



Science and Engineering Fair

Scoring Rubric

Name of Scientist (s): _____

Title of Project: _____

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Scientific Method or Engineering Design Process	Project does not follow the scientific method or engineering design process.	Project is missing important steps of the scientific method or engineering design process.	Project includes most of the steps of the scientific method or engineering design process.	Project includes all steps of the scientific method or engineering design process.
Creativity and Purpose	No evidence of original design (store bought kit).	Interesting topic. Design adapted from another source (Internet, book, kit, etc.)	Original design and creative choice of topic.	Uniquely original or novel topic and/or approach to a problem. Results have important implications.
Ownership	Content is not age appropriate.	It looks like an adult provided significant assistance on multiple parts of the project.	Student demonstrates the ability to do their own work.	Student clearly demonstrates ability to do their own work.
Effort	Project appears rushed.	Some parts of the project display sufficient effort.	Adequate effort is displayed.	Outstanding effort is displayed.

Total Points: _____

Comments: