Rubric for Science Poster

Criteria	1	2	3	4
Organization	Clutter, no definitive sections, all over the place Not all sections present	No heading, but sectioned Hard to follow, requires assistance Missing parts Obvious refinement required	All present but unclear Must reread for clarity Some evidence of refinement	Defined sections Clear headings Flows nicely to assist the reader without help Finished product
Creativity	Bland, no variability No use of colour or diagrams Boring to look at, does not catch your attention Interest, motivation, effort and time obviously absent	Very little use of colour or pictures but enough to engage and hold attention	Some use of colour, diagrams, etc. Will engage but will not stimulate	Interesting, engaging, visually stimulating Aesthetically appealing use of colour, diagrams and text Interest, motivation, effort and time obviously present
Science Content and Literacy	No analysis of science topic No explanation No science specific connection No use of resources	Poor explanation Inaccurate science connection Misinterprets the science One resource for sure	Adequate explanation Science connection present but could be developed further More than one resource present	Appropriate use of terms Concept fully and properly explained Insight present Science specific connection made Content is accurate, comprehensive and well supported Excellent use of resources
Level and Difficulty of Understanding	Task difficulty not suitable for grade level/not related to science (too easy) Superficial/irrelevant task	Explanation describes minimal level of validity Needs serious refinement	Task difficulty could be increased or developed Some level of understanding shown	Difficulty appropriate for grade level Understanding present and apparent