

| PowerPoint Rubric for Junior Research Presentations | | | | |
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| | <i>Novice 12 Points</i> | <i>Emergent 13.5 Points</i> | <i>Skilled 15 Points</i> | <i>Expert 16 Points</i> |
| Text | Text is difficult to read. Too much text. Inappropriate fonts. Small font size. | Overall readability is difficult. Too much text. Too many different fonts. | Fonts are generally easy to read. Font size varies appropriately. Too much text | Easy to read. Font size varies appropriately. Text is appropriate length. |
| Graphics | Most graphics are unrelated to content. Too many graphics on one page OR No graphics on most pages. Most of the graphics distract from the text. Images are poor quality. Too large or too small. | Some graphics are unrelated to content. Too many graphics on one page OR Too few in presentation. Some graphics distract from text. Images are poor quality. Too large or too small. | All graphics are related to content. All graphics are appropriate size and good quality. Graphics help audience understand the flow of content. | All graphics are related to content. All graphics are appropriate size and good quality. Graphics create an overall theme and make connections that helps the audience understand the concepts. |
| Background | Background makes text difficult to read. | Text is readable, but background is very distracting | Text is readable, but background is slightly distracting. | Background makes text easy to read. |
| Layout | Layout is cluttered, confusing. Poor use of spacing, headings and sub headings. Hard to read. | Layout shows some structure. Cluttered, distracts from readability. Large gaps of space. | Uses horizontal and vertical space appropriately. | Pleasing to the eye. Appropriate use of headings and sub-headings. Appropriate use of white space |
| Writing Mechanics | Errors in grammar, capitalization, punctuation or spelling distract from readability. | Many errors in grammar, capitalization, punctuation or spelling. | 1 or 2 errors in grammar, capitalization, punctuation or spelling. | No errors in grammar, capitalization, punctuation or spelling. |
| Content | Research paper information incompletely covered. Only 1 or 2 main points covered. | Covers only parts of the research paper, 2-3 main points. | Completely covers most required parts of the research paper 4 main points. | Completely covers all 5 main points of research paper. Good introduction/title page & conclusion/ending. |
| Total Points | | | | |