

- Step 1: State the situation or problem.
- **Step 2:** List alternative solutions for the situation or problem. Some solutions **may** be stated, but teams should think creatively and add their own.
- **Step 3:** List the standards stated in the situation or problem. Add standards that are appropriate but not stated in the situation or problem.
- **Step 4:** Evaluate each alternative solution based on the standards. In a grid, make plus or minus signs to indicate good or not good choices. You may give point values to each standard to help with ranking.
- **Step 5:** Select the best choice(s) for the situation or problem. Explain your decision.

Decision-Making Grid

	Standards			
Alternative Solutions				

Notes: