## **Business Proposal/Presentation ("Pitch")**

Name of Business\_\_\_\_\_

Student Name(s)\_\_\_\_\_

Score Levels	Excellent	Good	Needs Improvement	Does Not Meet Standards
*Content (A – E)  *this category is weighted more!!	All answers are well thought out and effectively and accurately communicates why you would start this business     Reflects application of critical thinking	<ul> <li>All answers are well thought out and effectively communicates why you would start this business</li> <li>Has application of critical thinking that is apparent</li> </ul>	Most answers are well thought out and communicates why you might start this business     Has application of critical thinking     Has some factual errors or inconsistencies	Provides inconsistent information with significant factual errors  Business choice seems illogical  Has no apparent application of critical thinking
Preparedness	<ul> <li>Clearly focused in an organized and thoughtful manner</li> <li>Information is constructed in a logical pattern to persuade the class to invest in your business</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information is persuasive</li> <li>Group presents information in a logical and sequential matter</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information has a focus but strays from goal and objectives</li> <li>Information appears to have a pattern, but the pattern is not consistently carried out in the project</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Is unfocused and haphazard.</li> <li>Information does not support the objectives or concepts</li> <li>Information has no apparent pattern</li> </ul>
The Pitch	<ul> <li>Information was presented in an original creative format that was engaging and persuasive</li> <li>Convinces the "investors" your business has profit potential</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information was presented in an engaging, persuasive format with some creative parts</li> <li>Shows the "investors" your business has profit potential</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Presentation was not original and did not always hold nor sway the attention of the audience</li> <li>Mentions how your business could be profitable</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Presentation was not captivating and did not include any original elements; not at all persuasive</li> <li>Fails to demonstrate profitability of business</li> </ul>
*Business Plan  *this category is weighted more!!	<ul> <li>Is well-researched and supported by complete and accurate costs of production, projected sales and financing</li> <li>All components thoughtfully carried out</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Is well-researched and supported by complete costs of production, projected sales and financing</li> <li>All components carried out</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Is supported by costs of production and projected sales</li> <li>Most components carried out</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Some costs of production have been researched and carried through the plan</li> <li>Many aspects missing</li> </ul>
Student/Group Performance	<ul> <li>Used class time effectively and wisely</li> <li>Work shows extreme effort</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Used class time effectively</li><li>Work shows effort</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Used class time somewhat effectively</li> <li>Work shows some effort</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Inefficient use of time</li><li>Effort is questionable</li></ul>

Comments: Total Grade: