Famous Speech Requirements

1. You may do a power point for this speech, but you should not be reading everything off of the power point presentation. Follow the requirements for a successful power point (which we will be going over in class).

2. Your speech must have an introduction, body, and conclusion.

3. Choose a famous speech from history or today.

4. Do research on the following to be included in the presentation:

    *   Background information on the person who gave the speech
    *   Why the person gave the speech and who the audience was
    *   Where and when the speech was given
    *   Choose a 30 to 60 second portion of the speech to show to the class and explain why you chose that portion

5. You must hand in a works cited page (properly done).

6. Speech length – 5-7 minutes.

7. Remember the basics of public speaking:

    *   Eye contact
    *   Posture
    *   Appropriate rate (speed) and volume
    *   Appropriate gestures
    *   Inflection – sound as though YOU are interested
    *   Facial expressions
    *   Enunciation of words
    *   Be confident