Book Talk Rubric

Students are expected to read 3-5 books over the summer. They will then choose one of the books they read to present to the class. A book talk is a lot like a movie preview. Listed below are the requirements for the book talk presentation. All students will present this information when they return to school in the fall.

Presenter's Name: Date: Period:	Book Talk from Summer Reading List Book to be presented:		Comments + Points received:
	Favorite Passage: Read your favorite part to the class. Have it marked with a post-it note before presenting. This should be between a paragraph to a page in length. *Don't tell us any spoilers.	1 point	
	Visual Representation: one-page (8.5 x 11, not loose-leaf) with a collage of images from the book, drawings, etc. to showcase the book (consider: characters, setting, theme).	2 points	
	Summary: Give an overview of the major plot points. This should be about 4-5 sentences. Include main character(s), point-of-view/narrator, conflicts, and major events. Again, do not give away what happens.	2 points	
	Recommendation: What did you like about the book? Share the highlights. What did you not like about the book? Share the lowlights.	1 points	
	Total for book talk	6 points	