Author Panel Presentation Rubric

Student Names:

Category	4	3	2	1
Knowledge	All students showed excellent knowledge of content, needing no cues and showing no hesitation in talking or answering questions.	All students showed excellent knowledge of content, but 1–2 students needed note cards once to talk or answer questions.	Most students showed excellent knowledge of content, but 1–2 students needed note cards often to talk or answer questions.	Most students needed note cards to talk and to answer questions.
Questions and answers	Host asked excellent in-depth questions and talk show members provided excellent answers supported by facts.	Host asked questions requiring factual answers, and all talk show members were able to provide correct, in-depth answers.	Host asked questions requiring factual answers, and several of the talk show members provided correct answers.	Only 1–2 talk show members were able to answer questions.
Costume and props	All students wore costumes and the group used some props.	Some students wore costumes and the group used some props.	Students wore no costumes, but the group used some props.	No costumes and no props were used.
Length of presentation	Panel presentation was 8–10 minutes long.	Panel presentation was 6–7 minutes long.	Panel presentation was 4–5 minutes long.	Panel presentation was less than 4 or more than 10 minutes long.