

Homeschool Connections Science Fair Rubric

Name of Project _____

Name of Student _____

Grade of Student _____

Scoring Scale

1 - Needs Improvement	2 - Acceptable	3 - Good	4 - Excellent
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Criteria:

Rating

1. **Exhibit Appearance**

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- a. Tri-fold posterboard is neat, organized, & visually appealing
- b. Name of project is clearly visible & proper emphasis is given to important ideas

2. **Logical Organization**

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- a. Data is recorded in an understandable way
- b. Charts, tables, graphs, and/or photographs are clear & readable

3. **Oral Presentation**

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- a. Student can clearly explain their project
- b. Student can answer questions about their project

4. **Showed Knowledge**

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- a. Student shows knowledge of the scientific method
- b. Student shows new knowledge learned through the project

5. **Completeness**

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- a. All parts of the scientific method are included and explained appropriately for the student's grade level
(Question/Purpose, Hypothesis, Background Research, Experiment - include Materials & Procedure, Analyze Data, Results, Conclusion)

6. **Effort**

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- a. Project demonstrates student's own work appropriate for their grade level

Total Points: _____

Comments: _____

