WATER & SEWERAGE CORPORATION Water For Nature: Is Nature The Answer To World's Water Challenges? 2018 National Water Month Video Competition Scoring Guide

Candidate Number: _____

Criteria	5-6 Points	3-4 Points	1-2 Points	0 Points	Score
	(Excellent)	(Good)	(Fair)	(Poor)	
Clarity of	The theme is clearly	The theme is fairly	The theme is	There is no mention	
	promoted	well promoted	mentioned in the	of the theme in the	
Message	throughout the	throughout the	video.	video.	
	video in a	video.			
	compelling manner.				
Accuracy	Contains correct	Contains no more	Has some factual	Contains numerous	
	facts that are	than 1-2 factual	errors and only a	factual errors.	
	supported visually.	errors that are	small amount of		
		supported visually.	accurate factual		
			visuals.	-	
Interest Level	Grabs and	Contains some	The basic	The video is dull,	
	maintains the	interesting features that maintain the	information is	boring or unclear.	
	attention of the		presented in a matter of fact	Viewers may not remember the	
	viewer and leaves	interest of the viewer.	matter of fact manner. The viewer		
	them wanting to learn more. The	viewer.	understands the	message.	
	content is		message. There		
	memorable.		may also be some		
	memorable.		other elements that		
			divert attention		
			from it.		
Creativity/	Has a wow factor.	Moderately	Has little evidence	Has no evidence of	
• •	Extremely creative!	creative	of creativity or	creativity or original	
Originality			original ideas	ideas.	
Production	Audio and visual	Audio and visual	Audio and visual	The message is lost	
	quality are very	quality are	quality interrupt	due to poor audio	
Quality	clear. Video	moderately clear.	the message a bit.	and visual quality.	
	contains smooth	Transitions are	Transitions are	Transitions are	

	transitions	relatively smooth.	acceptable.	poor.	
Criteria	5-6 Points	3-4 Points	1-2 Points	0 Points	Score
	(Excellent)	(Good)	(Fair)	(Poor)	
Language Skills	Speech is clear and free of grammatical errors. Appropriate gestures and facial expressions are used.	Speech is relatively clear with minimal errors in grammar and usage. Appropriate gestures and facial expressions are used.	There are some errors in grammar and usage. Very little supporting gestures and facial expressions are used.	There are serious errors in grammar and usage. Presentation was void of appropriate gestures and facial expressions.	
Multimedia	Excellent use of light, music, images and sound effects to augment presentation.	Good use of light, music, images and sound effects to augment presentation.	There was minimal use of light, images and sound effects to enhance the presentation	There was no use of light, music, images and sound effects to enhance the presentation. Total	

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Criteria	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point	Score
Ideas	Ideas are fresh and original, insightful, logical, well developed, elaborated and supported with relevant details.	Ideas are clear and mainly supported with specific and varied details. Ideas are easy to follow.	Ideas are adequate, fairly well sequenced with few irrelevant details. Some support of ideas is provided.	Some ideas are expressed but are vague. Writing contains irrelevant details.	Ideas appear random and not carefully thought out. There is irrelevant information with little or no elaboration.	
Organization	There is an engaging introduction that draws the reader into the piece and a satisfying conclusion. Reasons are linked and uniformly developed in each paragraph. Excellent use of transitions.	Good introductory paragraph that states a position or provides an overview of the piece. Conclusion is evident. Structure of the piece is evident. There are good transitions to link ideas.	The piece contains a recognizable introduction and conclusion along with additional organizational structure that sometimes supports the main points.	There is a lack of structure. The introduction and conclusion are not clearly identifiable. The details are somewhat organized but there is insufficient elaboration.	There is no recognizable introduction or conclusion. The piece is difficult to follow. There is very little elaboration on the main points.	
Word Choice	Careful, precise, advanced vocabulary that enhances or	Vocabulary is generally accurate and appropriate. Word choice	Vocabulary is acceptable . There is minimal attempt at using colourful	The vocabulary is mainly appropriate but limited and simplistic in nature.	Vocabulary is incorrect and unsuitable. Words are distracting and	

	clarifies meaning. There are striking words or phrases that paint vivid images.	effectively conveys good mental imagery.	language.		non-specific.	
Criteria	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point	Score
Voice	There is a strong sense of the writer in the piece as ideas are connected to personal and everyday experiences. A strong connection is established between the writer and the reader.	There is a sense of the writer in the piece as ideas are connected to personal and everyday experiences. There is some level of engagement throughout.	Although there is some attempt to connect with the audience, consistent engagement of the writer with the topic is lacking.	There is little or no sense of the writer. Ideas are presented in a mechanical way.	The writer does not connect with the audience. There is no sense of the writer in the piece.	
Sentence Fluency	Well constructed and varied sentences that flow seamlessly into each other with their own natural rhythm.	Well written sentences with variation in the beginning of some of the sentences. Some of the sentences connect with each other.	Sentences are understood. They are about the same length. There is little variation in the beginnings of sentences. There is some difficulty with connecting sentences.	Sentences are of uniformed length with some awkwardness in construction that interrupts the flow and the message.	Sentences are choppy with no sense of flow. The lack of coordination interrupts the message of the piece.	
Mechanics & Grammar	Demonstrates control and an excellent grasp of the English Language with little or no errors in spelling and usage. Uses advanced techniques in punctuation.	Mainly has good control of the English Language. There are few errors in spelling, punctuation, capitalization, subject and verb agreement and tense shifts. Takes	There are some errors with regard to spelling, punctuation, capitalization, subject and verb agreement and tense shifts. There is no evidence of risk taking with	There are many errors with regard to spelling, punctuation, capitalization, subject and verb agreement and tense shifts.	There are frequent and serious errors with regard to spelling, punctuation, capitalization, subject and verb agreement and tense shifts, to the extent that they	

			Total	
	regard to punctuation.	punctuation.	communication.	
	little risks with	regards to	interfere with	

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References: 6 + 1 Traits of Writing Condensed Rubric and Grade Level Assessment Mark Scheme

References: TeachersFirst.com and QEP Video Contest Judging Rubr