

Terrarium Project Paper Rubric:

Group Members: _____

Class Period: _____ Received on Time: Yes No Days Late: _____

Following this rubric will help you achieve high marks in each category. See notes below the rubric for major errors or point deductions.

Component	Description	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Introduction	No more than 1 full paragraph; describe the project	10	
Hypothesis Statement	What were you intending to find out? Explain it to the reader.	10	
Graph of Data	This should have labels, a key, and be complete. The graph should be neat and does not replace any of the writing components needed. There should be a short paragraph explaining your important data points to the reader. (Max 7.5" tall and 4" wide.)	10	
Summary of Research Findings	What did you find out when you did your literary research? What have other people learned about terrariums? What was interesting about your plant? Did any of this spark your own interests? Tell us about it!	10	
Methods	Tell us, in detail, what you did and why you did it. What evidence is there to support the ways that you assembled your terrarium? What method of data collection did you use?	10	
Outcome	What happened? (This is where you describe the beginning, middle and end of your terrarium analysis.)	10	
Possible Next Steps	This should be 1-3 paragraphs about what experimentation or research you or someone else could do next.	10	
Citations	Minimum of 3; 1 page; must be peer reviewed articles Scholar.google.com is good place to start	15	
Formatting	1" margins, 12pt Times New Roman Font, Double Spaced, 2-4 pages (NOT including citation page)	15	
Total Points Earned		100	

Notes: _____
