Presentation Guidelines and Evaluation Rubric

General Requirements
You will present a brief summary of your research project to the class. Your presentation should last 12 minutes, and the other class members will be encouraged to ask questions in a 3 minute time period following your presentation. Powerpoint is required. Your audience should be left with a basic understanding of (a) Why you did your study. In other words, what personal experience, theory and/or previous study drove your idea? (b) How you did your study, (c) What you found, (d) Why you found what you did, (e) So what? What are the practical implications of your findings? What is the take-home message for relevant populations?

Please print a copy of your slides and turn them in on the day you give your presentation. Also, put your presentation on a flashdrive as a backup, and so that the transition between presenters is efficient.

Evaluation Rubric

Inclusion/quality of all components (30 points):
- Introduction (10 points)
- Methods (5 points)
- Results (5 points)
- Discussion (7 points)
- Practical Implications (3 points)

Quality of powerpoint (8 points)
- Correct spelling, grammar, punctuation
- Concise presentation of information
- Use of color

Presentation style (8 points)
- Kept to time limit
- Eye contact with audience
- Body language
- Clear speech

Response to questions (4 points)

Total (50 Points)