

Southeastern Leadership Training for Christ Date: Room:  Grade Level: Name: Church:				Christian Audio Minute Message									
				<i>“Year’s Theme”</i> <b>Year’s Book of Study</b> “Year’s Theme Verse” – Verse Reference NIV									
				Award: Gold		Silver		Bronze					
				Developing				Competent		Exemplary			
● <b>Use of LTC Theme</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ Main message content relative to this year’s theme													
● <b>Flow and Continuity</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ Does the message flow well? ○ Is the message captivating?													
● <b>Originality and Creativity</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ Is the message unique? ○ Is the message inviting/engaging?													
● <b>Voice Inflection and Control</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ How controlled was the voice in the recording? ○ How effective was the voice inflection throughout the message? ○ Was the delivery speed effective?													
● <b>Special Effects (if included)</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ Did the special effects support the message well? ○ Did the special effects enhance the message?													
● <b>Time Limit</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ Was the message between 30 and 60 seconds?													
● <b>Submission</b>				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
○ Were submission requirements fully met?													
<b>Judge's comments:</b>													

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

## ***Christian Audio Minute Message***

### **Purpose**

To challenge the participant in using a medium that is powerful in today's world where time is of the essence. The participant is to design and present an audio message that will reach out to the community and encourage them with the message of Christ.

### **Grade Levels**

There are five grade levels in this event: K-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-12.

### **Process**

- Participants will:
  - Prepare an individual message.
  - Share a brief devotional thought based on the current year's theme or a passage from the current book(s) of study.
  - Record the message as an email able audio file format such as MP3, WAV, AIFF, etc.
  - Complete a Pre-Convention form (in the Forms Section).
- Christian Audio Minute Messages should be sent to the SELTC office by the pre-convention deadline.
  - Include the Pre-Convention form.
- Each message will be returned, along with the judges' sheets, to the students at the convention.

### **Rules**

- The participant's message should be between 30 and 60 seconds.
- Background music, special effects, etc. are permissible.
- No adult voices and only 1 student voice should be on the recording. Also, please be aware of other background noises which could interrupt the sound quality of the recording.
- Include only 1 Christian Audio Minute Message per participant in an email to [seltc.office@gmail.com](mailto:seltc.office@gmail.com)
- The email should have "Christian Audio Minute Message" in the subject line.
- Attach the completed pre-convention form to the email and the typed script of the audio minute message to the email as a PDF document, each audio message should include:
  - A typed script of the audio message should be on a separate sheet of paper from the pre-convention form and should detail any sound effects and be detailed on each part of the script.
  - Make sure each recording is sent separately with the name of the participant, his/her congregation and the congregation LTC number.

### **Awards**

There are 3 ratings available in each grade level – Gold, Silver or Bronze.