## Interview Speech

## **The Interview**

You will conduct an interview with a person of your choice.

- Must be 18 years old or older
- Cannot currently be a student at Hot Springs High School
- Pick someone you are genuinely interested in speaking to and learning more about

You will record the interview

- Set aside 10 to 60 minutes for the interview
- Let the interviewee know that you are interviewing them for a speech class, and that the conversation will be re-told in a speech format

Pick a time and safe place for the interview

- Try to interview them outside of their work
- If you are interviewing your parent, try to organize the interview to be outside of the house
- If the interviewee is a stranger, pick a safe or public place to have the interview
- \* Dress up for the interview
- \* Make sure to ask for their permission to be recorded ON THE RECORD

## **Speech Criteria**

- You will make a speech about the person you interviewed
- The speech needs to have a focus (one particular story or a particular part of their life)
- Your speech will be objective and formal
- Please use an array of summarizing, paraphrasing, and direct quotation techniques to describe the interview
- Max 6 minutes
- No Visual aid is needed / But if you want to create one you can
- Outlines, Transcripts, Work Cited Page (must cite your interview) due on the day of your speech

## Interview need to complete by

Wednesday, Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>

Speeches will start on Wednesday Feb 13th