

Plant Rubric

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Adaptation Model	Project outline was not followed and little information is shown regarding physical and/or behavioral adaptations.	Model does not fit within the 12X12X12 inch requirement. Some features are labeled and have an explanation for the physical adaptations and/or behavioral adaptations.	Model fits within the 12X12X12 inch requirement. Most features are labeled and have an explanation for the physical adaptations and/or behavioral adaptations.	Model fits within the 12X12X12 inch requirement. All features are labeled and have an explanation for the physical adaptations and/or behavioral adaptations. The student has exceeded the expectations.
News Report	<p>Written explanation has</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 behavioral adaptation is described • 1 physical adaptation is described • Transfer of energy is not explained • Habitat is explain but may be missing three of the key components (food, water, shelter, space) 	<p>Written explanation has</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 behavioral adaptation is described • 2 physical adaptations are described • Transfer of energy is briefly mentioned • Habitat is explain but may be missing two of the key components (food, water, shelter, space) 	<p>Written explanation has</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 behavioral adaptations are described • 3 physical adaptations are described • Transfer of energy is explained well. • Habitat is explain but may be missing one of the key components (food, water, shelter, space) 	<p>Written explanation has</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 or more behavioral adaptations are described • 4 or more physical adaptations are described • Transfer of energy is explained in thorough detail. • Habitat (food, water, shelter and space) described in full detail.