A+ Modern Oratory

Contestants may be assigned to sections and speaker order may be established prior to the day of the meet. If the contest director prefers, the contestants in each preliminary section may draw for speaker order just before the contest begins.

Say: “This is the UIL Modern Oratory event. One at a time, I will call you (contestants) into the contest room according to your arranged speaking order. Your speech will need to be between three and six minutes. If you go over or under the time limits, you will be penalized one rank. You may remain in the contest room after your speech.”

** The contest official may ad lib as necessary while conducting the contest. **