1a. I have learned a lot about communication skills. I have learned how to communicate with my audience through the use of gestures, range of voice, and interesting facts. I have also grown more comfortable with my classmates and have found it easier to communicate with them about assignments and what they are using for their speech topics. I am also very comfortable with communicating with the teacher through e-mail and in purpose about what is expected in each assignment.

1b. I have learned much about team skills. The one class that we had in which we got in groups and critiqued speakers was very beneficial. I was teamed up with Tracy, and found that we had very similar thoughts about our speaker, and that we are very like-minded. That assignment taught me to communicate with team members to make sure that all aspects of a job are completed and to bring in different ideas from different individuals.

1c. Leadership has always been a strong quality of mine, but I have still re-learned many things in class. I learned that I must get everybody’s opinions to be effective, and that I must respect these opinions to form one complete thought. I also learned that listening is as important and talking while leading.

1d. Ethics was the most important thing I’ve learned so far. I learned not to exclude myself from my audience, and to use words like us and we. I also learned that you must not talk like your better than your audience, for they will not connect with you then. I re-learned not to be racist in order to create harmony with the audience.

2a. Learning materials are very important in class. I found out that creating power points allows me to gather my thoughts and allowed me to keep my place in my speech. It also gave my audience a visual aid so they can see what I am talking about.

2b. Learning activities are very important. They have allowed to approach lessons with a different point of view, and allow me to know what I am learning better. Learning activities such as the narrative speech taught me how to research my topic and showed me the difference between mastering a speech and reading a speech.

2c. Critiquing other speakers is very beneficial. It allows me to realize the strength and weaknesses of others, which makes me realize my faults and strong points. I have also learned how to deliver speeches with mastery and not to read off of a paper. This allows you to appear to have knowledge about your topic and to connect with your audience.

2d. My instructor’s teaching style is very beneficial to me. I am a visual learner, so the power points really help me learn. I enjoy the class participation of the class because it allows me to hear other’s opinions.

2e. My work ethic is very good for this class. I always check Angel, do my work on time, and thoroughly research my topics. I am happy with how I am doing in this class, and feel I give good input into class discussions.

3. I don’ t think there should be any changes in my style or my professors style. I am learning very much in class, and feel my classmates are doing the same. I am very happy with this class. There should be no changes in the class itself. I think the only change that should happen is that others should come to class more.