# Myth and Truth: The "First Thanksgiving" Presentation Rubric

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<th>Category</th>
<th>Excellent</th>
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<td>Understanding of Topic</td>
<td>The team clearly understood the topic. They convincingly demonstrated an awareness of the biases in the material that they examined and the relationship between bias and culture.</td>
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<td>The team seemed to understand the topic. They were aware of the biases in the material that they examined.</td>
<td>The team did not seem to understand the topic and/or were not aware of the biases in the material they examined.</td>
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<td>Presentation Style</td>
<td>The team consistently used gestures, eye contact, voice and enthusiasm in a way that kept the audience interested.</td>
<td>The team usually used gestures, eye contact, voice and enthusiasm to try and keep their audience's attention.</td>
<td>The team sometimes used gestures, eye contact, and appropriate voice to keep their audience's attention.</td>
<td>One or more of the members did not use body language or style to keep the audience's attention. Someone may have been a distraction.</td>
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<td>Information</td>
<td>The team presented information that fully and accurately explained the origin and characteristics of the myth. The information was clear and logical.</td>
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<td>Most of the information accurately explained the origin and characteristics of the myth. There may have been some mistakes or some things that were not clear.</td>
<td>The information did not accurately explained the origin and characteristics of the myth and/or the information did not make sense.</td>
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