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**Persuasive Speech**

**Directions:** You are going to be writing a logical fallacy speech with a partner or on your own. The following topics can be used for your speech, or you can choose a topic and get it approved with the teacher. Your speech should be 3 paragraphs in length (6-10 sentences per paragraph) and utilize at least 4 of the fallacies discussed from the PowerPoint and one appeal (logos, pathos, ethos). The rubric below will be used to grade your speech.

**TOPICS:**

1. A hot dog is a sandwich.

2. A taco is a sandwich.

3. There’s no point in eating french fries without ketchup.

4. Pepperoni is the best pizza topping.

5. Peanut butter is better than Nutella.

6. Hot chocolate is better than a chocolate milkshake.

7. Fruit counts as dessert.

8. Coca-Cola is better than Pepsi.

9. Round pizzas are better than rectangular ones.

10. Ice cream is better than cake.

11. own topic

**RUBRIC:**

3 paragraphs in length with 6-10 sentences per paragraph \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/15

3 appeals are used in the speech and highlighted (2 times each throughout) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/15

There are few grammar, spelling, conventional errors, MLA formatted correctly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/10

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/45