

Southeastern Leadership Training for Christ Date: Room: Grade Level: Name: Church:				BIBLE READING							
				Award:		Gold	Silver	Bronze			
		Developing			Competent			Exemplary			
• Introduction		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Three required elements (Passage Identification, Translation, Setting of the Passage) 											
• Poise/Posture		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reader showed confidence and enthusiasm ○ Reader stood straight with both feet firmly on the ground 											
• Delivery		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Eye contact with audience ○ Pronunciation and articulation ○ Volume, tone, and planned pauses effective in emphasizing key points ○ Appropriate speaking rate 											
• Time Limits		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Introduction (20 second time limit) ○ Total reading (1 to 2 minutes including introduction) 											
Judge's comments:											

Please help us improve this rubric each year by submitting feedback within 30 days after convention.

Bible Reading

Purpose

To provide an opportunity to develop skills through the oral reading of Scripture.

Grade Levels

There are two grade levels in this event: K-2 and 3-4

Process:

- Using a standard translation (no paraphrases), choose a reading from the Old or New Testament.
- Prepare a brief introduction to the chosen scripture.

Rules

- There will be separate divisions for boys and girls. Girls may request a female only audience.
- A brief introduction that includes the identification of the passage, translation used and the setting is required.
- The introduction should not exceed 20 seconds.
- The entire presentation of the introduction and the Scripture reading should be at least one minute and should not exceed two minutes.
- The participant should place major emphasis on the actual Bible reading and not on prepared statements.
- Memorization is not required nor encouraged. The participant's ability to read the passage is what is being judged.
- Spectators may enter or exit the room at designated times.
- All participants will be pre-registered by their churches, and placed in a specific room. If a participant's name is not on the list or other changes need to be made, see the event coordinator for resolution.

Awards

There are three ratings available– Gold, Silver or Bronze.