingly.

Student Code: _____

Judge Signature: _____

Rank (1-8): _____
No ties allowed in rank.

Rating: _____ (A+, A, A-, B+, B, B-)
Ties are permitted in ratings.