

MYSTERY Wanted Poster Project

Student Name: _____

Project Sent Home: Monday, May 20, 2013

Due Date: Tuesday, May 28th, 2013

Note: This project is more of a HOMEWORK assignment and shouldn't take more than 3 days to complete. However, I am extending the project through the weekend and a day. This is a two-part project (part one completed at home, part two completed at school as a gallery walk). Grade will be affected if student does not turn in project by the gallery walk and by the due date. Student will not participate in any school activities if project is not turned in on time.

Your job: To make a wanted poster of an organism. The poster will tell:

1. Description of animal (how much it weighs, what it look like [physical features], how big it is, etc.)
2. Where it lives or can be found (shelter) and also where was it last seen-remember it's a wanted poster
3. What it eats
4. Describe the climate
5. Adaptations it has to live in its environment
6. A description of its role in the food chain as a consumer (herbivore, omnivore, carnivore)
7. MOST IMPORTANT rule: DO NOT put the name of YOUR ORGANISMS anywhere on your poster. It must remain secret. When you turn in your poster, cover your photo of the organism so it is not exposed. Students must use the provided information to identify your organism.

Tools : One sheet of construction paper (no poster boards, and paper is provided from the teacher)the dimensions are the same for ALL students as we will view them in a gallery walk for Part 2 of the project.

You can decorate your poster anyway you would like but you CAN'T reveal what organism you have anywhere on your poster!

Where to find information:

1. Library Books
2. Links on Mr. Harris' website: <http://schoolbmanharris.weebly.com>

Directions:

1. Choose an animal. (You will draw from a bin and you cannot switch or choose your animal)
2. Read the sheet for the HW assignment. (reviewing Adaptations) Answer questions and turn them in with the Wanted Poster.
3. Draw and color a picture of your organism on the wanted poster.
4. Fill in the wanted poster using information your research on your organism.

5. Creatively layout your wanted poster. Add a unique title. You can include a reward; you choose how you want to lay it out.
6. Make sure to cover your picture. The covering should be a flap. DO NOT STAPLE! Neatly glue or use tape only at the TOP of the flap. (Mr. Harris will secure it so that no one can view/ cheat to see your organism. Tape and glue IS NOT provided from Mr. Harris just the construction paper).
7. Make sure your project is neat. Points will be deducted for sloppy, unorganized, incomplete projects. Please try not to get any food stains on it and DO NOT fold your project.

Any and all questions about the project please refer to my blog page on my website

<http://www.schoolbmanharris.weebly.com>. YOU WILL ONLY RECEIVE ONE COPY OF THIS PAPER. YOU WILL HAVE TO DOWNLOAD IT FROM MY WEBSITE AT YOUR OWN TIME IF YOU LOOSE THE COPY. IF YOU FORGET YOUR ANIMAL, I WILL PROVIDE THE ANIMAL FOR YOU BUT YOU CAN STILL NOT SWITCH YOUR ANIMAL.

I understand that my child, _____, has a project on Adaptation that is due on Tuesday, May 28th, 2013. This is a project that is to be done like homework. Signing this, I acknowledge that my child and I both understand that this this project is due, TUESDAY, MAY 28TH, 2013. I can turn in the project early if all of the components of the project are in place. I also understand that my child may not participate in any school activities if the project is not complete.

I also understand that this is part of a two-part Project.

Student Name _____

Parent Name(printed) _____ Parent contact
Number _____

Parent email _____

Date signed _____

Parent signature _____

Selected organism _____