

Research Project Rubric

Name: _____

Topic: _____

Project Type: _____

Date Complete: _____

	Exceeds Standards (15pts)	Meets Standards (10pts)	Approaching Standards (5pt)	Below Standards (0pts)
Student Information Sheet	Has more than 3 resources listed	Has 3 resources listed	Has 1-2 resources listed	Does not list resources
Notes, Web and/or Outline	Facts are very detailed and written in own words	Facts are clear and most or all are written in own words	A few facts are vague or unclear and/or many are copied directly from resources	Many facts are vague or unclear and/or all or almost all are copied directly from resources
Glossary-Vocabulary and Definitions	Has 5 or more on-topic vocabulary words and definitions than required	Has 3-4 accurate on-topic vocabulary words and definitions	Has 1-2 fewer on-topic accurate vocabulary words and definitions than required	Has no accurate on-topic vocabulary words and definitions
Project Content	Project contains an intro, more than 3 subtopics, and a conclusion, demonstrating a strong knowledge of facts	Project contains an intro, 3 subtopics, and a conclusion, demonstrating a strong knowledge of facts	Project contains an intro, 1-2 subtopics, and a conclusion, demonstrating a strong knowledge of facts	Project is not organized in a sequence according to the science fair manual
Project Grammar and Spelling	Project does not contain any grammatical or spelling errors	Project contains 1-3 grammatical and/or spelling errors	Project contains 4-6 grammatical and/or spelling errors	Project contains 7+ grammatical and/or spelling errors

Score: _____ /75 = _____