

ILLUSTRATED TALK

Students will present an illustrated talk about an issue related to interior design.

1. An illustrated talk is a 5-10 minute speech presentation supported by visual aids. It deals with interior design issues. The issue chosen should be one that represents a concern of the participant or reflects current social or economic issues.
2. The area chosen must be an issue related to one of the areas of study in interior design:
 - home furnishings and housing
 - consumer education and home management
 - home furnishings and equipment
 - careers
 - communication
 - financial planning related to purchasing housing
3. Presentations should discuss the issue and state how the issue relates to interior design.
4. Students may use any combination of activities or visual aids with the necessary portable equipment. Suggested aids might include posters, slides, cassettes, charts and other types of media.
5. Notes may be used during the presentation.
6. Students will submit an information packet to the teacher prior to the presentation. It should contain:
 - a. A cover sheet with the students name and topic
 - b. An outline of the presentation
 - c. References used (publications, books)
7. Presentation and information packet must be the work of the student.
8. All visual aids should be easily visible by the class. The presentation area must be neat and tidy.
9. The illustrated talk will be worth 100 points.

NOTE: To compete in the area, state and national Illustrated Talk STAR Event obtain an official set of rules. A rating sheet is also included with the official rules and could be used for grading.

***To compete in the Illustrated Talk STAR Event, documentation of three prior Illustrated Talk presentations including date, location and proof of prior presentations such as photos, news clippings and/or thank you notes is required.