1. **Scientific Thought (30 Points)**
   Does the project show evidence of well-organized work, proper use of scientific methods in investigating the problem, and are concepts and investigations clearly demonstrated?

2. **Skill and Thoroughness (20 points)**
   Does the project show evidence of careful workmanship, and a clearly organized presentation of the steps taken in conducting the investigation and presenting results and conclusions?

3. **Presentation Quality (20 points)**
   Is the presentation organized and conveyed in a manner that is easily understood, with an appropriate format that commands the attention and interest of the audience?

4. **Presentation Delivery (20 Points)**
   Does the presenter respond fluently to questions regarding his/her work? Does the presenter display a strong understanding of the information and the topic?

5. **Creative Ability (10 Points)**
   Does the project show originality of thinking and investigation of an original idea?

**Total Points Possible: 100 Points**

*Students participating in the Oral Presentation Competition will be provided a laptop computer and clicker. If there are any other concerns, please be sure to contact Travis Griffin ([travisg@utk.edu](mailto:travisg@utk.edu)).*