

JUDGING SHEET

Contest D: Yearbook Copy Writing



STEP 1: please fill in student code here (for instance, "432D005")

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PLACE		
FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
HONORABLE MENTION		NO AWARD

STEP 2: please score the entry with these criteria

+	Area of Strength	✓ Adequate	- Area of Weakness
1	+ ✓ -	Is copy written clearly and succinctly for greater reader understanding?	
2	+ ✓ -	Do reporters make extensive use of direct quotes?	
3	+ ✓ -	Does the writer present a visual image to the reader?	
4	+ ✓ -	Are leads direct and to the point, setting the stage for the reader?	
5	+ ✓ -	Does copy provide a variety of sources for greater development of the story?	
6	+ ✓ -	Is copy complete, giving all angles for reader consumption?	
7	+ ✓ -	Is the story well organized with solid grammar, A.P. style and punctuation usage?	
8	+ ✓ -	Does the reporter focus on the unique and unusual?	

STEP 3: please provide feedback in the comment boxes (**not optional**)

AREAS OF STRENGTH

AREAS OF WEAKNESS

STEP 4: please staple to **BACK** of student materials