

## **Tips for Using Visual Aids**

## **Benefits of Visual Aids**

- 1. Visual aids can make ideas clear and understandable
- 2. Visual aids can make a speech more interesting
- 3. Visual aids can help an audience remember facts and details
- 4. Visual aids can help prove a point

## **Types of Visuals Aids**

- 1. Graphs/Charts
- 2. Handouts
- 3. Videotape
- 4. Computer Technology
- 5. Objects/Models

## **Guidelines for Using Visual Aids**

- Choose visuals that truly support your speech Don't let visuals distract from your message
- **2.** Don't talk to your visuals.
- **3.** Don't use too many visuals
- **4.** Remove physical barriers Never circulate visual aids among the audience
- **5.** Plan for emergencies

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